



Here are the **Weekly Top-10 Rankings** for all five levels of high school football in Alberta I for the 2024 season. These rankings will come out every Sunday (except for Labor Day kickoff) from now up until November 3. At that time those will be the last rankings and teams will take this rank into Provincials

The 12-a-side teams are slotted into their levels based on their estimated school size by the Alberta Schools' Athletic Association while the 9 and 6-a-side are one level only. Some re-sorting of 12-a-side levels will take place after the final official population numbers are recorded at the end of September. Please note that games vs. US opponents, scrimmages, or tournaments are not taken into consideration for ranking or listed in the overall record of the schools.

Should you have any questions about the rankings or listed teams please contact Football Alberta at (780)427-8108 or check out our website at [www.footballalberta.ab.ca](http://www.footballalberta.ab.ca).

## **WEEK #4 - 2024**

September 22, 2024

### **5A (School Pop. 1400 +)**

<b><u>Rank*</u></b>	<b><u>School &amp; Record</u></b>	<b><u>City/Town</u></b>	<b><u>Last Weeks Result and Upcoming Opponent</u></b>
1(1)	Harry Ainlay (5-0)	Edmonton	beat Salisbury 44-8 (next vs. Paul Kane)
2(2)	Raymond (4-1)	Raymond	beat George McDougall 37-0 (next week BYE)
3(3)	St. Francis (3-0)	Calgary	beat All Saints 35-6 (next vs. Henry Wise Wood)
4(4)	Salisbury (3-1)	Sherwood Park	lost to Harry Ainlay 8-44 (next vs. Bev Facey)
5(5)	Ernest Manning (2-2)	Calgary	beat Notre Dame (CGY) 28-27 (next vs. Centennial)
6(6)	Notre Dame (1-2)	Calgary	lost to Ernest Manning 27-28 (next vs. All Saints)
7(7)	L.C.I. (2-2)	Lethbridge	beat Medicine Hat 29-12 (next vs. Cardston)
8(8)	Notre Dame (3-0)	Red Deer	beat Stettler 56-28 (next week BYE)
9(9)	Henry Wise Wood (1-1)	Calgary	did not play (next vs. St. Francis)
10(10)	Jasper Place (3-2)	Edmonton	beat Paul Kane 17-14 (next vs. Ross Sheppard)

\* last week's rank in parentheses.

### **4A (School Pop. 800-1399)**

<b><u>Rank*</u></b>	<b><u>School &amp; Record</u></b>	<b><u>City/Town</u></b>	<b><u>Last Weeks Result and Upcoming Opponent</u></b>
1(1)	Holy Trinity Aca. (4-0)	Okotoks	beat Foothills 60-7 (next vs. Chinook)
2(2)	St. Joseph's (3-1)	Grande Prairie	beat Grande Prairie 46-13 (next vs. Fort McMurray)
3(4)	Hunting Hills (3-0)	Red Deer	beat Lindsay Thurber 24-2 (next vs. Stettler)
4(3)	Medicine Hat (2-2)	Medicine Hat	lost to L.C.I. 12-29 (next week BYE)
5(5)	George McDougall (3-2)	Airdrie	lost to Raymond 0-37 (next vs. Chestermere)
6(7)	Austin O'Brien (1-2-1)	Edmonton	beat Ross Sheppard 24-21 (next vs. Spruce Grove)
7(8)	Sturgeon (5-0)	Sturgeon County	beat St. Francis Xavier 41-0 (next vs. Ardrossan)
8(9)	Chinook (3-1)	Lethbridge	beat Catholic Central 42-7 (next vs. Holy Trinity Academy)
9(10)	Beaumont (4-0)	Beaumont	beat Ardrossan 58-6 (next week BYE)
10(6)	Bishop Carroll (1-1)	Calgary	lost to Scarlett/Central 7-20 (next vs. Joane Cardinal-Schubert)

### **3A (School Pop. 200 - 799)**

<b><u>Rank*</u></b>	<b><u>School &amp; Record</u></b>	<b><u>City/Town</u></b>	<b><u>Last Weeks Result and Upcoming Opponent</u></b>
1(1)	Holy Rosary (5-0)	Lloydminster	beat Cold Lake 70-0 (next vs. St. Paul)
2(2)	Sexsmith (2-0)	Sexsmith	beat Prince George (BC) 49-12 (next vs. Grande Prairie)
3(3)	W.R. Myers (3-1)	Taber	beat Willow Creek 36-29 (next vs. Crescent Hgts. (MH))
4(4)	Cochrane (3-1)	Cochrane	beat Springbank 28-13 (next week BYE)
5(5)	Cardston (4-1)	Cardston	beat Brooks 47-0 (next vs. L.C.I.)
6(6)	Sylvan Lake (2-2)	Sylvan Lake	beat Camrose 33-28 (next vs. Lindsay Thurber)
7(7)	St. Paul (4-0)	St. Paul	beat Bonnyville 31-3 (next vs. Holy Rosary)
8(9)	Canmore (3-0)	Canmore	beat Drumheller 31-7 (next vs. Olds)
9(10)	Olds (3-1)	Olds	beat Highwood 50-0 (next vs. Canmore)
10(8)	Drumheller (1-2)	Drumheller	lost to Canmore 7-31 (next week BYE)

### **9-a-side**

<b><u>Rank*</u></b>	<b><u>School &amp; Record</u></b>	<b><u>City/Town</u></b>	<b><u>Last Weeks Result and Upcoming Opponent</u></b>
1(1)	Ponoka (3-0)	Ponoka	beat Coaldale 43-24 (next vs. Pincher Creek)
2(-)	Wainwright (2-0)	Wainwright	beat Wetaskiwin 45-24 (next vs. Coaldale)
3(4)	Peace River (1-0)	Peace River	beat Whitecourt 39-0 (next vs. High Prairie)
4(3)	Valleyview (1-0)	Valleyview	did not play (next week BYE)
5(-)	Frank Maddock (1-1)	Drayton Valley	beat Pincher Creek 18-7 (next vs. Wetaskiwin)

### **6-a-side**

<b><u>Rank*</u></b>	<b><u>School &amp; Record</u></b>	<b><u>City/Town</u></b>	<b><u>Last Week Result and Upcoming opponent</u></b>
1(1)	J.C. Charyk (1-0)	Hanna	did not play (next vs. Breton)
2(2)	Holy Redeemer (2-0)	Edson	beat Breton 76-73 (next vs. Millwoods Christian)
3(3)	Millwoods Christian(2-0)	Edmonton	beat West Central 59-24 (next vs. Holy Redeemer)
4(4)	Breton (0-2)	Breton	lost to Holy Redeemer 73-76 (next vs. J.C. Charyk)
5(-)	West Central (0-1)	Rocky Mtn. Hs.	lost to Millwoods Christian 24-59 (next vs. Hinton)

### **ASAA GAME OF THE WEEK:**

#### **Rivalry Special**

**Bev Facey Falcons vs. #4 Salisbury Sabres**

**6:00 p.m. Friday, September 27, 2024, Emerald Hills Stadium (Sherwood Park)**

**Telus Optic TV Channel 1985**

Ok, so the Falcons aren't having their best season. Key injuries early in the season have made for a tough grind for Bev Facey through the tough Metro Edmonton Division I Conference. However, nothing brings the season around better than their annual "Battle of Sherwood Park" with their cross-town rivals, the Salisbury Sabres. Last year, Salisbury found themselves in a similar situation with a losing record yet rose to the occasion against the Falcons in this game, winning 27-4. Many luminaries from both programs, including former Falcon and current NFL running back Chuba Hubbard, have experienced this once in a season classic where huge passionate crowds cheer on the best of what high school football can offer. Emerald Hills has limited seating but a huge grass berm to accommodate overflow. Get there early unless you like sitting on the grass.

### **Rematch Special Honorable Mentions:**

#### **4A**

**#8 Chinook Coyotes at #1 Holy Trinity Academy Knights**

**6:00 p.m. Friday, September 27, 2024, Knights Field (Okotoks)**

Last year around this same time, the Knights were cruising along ranked #1 with an undefeated record and out of nowhere came the

Chinook Coyotes who handed them a shocking loss, 21-20, at home. Even more impressive for the Coyotes since only blue blood programs Raymond and Medicine Hat had accomplished the same feat as a visiting team since 2017. This year the venue is the same, but will the result be?

### **3A**

#### **#1 Holy Rosary Raiders at #7 St. Paul Lions**

**7:00 p.m. Friday, September 27, 2024, Lions Field (St. Paul)**

2023 was flowing along as per usual in the Wheatland League with another Holy Rosary Raider Championship on the horizon. That is until the St. Paul Lions showed up in the Championship game and shocked the province with a 19-15 upset of the Raiders. Both teams went on to win their respective levels of ASAA Provincial Championship, but that game still stings with the Raider program. Now with both teams in the same classification this will be a good test to see who might come out of the Northeast into Provincials this year.