

1977 Volleyball State Championships

The sixth State Volleyball Tournament was held at Kearney High School and Kearney State College in Kearney on November 11-12, 1977 with Dennis Long, Athletic Director, Kearney High School and Dr. Merwin Roeder, Kearney State College staff member serving as tournament directors. Attendance: 11, 787. The district champion from the six Class A and eight Class B districts qualified for the state tournament. The district champions from the 16 Class C and 16 Class D districts advanced to regional play-offs with the eight play-off winners in each class qualifying for the state tournament. Two at large teams were chosen in Class A.

CLASS A

Quarterfinals

Omaha Marian def. Scottsbluff 15-2, 6-15, 15-12

Omaha Roncalli def. Fremont 15-3, 15-5

Lincoln East def. Grand Island 15-0, 15-8

Omaha Westside def. Millard 2-15, 15-10, 15-7

Semifinals

Omaha Marian def. Omaha Roncalli 11-15, 15-2, 15-1

Lincoln East def. Omaha Westside 15-2, 15-7

Final

Lincoln East def. Omaha Marian 13-15, 15-10, 15-7

CLASS B

Quarterfinals

Omaha Mercy def. Alliance 15-12, 9-15, 15-11

Wisner-Pilger def. Ord 15-13, 12-15, 15-12

Lincoln Pius X def. York 15-8, 15-10

Lexington def. Fairbury 15-5, 15-8

Semifinals

Wisner-Pilger def. Omaha Mercy 9-15, 15-10, 15-12

Lexington def. Lincoln Pius X 14-16, 15-7, 15-9

Final

Lexington def. Wisner Pilger 7-15, 15-10, 15-4

CLASS C

Quarterfinals

Mead def. Bayard 15-7, 14-16, 15-11

Bloomfield def. Centennial 14-16, 15-3, 15-7

Ansley def. Bennington 15-8, 15-1

Sandy Creek def. Ewing 15-3, 15-11

Semifinals

Bloomfield def. Mead 15-2, 15-11

Sandy Creek def. Ansley 5-15, 15-10, 15-12

Final

Sandy Creek def. Bloomfield 15-5, 12-15, 15-4

CLASS D

Quarterfinals

Beemer def. Nelson 15-7, 15-4

Wheatland def. Elmwood 15-8, 16-14

Lodgepole def. Elgin 15-12, 15-1

Arcadia def. Shickley 12-15, 15-10, 15-13

Semifinals

Beemer def. Wheatland 15-13, 15-4

Lodgepole def. Arcadia 8-15, 15-12, 15-5

Final

Lodgepole def. Beemer 15-5, 7-15, 15-9