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Houston County Sharks Advance to State Championships

HOUSTON COUNTY, GA – The Houston County Sharks have advanced to the 2019 State Wheelchair Championships for both the varsity and junior varsity teams. The American Association of Adapted Sports/Georgia High School Association championship tournament will be held this Saturday, Nov. 2, 2019, at the J.P. Moseley Recreation Center in Stockbridge, Ga. The Sharks play at noon and the Jr. Sharks at 2:00 p.m.



The schedule for the wheelchair handball state championship follows:

Time		Game	Teams	
Start	Finish		Away	Home
10:00 a.m.	11:30 a.m.	Game 1B - JV Semi-Final	Atlanta Wolfpack	Muscogee Lions
12:00 p.m.	1:30 p.m.	Game 2A - V Semi-Final	Wet Georgia Wolverines	Gwinnett Heat
12:00 p.m.	1:30 p.m.	Game 2B - V Semi-Final	DeKalb Silver Streaks	Houston Sharks
2:00 p.m.	3:30 p.m.	Game 3B - JV Final	Winner of Game 1B	Houston Jr. Sharks
3:30 p.m.	3:45 p.m.	Trophy Presentation		
4:00 p.m.	5:30 p.m.	Game 4B - Varsity Final	Winner of Game 2A	Winner of Game 2B
5:30 p.m.	5:45 p.m.	Trophy Presentation		

The Houston Sharks and Houston Jr. Sharks are both in first place in the wheelchair handball final standings. The complete rankings are:

Varsity:

- ★ 1st Place ~ Houston Sharks
- ★ 2nd Place ~ Gwinnett Heat
- ★ 3rd Place ~ West Georgia Wolverines
- ★ 4th Place ~ DeKalb Silver Streaks

Junior Varsity:

- ★ 1st Place ~ Houston Jr. Sharks
- ★ 2nd Place ~ Muscogee Lions
- ★ 3rd Place ~ Atlanta Wolfpack

In 2008, the Houston County Board of Education approved adding this adapted sports program to offer students with physical disabilities the opportunity to play wheelchair basketball, football and handball. The sports are sanctioned by the Georgia High School Association.

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