

THE HISTORY OF CIF-SS BOYS WATER POLO, 1912-2024

(SoCal Championships, 2017-2024; and Masters Tournament, 2006-2008)

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2024 SoCal Championships

Division I

FINALS

JSerra	11	Newport Harbor	9
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SEMI-FINALS

Newport Harbor	14	Cathedral Catholic	10
JSerra	10	Oaks Christian	9

QUARTER-FINALS (FIRST ROUND)

Newport Harbor (SS-OD-1)	17	Westlake (SS-D1-1)	8
JSerra (SS-OD-2)	14	The Bishop's School (SDS-OD-3)	9
Oaks Christian (SS-OD-3)	15	La Jolla (SDS-OD-2)	7
Cathedral Catholic (SDS-OD-1)	11	Corona del Mar (SS-OD-4)	8

Division II

FINALS

Mira Costa	12	Carlsbad	9
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SEMI-FINALS

Mira Costa	13	Brea-Olinda	6
Carlsbad	12	Santana	9

QUARTER-FINALS

Mira Costa (SS-D1-2)	19	La Costa Canyon (SDS-D2-1)	6
Brea-Olinda (SS-D2-1)	15	Point Loma (SDS-D1-1)	12
Santana (SDS-OD-5)	18	Capistrano Valley (SS-D2-2)	9
Carlsbad (SDS-OD-4)	15	Martin Luther King (SS-D3-1)	8

Division III

FINALS

South Pasadena	12	Cleveland	6
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SEMI-FINALS

South Pasadena	10	Palisades	5
Cleveland	12	San Pascual	9

QUARTER-FINALS

Cleveland (LACS-OD-1)	12	San Bernardino (SS-D6-1)	8
South Pasadena (SS-D4-1)	16	Granada Hills Charter (LACS-D1-1)	13
Palisades (LACS-OD-2)	13	Palm Desert (SS-D5-1)	6
San Pascual (SDS-D3-1)	14	Birmingham (LACS-OD-3)	8

2023 SoCal Championships

Division I

FINALS

JSerra	14	Newport Harbor	10
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SEMI-FINALS

JSerra	19	Cathedral Catholic	5
Newport Harbor	10	Harvard	9

QUARTER-FINALS (FIRST ROUND)

JSerra (SS-OD-1)	23	Laguna Beach (SS-D1-2)	3
Newport Harbor (SS-OD-2)	16	The Bishop's School (SDS-OD-2)	8
Harvard (SS-OD-3)	17	Huntington Beach (SS-D1-1)	2
Cathedral Catholic (SDS-OD-1)	17	Corona del Mar (SS-OD-4)	16

Division II

FINALS

La Jolla	13	Vista	12
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SEMI-FINALS

La Jolla	12	Santana	7
Vista	12	Classical Academy	4

QUARTER-FINALS

Classical Academy (SDS-D2-1)	15	San Marcos (SS-D2-1)	14
Vista (SDS-OD-5)	13	Ventura (SS-D2-2[3*])	12
Santana (SDS-OD-4)	14	Coronado (SDS-D1-1)	8
La Jolla (SDS-OD-3)	12	El Segundo (SS-D3-1)	6

* Note: Dos Pueblos (SS-D2-2) declined to participate in this tournament, creating the adjusted seeding above.

Division III

FINALS

Bonita	10	Palisades	5
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SEMI-FINALS

Palisades	18	Birmingham	8
Bonita	17	Ayala	2

QUARTER-FINALS

Bonita (SS-D4-1)	16	Cleveland (LACS-D1-1)	8
Ayala (SS-D5-1)	13	Granada Hills Charter (LACS-OD-2)	9
Birmingham (LACS-OD-3)	9	La Jolla Country Day (SDS-D3-1)	6
Palisades (LACS-OD-1)	17	Summit (SS-D6-1)	7

2022 SoCal Championships

Division I

FINALS

JSerra	11	Newport Harbor	8
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SEMI-FINALS

Newport Harbor	9	Mater Dei	5
JSerra	10	Harvard	8

QUARTER-FINALS (FIRST ROUND)

Newport Harbor (SS-OD-1)	18	Foothill (SS-D1-2)	9
Mater Dei (SS-OD-4)	11	The Bishop's School (SDS-OD-1)	5
JSerra (SS-OD-2)	18	La Jolla (SDS-OD-2)	9
Harvard (SS-OD-3)	16	Orange Lutheran (SS-D1-1)	9

Division II

FINALS

Cathedral Catholic	10	Vista	7
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SEMI-FINALS

Cathedral Catholic	12	San Clemente	7
Vista	13	La Serna	10

QUARTER-FINALS

Cathedral Catholic (SDS-OD-3)	18	Downey (SS-D4-1)	8
San Clemente (SS-D2-2)	10	Poway (SDS-OD-5)	8
Vista (SDS-OD-4)	20	Mount Carmel (SDS-D1-1)	10
La Serna (SS-D2-1)	13	Damien (SS-D3-1)	12

Division III

FINALS

Palisades	10	Rancho Bernardo	9
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SEMI-FINALS

Palisades	15	Birmingham	13
Rancho Bernardo	15	San Dimas	8

QUARTER-FINALS

Palisades (LACS-D1-1)	22	Muir (SS-D6-1)	15
Birmingham (LACS-D1-2)	9	Ramona (SDS-D3-1)	8
Rancho Bernardo (SDS-D2-1)	16	San Pedro (LACS-D1-4)	4
San Dimas (SS-D5-1)	11	Cleveland (LACS-D1-3)	7

2021 SoCal Championships (2020 Tournament Not Held)

Division I

FINALS

Newport Harbor	10	Mater Dei	6
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SEMI-FINALS

Newport Harbor	9	Harvard	8
Mater Dei	12	Huntington Beach	11

QUARTER-FINALS (FIRST ROUND)

Newport Harbor (SS-OD-1)	20	La Jolla (SDS-OD-3)	10
Huntington Beach (SS-OD-2)	20	Loyola (SS-D1-1)	8
Mater Dei (SS-OD-3)	16	The Bishop's School (SDS-OD-2)	8
Harvard (SS-OD-4)	16	Cathedral Catholic (SDS-OD-1)	14

Division II

FINALS

Oaks Christian	8	East Valley (Redlands)	7
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SEMI-FINALS

Oaks Christian	15	Alta Loma	10
East Valley (Redlands)	8	Yorba Linda	6

QUARTER-FINALS

Oaks Christian (SS-D1-2)	18	Canyon Crest Academy (SDS-D1-1)	5
Alta Loma (SS-D3-1)	11	Vista (SDS-OD-4)	10
East Valley (Redlands) (SS-D2-2)	10	Valhalla (SDS-OD-5)	7
Yorba Linda (SS-D2-1)	20	Mount Carmel (SDS-D2-1)	16

Division III

FINALS

Palisades	9	Carpinteria	5
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SEMI-FINALS

Carpinteria	11	San Dieguito Academy	3
Palisades	11	Long Beach Poly	10

QUARTER-FINALS

Carpinteria (SS-D5-1)	18	Eagle Rock (LACS-D1-4)	9
San Dieguito Academy (SDS-D3-1)	17	Crean Lutheran (SS-D6-1)	9
Long Beach Poly (SS-D4-1)	20	Cleveland (LACS-D1-2)	9
Palisades (LACS-D1-1)	17	Birmingham (LACS-D1-3)	9

2019 SoCal Championships

Division I

FINALS

Harvard	11	Newport Harbor	10
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SEMI-FINALS

Harvard	10	Huntington Beach	9
Newport Harbor	12	Loyola	9

QUARTER-FINALS (FIRST ROUND)

Harvard (SS-D1-1)	13	San Clemente (SS-D2-2)	12
Loyola (SS-D1-3)	14	Cathedral Catholic (SDS-OD-2)	8
Huntington Beach (SS-D1-4)	11	The Bishop's School (SDS-OD-1)	7
Newport Harbor (SS-D1-2)	11	Foothill (SS-D2-1)	8

Division II

FINALS

Vista	17	Steele Canyon	15
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SEMI-FINALS

Vista	13	JSerra	9
Steele Canyon	10	La Jolla	5

QUARTER-FINALS

Vista (SDS-OD-3)	23	Palisades (LACS-D1-1)	12
JSerra (SS-D4-1)	12	Schurr (SS-D3-1[2*])	6
La Jolla (SDS-OD-4)	10	Westview (SDS-D1-1)	7
Steele Canyon (SDS-OD-5)	17	Northwood (SS-D3-2[3*])	11

* Note: Santa Barbara (SS-D3-1) declined to participate in this tournament, creating the adjusted seeding above.

Division III

FINALS

Mission Viejo	9	Mount Carmel	4
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SEMI-FINALS

Mission Viejo	14	Eagle Rock	4
Mount Carmel	12	Patrick Henry	9

QUARTER-FINALS

Mission Viejo (SS-D5-1)	14	Rancho Mirage (SS-D7-1)	4
Eagle Rock (LACS-D1-3)	9	Redlands (SS-D6-1[2*])	5
Patrick Henry (SDS-D2-1)	16	Granada Hills Charter (LACS-D1-4)	10
Mount Carmel (SDS-D3-1)	11	Cleveland (LACS-D1-2)	7

* Note: Crespi (SS-D6-1) declined to participate in this tournament, creating the adjusted seeding above.

2018 SoCal Championships

Division I

FINALS

Newport Harbor	10	Harvard	9
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SEMI-FINALS

Harvard	12	Loyola	9
Newport Harbor	17	The Bishop's School	5

QUARTER-FINALS (FIRST ROUND)

Harvard (SS-D1-1)	11	Mira Costa (SS-D2-2)	6
Loyola (SS-D1-4)	16	Cathedral Catholic (SDS-OD-1)	14
The Bishop's School (SDS-OD-2)	10	Oaks Christian (SS-D1-3)	9
Newport Harbor (SS-D1-2)	11	Foothill (SS-D2-1)	7

Division II

FINALS

Vista	11	La Jolla	10
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SEMI-FINALS

Vista	17	Servite	9
La Jolla	10	Grossmont	9

QUARTER-FINALS

Vista (SDS-OD-3)	15	Steele Canyon (SDS-D2-1)	7
Servite (SS-D3-1)	17	Canyon Crest Academy (SDS-D1-1)	8
La Jolla (SDS-OD-5)	11	Los Osos (SS-D3-2)	10
Grossmont (SDS-OD-4)	13	Santa Monica (SS-D4-1)	8

Division III

FINALS

Palisades	12	California	5
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SEMI-FINALS

California	10	Granada Hills Charter	5
Palisades	13	Valley View	10

QUARTER-FINALS

California (SS-D5-1)	16	Cleveland (LACS-D1-4)	5
Granada Hills Charter (LACS-D1-3)	8	Classical Academy (SDS-D3-1)	6
Valley View (SS-D6-1)	13	Birmingham (LACS-D1-2)	10
Palisades (LACS-D1-1)	15	Cathedral (SS-D7-1)	5

2017 SoCal Championships

Division I

FINALS

Mater Dei	12	Newport Harbor	4
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SEMI-FINALS

Mater Dei	10	Harvard	7
Newport Harbor	10	Oaks Christian	8

QUARTER-FINALS (FIRST ROUND)

Mater Dei (SS-D1-1)	14	Palisades (LACS-D1-1)	4
Newport Harbor (SS-D1-3)	17	La Jolla (SDS-OD-2)	5
Oaks Christian (SS-D1-2)	14	Vista (SDS-OD-3)	11
Harvard (SS-D1-4)	17	Coronado (SDS-OD-1)	5

Division II

FINALS

Orange Lutheran	14	Santa Margarita	8
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SEMI-FINALS

Orange Lutheran	11	Huntington Beach	18
Santa Margarita	12	Loyola	10

QUARTER-FINALS

Orange Lutheran (SS-D1-5)	22	Steele Canyon (SDS-D3-1)	7
Huntington Beach (SS-D1-8)	16	Grossmont (SDS-D1-1)	3
Santa Margarita (SS-D1-7)	18	Clairemont (SDS-D2-1)	2
Loyola (SS-D1-6)	20	Granada Hills Charter (LACS-D1-2)	2

FACTS ON TEAMS PARTICIPATING IN SOCAL CHAMPIONSHIPS DIVISION I 2017-2024

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<u>SCHOOL</u>	<u># of</u> <u>Apps.</u>	<u>W</u>	<u>L</u>	<u>1st</u> <u>App.</u>	<u>Last</u> <u>App.</u>	<u>Best</u> <u>Finish</u>	<u>Other</u> <u>Divisions</u>
The Bishop's School	6	1	6	2018	2024	Semi-F (2018)	--
Cathedral Catholic	5	2	5	2018	2024	Semi-F (2 times)	-2
Corona del Mar	2	0	2	2023	2024	Quarter-F (2 times)	--
Coronado	1	0	1	2017	2017	Quarter-F (2017)	-2
Foothill	3	0	3	2018	2022	Quarter-F (3 times)	--
Harvard	6	9	5	2017	2023	Champs (2019)	--
Huntington Beach	3	2	3	2019	2023	Semi-F (2 times)	-2
JSerra	3	9	0	2022	2024	Champs (3 times)	-2
Laguna Beach	1	0	1	2023	2023	Quarter-F (2023)	--
La Jolla	4	0	4	2017	2024	Quarter-F (4 times)	-2
Loyola	3	2	3	2018	2021	Semi-F (2 times)	-2
Mater Dei	3	6	2	2017	2022	Champs (2017)	--
Mira Costa	1	0	1	2018	2018	Quarter-F (2018)	-2
Newport Harbor	7	16	5	2017	2024	Champs (2 times)	--
Oaks Christian	3	2	3	2017	2024	Semi-F (2 times)	-2
Orange Lutheran	1	0	1	2022	2022	Quarter-F (2022)	-2
Palisades	1	0	1	2017	2017	Quarter-F (2017)	23
San Clemente	1	0	1	2019	2019	Quarter-F (2019)	-2
Vista	1	0	1	2017	2017	Quarter-F (2017)	-2
Westlake	1	0	1	2024	2024	Quarter-F (2024)	--

NOTE #1: Apps. means Appearances.

NOTE #2: The "Other Divisions" column is a cross-referencing tool indicating additional levels of playoff action. The code number in the column works like this: Palisades shows "23" meaning the school has also played in Division II and Division III.

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* Newport Harbor in Newport Beach/** Capistrano Valley in Mission Viejo/** Mater Dei in Santa Ana

(Note: CIF-SS divisional title games held Sat., Nov. 22, 2008)

FINALS (Sat., Nov. 29, 2008 *)

El Toro (D-I 2)	6	Santa Barbara (D-I SF)	4
Foothill (D-I 1) (3rd Place)	11	Mater Dei (D-II 1)	7

SEMI-FINALS (Sat., Nov. 29, 2008 *)

Santa Barbara (D-I SF)	9	Foothill (D-I 1)	5
El Toro (D-I 2)	7	Mater Dei (D-II 1)	6
Los Alamitos (D-I SF) (5th Place)	3	Newport Harbor (D-I QF)	1
Corona del Mar (D-I QF) (7th Place)	15	Cerritos (D-IV 1)	8

QUARTER-FINALS (Fri., Nov. 28, 2008) ("Loser Games" on Sat., Nov. 29, 2008)

Los Alamitos (D-I SF) *	12	Cerritos (D-IV 1)	8
Newport Harbor (D-I QF) *	10	Corona del Mar (D-I QF)	9
Foothill (D-I 1) **	14	Cerritos (D-IV 1)	7
Santa Barbara (D-I SF) **	9	Los Alamitos (D-I SF)	6
Mater Dei (D-II 1) ***	6	Newport Harbor (D-I QF)	3
El Toro (D-I 2) ***	18	Corona del Mar (D-I QF)	6

FIRST ROUND (Fri., Nov. 28, 2008)

Foothill (D-I 1) **	14	Katella (D-VII 1)	4
Cerritos (D-IV 1) **	12	Servite (D-II 2)	9
Santa Barbara (D-I SF) **	12	JSerra (D-II SF)	3
Los Alamitos (D-I SF) **	9	Villa Park (D-II QF)	8
Mater Dei (D-II 1) ***	15	Los Osos (D-V 1)	3
Newport Harbor (D-I QF) ***	18	Riverside Poly (D-II SF)	6
Corona del Mar (D-I QF) ***	11	Montebello (D-III 1)	8
El Toro (D-I 2) ***	20	Crescenta Valley (D-VI 1)	9

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QUARTER-FINALS (Fri., Nov. 28, 2008)

Servite (D-II 2) **	11	Katella (D-VII 1)	3
JSerra (D-II SF) **	14	Villa Park (D-II QF)	12
Riverside Poly (D-II SF) ***	12	Los Osos (D-V 1)	7
Montebello (D-III 1) ***	11	Crescenta Valley (D-VI 1)	10

SEMI-FINALS (Sat., Nov. 29, 2008 *)

Servite (D-II 2)	8	JSerra (D-II SF)	6
Riverside Poly (D-II SF)	8	Montebello (D-III 1)	7

FINALS (Sat., Nov. 29, 2008 *)

Servite (D-II 2)	10	Riverside Poly (D-II SF)	9
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2007 MASTERS TOURNAMENT

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(Note: CIF-SS divisional title games held Sat., Nov. 17, 2007)

FINALS (Sat., Nov. 24, 2007)

Los Alamitos (D-I SF)	10	El Toro (D-I SF)	9
Agoura (D-IV 1) (3rd Place)	9	Villa Park (D-II 1)	8

SEMI-FINALS (Sat., Nov. 24, 2007)

Los Alamitos (D-I SF)	8	Agoura (D-IV 1)	7
El Toro (D-I SF)	10	Villa Park (D-II 1)	4
Newport Harbor (D-I 1) (5th Place)	10	La Canada (D-III 1)	9
Corona del Mar (D-I QF) (7th Place)	10	Northwood (D-I 2)	5

QUARTER-FINALS (Fri., Nov. 23, 2007) ("Loser Games" on Sat., Nov. 24, 2007)

Newport Harbor (D-I 1)	13	Corona del Mar (D-I QF)	11
La Canada (D-III 1)	11	Northwood (D-I 2)	6
Los Alamitos (D-I SF)	6	Newport Harbor (D-I 1)	5
Agoura (D-IV 1)	7	Corona del Mar (D-I QF)	5
Villa Park (D-II 1)	7	La Canada (D-III 1)	5
El Toro (D-I SF)	16	Northwood (D-I 2)	7

FIRST ROUND (Fri., Nov. 23, 2007)

Newport Harbor (D-I 1)	19	Cerritos (D-VI 1)	5
Los Alamitos (D-I SF)	10	Servite (D-II SF)	9
Agoura (D-IV 1)	10	Foothill (D-I QF)	9
Corona del Mar (D-I QF)	7	Mater Dei (D-II 2)	5
Villa Park (D-II 1)	11	Riverside Poly (D-II SF)	4
La Canada (D-III 1)	13	Mira Costa (D-IV 2)	10
Northwood (D-I 2)	9	Montebello (D-III 2)	8
El Toro (D-I SF)	17	Murrieta Valley (D-V 2)	10

CONSOLATION BRACKET

QUARTER-FINALS (Fri., Nov. 23, 2007)

Servite (D-II SF)	19	Cerritos (D-VI 1)	7
Mater Dei (D-II 2)	8	Foothill (D-I QF)	7
Mira Costa (D-IV 2)	8	Riverside Poly (D-II SF)	7
Montebello (D-III 2)	7	Murrieta Valley (D-V 2)	5

SEMI-FINALS (Sat., Nov. 24, 2007)

Servite (D-II SF)	8	Mater Dei (D-II 2)	5
Montebello (D-III 2)	11	Mira Costa (D-IV 2)	9

FINALS (Sat., Nov. 24, 2007)

Servite (D-II SF)	8	Montebello (D-III 2)	7
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2006 MASTERS TOURNAMENT

William Woollett Jr. Aquatics Center, Irvine High School

(Note: CIF-SS divisional title games held Mon., Nov. 20-Tues., Nov. 21, 2006)

FINALS (Sat., Nov. 25, 2006)

Northwood (D-I 2)	11	El Toro (D-I 1)	7
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SEMI-FINALS (Sat., Nov. 25, 2006)

El Toro (D-I 1)	9	Santa Barbara (D-II 1)	8
Northwood (D-I 2)	8	Newport Harbor (D-I SF)	6

QUARTER-FINALS (Fri., Nov. 24, 2006)

El Toro (D-I 1)	19	La Canada (D-III 2)	12
Santa Barbara (D-II 1)	10	Mira Costa (D-IV 1)	9
Newport Harbor (D-I SF)	9	Villa Park (D-II SF)	6
Northwood (D-I 2)	10	Murrieta Valley (D-V 1)	9

FIRST ROUND (Fri., Nov. 24, 2006)

El Toro (D-I 1)	17	El Segundo (D-VI 2)	8
La Canada (D-III 2)	12	Ventura (D-II 2)	5
Santa Barbara (D-II 1)	13	Righetti (D-IV 2)	3
Mira Costa (D-IV 1)	9	Agoura (D-IV SF)	8
Newport Harbor (D-I SF)	10	Redlands (D-V 2)	1
Villa Park (D-II SF)	5	Harvard (D-I SF)	4
Murrieta Valley (D-V 1)	8	Montebello (D-III 1)	7
Northwood (D-I 2)	15	Cerritos (D-VI 1)	10

CONSOLATION BRACKET

QUARTER-FINALS (Fri., Nov. 24, 2006)

Ventura (D-II 2)	15	El Segundo (D-VI 2)	7
Agoura (D-IV SF)	11	Righetti (D-IV 2)	10
Harvard (D-I SF)	8	Redlands (D-V 2)	6
Montebello (D-III 1)	20	Cerritos (D-VI 1)	10

SEMI-FINALS (Sat., Nov. 25, 2006)

Agoura (D-IV SF)	12	Ventura (D-II 2)	8
Montebello (D-III 1)	11	Harvard (D-I SF)	7

FINALS (Sat., Nov. 25, 2006)

Montebello (D-III 1)	12	Agoura (D-IV SF)	11
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