

**REDWOOD EMPIRE CONFERENCE
FOOTBALL 2026
ADOBE**

Preseason Coaches Meeting:

August 5th

First Day of Football Acclimation Period:

July 22nd

First Day of Practice:

August 10th

First Date schools can play in a scrimmage, provided individuals have had at least ten days of practice.

August 21st or 22nd

First date schools can play in a game, provided the team has had at least 14 days of practice and individuals have had at least 10 days of practice.

August 26th

Number of games: 10 games. One (1) scrimmage is permissible prior to the first interscholastic contest (league or non-league) of the season.

Post season/all-league selection meeting:

TBA

FRIDAY/SATURDAY, OCTOBER 9TH OR 10TH

Cardinal Newman at San Marin
American Canyon at St. Vincent
Windsor at Marin Catholic

FRIDAY/SATURDAY, OCTOBER 16TH OR 17TH

San Marin at American Canyon
St. Vincent at Windsor
Marin Catholic at Cardinal Newman

FRIDAY/SATURDAY, OCTOBER 23TH OR 24TH

American Canyon at Cardinal Newman
Windsor at San Marin
St. Vincent at Marin Catholic

FRIDAY/SATURDAY, OCTOBER 30th OR 31ST

San Marin at Marin Catholic
Cardinal Newman at St. Vincent
American Canyon at Windsor

FRIDAY/SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 6TH OR 7TH

Windsor at Cardinal Newman
Marin Catholic at American Canyon
St. Vincent at San Marin

Tie Breaking #TBA

NCS/Les Schwab Tires Championships

Final date for leagues to determine qualifiers: November 7

Final date for games other than NCS Championships: November 7

NCS Entry forms due November 7 by 10:00 PM

At Large meeting: November 8

NCS Championships: November 13-14; 20-21; 27-28

CIF Nor-Cal Regional Games: December 4-5

CIF State Bowl Games: December 11-12

Official ball sponsor: Wilson, NCS Staff Liaison: Bri Niemi, bniemi@cifnecs.org