



PROVISO WEST HOLIDAY TOURNAMENT

Proviso West – Where Basketball is Best

This Year's Games Played on December 27, 28, 29, 30, 2011

ADVANCED TICKETS GO ON SALE NOVEMBER 14

Tickets for the 51st Annual Proviso West Holiday Tournament will go on sale on November 14. Season Ticket Books can be purchased both on-line and in-person starting on that date. Tickets will be sold in a season package as well as by individual session. Individual advanced session tickets are not available on-line and can only be purchased in-person.

A season ticket book can be purchased at a price of \$60 which is good for all 28 games of the tournament -- this cost includes all fees and service charges. Season ticket booklets can be purchased prior to the tournament both on-line at www.pwhoops.com and in person at the district business office at the Proviso West Mathematics and Science Academy, 8601 West Roosevelt Road in Forest Park, from Monday, November 14, 2011 through Monday, December 19, 2011 from 8:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. Cash, VISA and Master Card will be accepted at all times.

No tickets are available for advanced purchase at Proviso West High School.

Individual tickets are priced at \$12 and \$10 per session. Single session advanced ticket sales will be charged an additional convenience fee for each ticket purchased in advance.

More information can be found on the tournament website at www.pwhoops.com.

TWO NEW TEAMS ADDED FOR 2011

Two teams will make their first ever appearance at the Proviso West Holiday Tournament this year as Brooks and Rockford Auburn become the 90th and 91st schools to play in the annual event since the tournament's inception in 1961.

Brooks becomes the second straight Chicago Public League Champion in as many years to play on the Proviso hardwood, as the Eagles won the 2011 CPL title and placed third in last year's Class 3A state tournament.

Rockford Auburn becomes only the third non-Chicagoland area team to play at the Proviso West Tournament. Last season, the Knights became the first team in nine years to compile a perfect conference record in the NIC-10 and they won the Class 4A Sectional Championship.

The complete field for the 51st Annual Proviso West Holiday Tournament includes: Benet Academy, Brooks, Fenwick, Glenbrook North, Hillcrest, Hinsdale Central, Homewood-Flossmoor, Morgan Park, Morton, New Trier, Proviso East, Proviso West, Rockford Auburn, Saint Joseph, Saint Patrick and Von Steuben.



PLAYER SPOTLIGHT: FRED VAN VLEET



Arguably the state's top point guard in the Class of 2012, Rockford Auburn's Fred Van Vleet will be a "must-see" during the holidays for the basketball

junkies this year at Proviso West. Van Vleet, who is committed to play for Wichita State, helped lead the Knights to a 26-5 record and a supersectional appearance last year. Considered as a true point guard with great court vision, Fred possesses a high hoops IQ and has dribbling and passing skills that make him an instant fan favorite.

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MARK YOUR CALENDAR FOR THESE IMPORTANT DATES

- November 14 – Tickets Go On Sale
- December 5 – Pairings Announced
- December 27 – Tournament Starts
- December 30 – Championship Game

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