

High School All-Star Basketball & Volleyball Action Live on NET Television

LINCOLN, Neb. (July 15, 2009) -- From all corners of Nebraska, the best high school basketball and volleyball players from the senior class of 2009 face-off respectively in a trio of annual statewide competitions.

All the action of the "Nebraska All-Star Girls and Boys Basketball" and "Nebraska All-Star Volleyball" contests will be broadcast live across the state on Monday, July 27, and Tuesday, July 28, on NET1 and in high-definition on NET-HD.

Between full-court presses, lay-ups and three-pointers, expect plenty of action when "Nebraska All-Star Girls Basketball" airs at 6 p.m. CT on Monday, July 27, followed by the "Nebraska All-Star Boys Basketball" contest at 8 p.m. CT. Then, on Tuesday, July 28, at 7 p.m. CT, get ready for all the spikes, blocks and kills of "Nebraska All-Star Volleyball."

Telecast from the North Star High School gymnasium in Lincoln, sportscaster Larry Puntenev will call the play-by-play action for both basketball games, assisted by former Creighton University basketball player Nick Bahe providing color.

Puntenev will team up with former Nebraska All-American volleyball standout Kathi Wieskamp to call the action for the volleyball competition from the same location.

Nebraska All-Star basketball and volleyball will also be webcast live on NET's Web site (netNebraska.org). All that is needed is access to the Internet and a free Windows Media Player program. Webcasting of the series is a free service of NET.

The Nebraska All-Star basketball and volleyball games are productions of NET Sports, Nebraska's Home for Sports, for broadcast on NET Television. NET1 and NET-HD are part of NET Television, a service of NET. For a complete program schedule, visit NET's Web site (netNebraska.org/television).

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