

January 19, 2019

## **2019 BCSSRU PREMIER LEAGUE - schedule**

### **Competing teams**

St. Georges (St. G)  
Carson Graham (CG)  
Earl Marriott (EMS)  
Oak Bay (OB)  
Shawnigan (SLS)

The **round robin Premier schedule** below is based on Friday play days, though some of the play days may need to be altered. The games on April 5 and May 3 will double as “Stadium Series” games.

**Home team listed first.** Each team will play two home games and two away games.

### **Friday, April 5**

St. G vs SLS  
OB vs CG  
(EMS bye)

### **Friday, April 12**

EMS vs CG  
SLS vs OB  
(St. G bye)

### **Tuesday, April 16**

EMS vs OB  
(CG, St. G, SLS byes)

### **Wednesday, April 24**

CG vs St. G

### **Saturday, April 28-Sunday, April 29**

BC Tier 1 SEVENS (at St. Georges)

### **Friday, May 3**

CG vs SLS  
St. G vs EMS

(OB bye)

**Friday, May 10**

SLS vs EMS

OB vs St. G

(CG bye)

**Thursday, May 16** – LM, FV and Island zone semifinals

**Thursday, May 23** – LM, FV and Island zone finals

**Wednesday, May 29-June 1** - BC AA, AAA and AAAA tournaments

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**Important points of Information**

- 1) The top four finishers in Premier **league** play will qualify for the BC AAAA Tournament, regardless of performance in zone tournaments.
- 2) The fifth-place finisher in Premier league play will qualify for the BC AAA Tier 1 Tournament, **even if** this team then wins its zone AAA tournament.
- 3) All Premier league games will use the following point system.

4 points for a win

2 points for a draw

1 point for a loss by seven or fewer points

1 point for scoring four or more tries in a game

Should teams be tied on points after league play is complete, the tie break formulae will be as below

Two-way tie

a) head to head result

b) BCSSRU Tournament tiebreak formulae

Three-way tie

a) head to head results (if this produces a winner)

b) BCSSRU Tournament tiebreak formulae in those head to head games between the tied teams

Four or five-way tie

- a) head to head results (if this produces a winner)
  - b) BCSSRU Tournament tiebreak formulae in those head to head games between the tied teams
- 4) Results from zone tournament play **will** be factored in as required to seed for the BC AAAA tournament. For example, St. Georges may finish above Carson Graham in Premier **league** play, but then be beaten by Carson Graham in the LM zone tournament. This could/would result in Carson Graham then being seeded above St. Georges in the BC AAAA tournament.
  - 5) Premier teams will enter their respective zone AAA tournaments at the semi-final stage. Zone reps will confirm their zone tournament seeding protocol, though it is hoped that Premier teams will be ranked either first and/or second, or, if the sole Premier team from a zone, no lower than second.
  - 6) The BCSSRU Tier 1 Sevens competition is scheduled for April 27-28 at St. Georges. It is not mandatory that Premier teams attend this competition, as some may have prior exhibition 15 aside commitments.
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