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NEW SCHOOL/ATHLETIC DIRECTOR ORIENTATION

JULY 15, 2024
 GREENSBORO COLISEUM

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MISSION AND VISION

Mission

- To provide governance and leadership for interscholastic athletic programs in North Carolina that support and enrich the education experience of students

Vision

- To be the national model for developing and inspiring greatness through interscholastic athletic experiences

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MAKING A DIFFERENCE IN
YOUR SCHOOL**



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ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER, SPORTS AND CHAMPIONSHIPS

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Communication and Culture

- What will be the culture of your program
- Communication (Email, social media platform)
 - Clear
 - Concise
 - Purpose
 - Eric Boles – *If is cloudy in the pulpit, it is raining in the congregation*
- What will your standards be for all stakeholders
 - Coaches, players, parents,
 - Consequences for actions
- How will your program treat Visiting teams? Officials?
- Social Media Policy – Once posted it is permanent


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Negotiables vs. Non-Negotiables

- Title IX
- Practice Times for multiple teams
 - Sport in season has preference
- Bus Travel
 - Parents driving athlete's home
 - Athletes driving themselves to events
 - Athletes driving other athletes to and from events
- Coaches Meeting
- Coaches Handbook
- Student-Athlete Handbook
- County Policies


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Educating Others

- **Guidance Counselors**
 - Knowledge of academic eligibility rules
- **Parents and Athletes**
 - Attendance policy
 - Academic policy
 - Eligibility Video – available on your website
- **Coaches**
 - NCHSAA Weekly Memo (Tuesday)

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Resources


NCHSAA

Veteran ADs (be careful of those that tell you" Well this is how we have done it."

Easier to change "No" to a "Yes" than "Yes" to a "No"

Be willing to continue to learn
(NFHS Level 1, 2, and 3)
CAA and CMAA professional growth opportunities

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Reminders

1. Set up coaching staff in DragonFly on Admin and Public side
2. Eligibility Summaries
3. Report results in MaxPreps, MileSplit, NC Swimming
4. Complete Master Eligibility Sheets
5. Pole Vault Coaches
6. Reporting playoff results in proper location


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STUDENT PARTICIPATION RULES

A student shall not participate in interscholastic athletics on behalf of a North Carolina public school unless the student has satisfied the eligibility requirements


- PSUs are authorized to determine whether and to what extent students under their jurisdiction may participate in interscholastic athletics, not inconsistent with the requirements

Each PSU shall require the principal of a participating school to sign and date a list of eligible students for each sport

- The PSU shall maintain a copy of the most current list in the principal's office and the office of the superintendent

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RESIDENCY REQUIREMENTS


A student's primary residence shall be determined as follows:

- If the student lives with both parents, the residence of both parents
- If the student lives with a single parent, the residence of that parent
- If the student's parents are separated or divorced, the residence of the parent to whom a court of competent jurisdiction has awarded primary custody of the student
 - If no custody order has been entered, the student's primary residence shall be deemed to be that at which the student is residing more than half-time at the beginning of the school year
- If a student lives with an individual to whom a court of competent jurisdiction has awarded legal guardianship of the student, the residence of that individual
- If a student has been emancipated, the student's residence at the time of emancipation
- If a student is a foreign national participating in a foreign exchange program authorized by federal and state law, the residence to which the student is assigned by the program or host PSU

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RESIDENCY REQUIREMENTS


A student shall not participate in interscholastic athletics following a change in primary residence unless the change was made for a bona fide purpose and with the intent that it be permanent.

- An administering organization shall resolve, by a preponderance of the evidence, any disputes regarding a high school student's primary residence or whether a change in a student's primary residence was for a bona fide purpose

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ENROLLMENT REQUIREMENTS

A student who attends a school supervised by a local board of education shall only participate in interscholastic athletics on behalf of the school to which the student is assigned.


A student enrolled in a charter school, regional statewide public school, or school operated by the University of North Carolina shall meet all the enrollment criteria for that school and attend that school.

- A student shall not participate in interscholastic athletics on behalf of that school unless the student's primary residence is within either:
 - The county in which the school is located, or
 - Twenty-five miles of the school as determined by an administering organization

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ENROLLMENT REQUIREMENTS

A local board of education may by policy allow a person who is enrolled in Grade 6 through 12 in a home school and whose primary residence is within the board's jurisdiction to participate in interscholastic athletics on behalf of a participating school under the board's jurisdiction.

- The board must agree to cover any such person whom it allows to participate under its catastrophic athletic accident insurance policy or verifies that the person is independently covered by catastrophic accident insurance

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TRANSFER REQUIREMENTS


After a student's initial entry into Grade 9, and absent a change in residence for a bona fide purpose:

- Transfers from one school to another school within the same PSU shall not participate in interscholastic athletics for 365 calendar days following the student's enrollment in the new school
- The PSU may adopt policy allowing immediate eligibility
- Transfers from a school in one PSU to a school in a different PSU shall not participate in interscholastic athletics for 365 calendar days following the student's enrollment in the new school
- Mutual agreement will grant immediate eligibility

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TRANSFER REQUIREMENTS

After a student's initial entry into Grade 9, if a student transfers to a new school within 365 calendar days after that school hires a coach for an interscholastic athletics team who was previously employed as a coach for an equivalent sport by the school from which the student is transferring, the student shall be ineligible to participate in interscholastic athletics for that sport for 365 calendar days following the student's enrollment in the new school.


- An administering organization may waive this restriction if it determines by a preponderance of the evidence that the student's transfer was for a bona fide purpose

A student who receives priority enrollment as the child of a full-time employee of a charter school shall not be eligible to participate in interscholastic athletics for that charter school if DPI determines that the parent's employment was a fraudulent basis for the student's priority enrollment

- A student determined to be ineligible shall be ineligible to participate in interscholastic athletics for 365 calendar days following discovery of the violation

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TRANSFER REQUIREMENTS

- Transfers from a public school to a nonpublic school within 365 calendar days transfers to a different public school, the transfer from the nonpublic school shall be treated as a transfer from a public school
- Transfers to NCSSM are exempt
- No student shall participate in more than one season of interscholastic athletics per year in the same sport, regardless of the school on behalf of which the student participated

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SCHOLASTIC REQUIREMENTS (ATTENDANCE)

A student must be in good academic standing.

- The student attended at least 85 percent of the total number of instructional days in the PSU during the previous semester
- The student passed at least 70 percent of the courses taken in the preceding semester
- The student is making sufficient progress toward meeting the academic and curricular requirements of the PSU and the State Board of Education to be promoted to the next grade level or to graduate within the next calendar year

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SCHOLASTIC REQUIREMENTS


Determining good academic standing during the fall semester, a student may count courses passed in a summer school session

- Student was enrolled in the course during the same calendar year
- Summer school courses shall not affect the total number of courses attempted in the preceding spring semester

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SCHOLASTIC REQUIREMENTS

A student who is promoted from Grade 8 to Grade 9 shall be deemed to have satisfied the requirements to participate in the first semester of Grade 9

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 **AGE REQUIREMENT**


Shall not participate on a high school team if the student becomes 19 years of age on or before August 31 of that school year

- Each PSU shall determine the age of a student participating in interscholastic athletics based on a preponderance of the evidence known to the PSU

A student who is ineligible to participate at one grade level due to age shall be eligible to participate at the next higher grade level only, provided that a student:

- Shall be eligible to participate at the high school level for no more than eight consecutive semesters
- Begins with the student's initial entry into Grade 9

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 **BIOLOGICAL REQUIREMENTS**

All teams participating in interscholastic or intramural athletic activities shall comply

- Each team shall be expressly designated by the biological sex of the team participants as one of the following:
 - Males, men, or boys
 - Females, women, or girls
 - Coed or mixed
- Athletic teams designated for females, women, or girls shall not be open to students of the male sex
- A student's sex shall be recognized based solely on the student's reproductive biology and genetics at birth

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MEDICAL REQUIREMENTS

To be eligible to participate in interscholastic athletics, a student shall receive a medical examination every 395 days


- Licensed physician, nurse practitioner, or physician assistant

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FELONY

A student shall not participate in interscholastic athletics after pleading guilty or "no contest" to, or being convicted of, a felony under the laws of North Carolina, the United States, or any other state


- Prior to deeming the student ineligible, an administering organization shall receive a certified copy of a criminal record reflecting the conviction and verify that the student is the same individual identified in the criminal record

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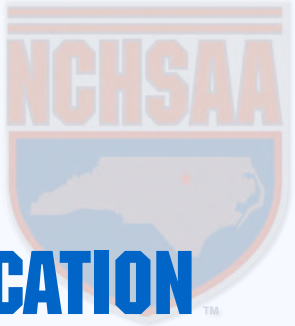


An administering organization shall, in an individual student's case, waive any eligibility requirement it finds that enforcing the requirement:

- fails to promote academic progress, health, safety, and fair play
- works an undue hardship on a student who has lost eligibility due to circumstances that made participation impossible, such as prolonged illness or injury
- prevents the reasonable accommodation of a student's disability, as required by the Americans with Disabilities Act, 42 U.S.C. 12101 et seq

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AMATEUR RULES

The phrase "name, image, or likeness" or "NIL" shall refer to the use of a student's name, image, or likeness for commercial purposes and in exchange for compensation to the student.

- May include cash, in-kind gifts, or other tangible benefits to the student

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AMATEUR RULES

No student participating in interscholastic athletics shall enter into any agreement to use the student's name, image, or likeness in any of the following ways:

- Public appearances or commercials
- Autograph signings
- Athletic camps and clinics
- Sale of non-fungible tokens ("NFTs")
- Product or service endorsements
- Promotional activities, including in-person events and social media advertisements

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AMATEUR RULES


A student shall not participate in interscholastic athletics after any of the following:

- Graduation from high school
- Except that the student may continue to participate in playoff and state championship contests in spring sports after graduation
- Signing a professional athletic contract
- Except that the student may continue to participate in any sport for which the student has not signed a professional contract

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AMATEUR RULES CONTINUED

Receiving remuneration as a participant in an athletic contest, except that the student may accept a gift, merchandise, or other thing of value, provided that:

- The value does not exceed two hundred-fifty dollars (\$250.00) per student per season
- The item is totally consumable and nontransferable, or labeled in a permanent manner (e.g., an engraved or monogrammed item)
- The item is approved by the principal of the student's school and the local superintendent


Participating on an all-star team or in all-star game or bowl game that is not sanctioned by the administering organization of which the student's school is a member

- The student shall be ineligible only for that sport

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AMATEUR RULES

A student shall not be deemed ineligible for payment by an administering organization, PSU, or athletic booster club affiliated with the student's school or PSU for essential expenses arising from a specific interscholastic athletic contest in which the student participates.

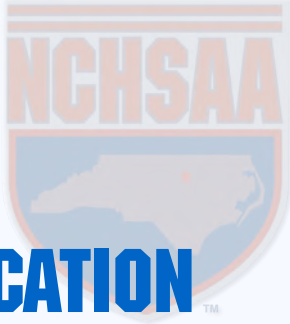
- Essential expenses shall include the reasonable cost of meals, lodging, and transportation

A student shall not be deemed ineligible for receipt of a nominal, standard fee or salary for instructing, supervising, or officiating an organized youth sports program, recreational activities, playground, or camp, whether or not affiliated with a PSU.

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RECRUITING AND UNDUE INFLUENCE

No student, coach, professional educator, or other employee of a PSU or administering organization shall subject a student to undue influence by any other student, coach, principal, local superintendent, or other PSU employee for the purpose of inducing or causing the student to transfer from one participating school to another to participate in interscholastic athletics on behalf of the receiving school.

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RECRUITING AND UNDUE INFLUENCE


Undue influence means communication or conduct undertaken for the purpose and intent of soliciting or encouraging a student to enroll in a participating school, including the following:

- Initiating or arranging communication or contact in any form, including letters, email, or phone calls, with the student or a member of the student's family
- Visiting or entertaining the student or a member of the student's family
- Providing or arranging for transportation for the student or member of the student's family to visit a participating school or meet with anyone associated with the participating school
- Communicating to a student or a member of the student's family, either implicitly or explicitly, that a participating school's athletic program or sports team is superior to that of another participating school, or that it would be advantageous for the student to participate in athletics at a specific participating school. Such communication may be oral, written, or audiovisual in format

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RECRUITING AND UNDUE INFLUENCE



A party alleging undue influence shall direct the initial inquiry or report to the appropriate administering organization in accordance with the procedures adopted by the administering organization


- The party alleging undue influence bears the burden of proving undue influence by a preponderance of the evidence

If the administering organization finds by a preponderance of the evidence that the accused party has engaged in undue influence

- The administering organization shall impose penalties

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MASTER ELIGIBILITY SHEETS



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Requirements

- All students must be eligible prior to dressing or participating in any interscholastic contest, whether the NCHSAA sponsors a championship in that sport
- No student shall be listed on the sheet unless and until documents substantiating eligibility are on file with the school
- The Master Eligibility Sheet should be used for each sport and shall list all players, varsity and junior varsity, participating in that sport
- A copy should be on file at the school prior to the first regular season contest
- Not required to be on file with the NCHSAA but made available upon request
- Required to be shared among conference schools in each sport

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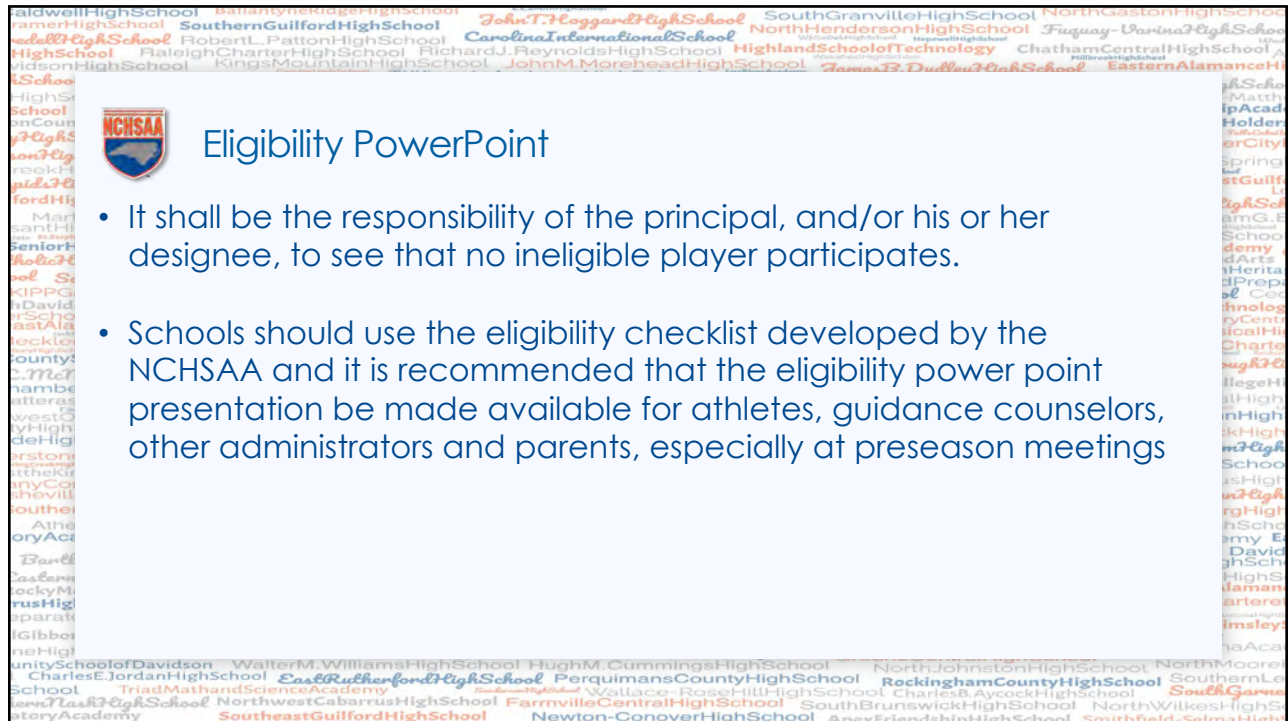


Completing the Sheet

- When completing Master Eligibility Sheets, if a student's parent(s) or legal custodian(s) does not live within the boundary, please make all required entries and enter one of the following eligibility criteria on the second page:
 - Student is eligible based on PSU or LEA assignment
 - Two PSU or LEAs mutually agree
 - Has received a waiver by the NCHSAA or through SBOE appeals process

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NCHSAA Eligibility PowerPoint

- It shall be the responsibility of the principal, and/or his or her designee, to see that no ineligible player participates.
- Schools should use the eligibility checklist developed by the NCHSAA and it is recommended that the eligibility power point presentation be made available for athletes, guidance counselors, other administrators and parents, especially at preseason meetings

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NCHSAA Eligibility Summary Reports

- **Submission through DragonFly**
 - September 1 (Fall)
 - December 1 (Winter)
 - March 15 (Spring)
- **Purpose**
 - Certifies that all pre-season meetings have been conducted
 - Certifies that student-athletes and their parents have signed the sportsmanship pledge and certifies that their student-athletes are eligible in all respects
 - Certifies coaches have signed the "Code of Conduct for Coaches" and viewed the Eligibility Video
 - Certifies that each school has an updated Emergency Action Plan
 - Certifies all coaches, student-athletes, and parents have viewed the "CrashCourse" Concussion Video prior to participation

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HEALTH AND SAFETY

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HEALTH

- PPE
- Return to Play after Illness and Injury (non-concussion)
- Forms located on NCHSAA.ORG → SCHOOLS → Health & Safety
- Personnel
 - Licensed Athletic Trainer
 - First Responder
 - Compliance Reporting in DragonFly

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HEAD

- Gfeller-Waller Concussion Awareness Act
 - Pre-season education
 - Post-injury plan
 - EAPs
- CrashCourse Video Viewing


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HEART

- All coaches, regardless of status, must be certified in CPR / AED use
- AED access
- AED maintenance


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HEAT

- Acclimatization Guidelines
- Scientifically-approved device to measure WBGT
- Cool first, transport second
- Weather disturbances and where to evacuate

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POINTS OF EMPHASIS FOR 2024-2025

- Emergency Action Planning is critical, and a pre-game EAP review should be done before every contest
- Wrestling
 - Weigh-in sheets must be retained for the duration of the season
 - Weights must be entered into TrackWrestling within 24 hours of a match

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COACHING REQUIREMENTS

ELIGIBILITY SUMMARY REPORTS

PENALTY CODE

REPORTING PLATFORM

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Required Coaches Education

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| <p>NFHS Fundamentals of Coaching</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Prior to first contest * One time only <p>NFHS Concussion in Sports</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * All Coaches * Prior to first practice * Annual Requirement <p>NCHSAA Eligibility PowerPoint</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * All Coaches * Prior to first practice <p>NCHSAA Rules Clinic</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Head Varsity Coach * Prior to first play date * Annual requirement | <p>Crash Course in Concussion Video</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * All coaches * Prior to first practice * Annual requirement <p>CPR/AED Certified</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * ALL Coaches * Must maintain certification |
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Penalty Code

3.3 Page 49 of current handbook

Level 1 Infractions

- Reprimand (Three Level 1 Infractions result in automatic probation)

Level 2 Infractions

- Probation (Two Level 2 offenses may result in forfeitures or suspensions)


Level 3 Infractions

- Forfeiture (Two Level 3 offenses may result in suspension of head coach)

Level 4 Infractions

- Suspension (Two Level 4 offenses within an athletic program or by a team may result in playoff sanctions; e.g. suspension from playoffs, loss of home contests during playoffs, etc.)

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DragonFly
Data Management Platform

Required School Information in DragonFly

- All Contact Information for Administrators/Coaches/School Personnel
- Coaches Education Tracking
- Home Game Schedules
- Forms Submitted to NCHSAA
 - Vault
 - Game Schedules

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State Championships and Invitationals

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| Football (4) | M Basketball (4) | Baseball (4) |
| M Cross Country (4) | W Basketball (4) | Softball (4) |
| W Cross Country (4) | M Swimming (3) | M Lacrosse (2) |
| Volleyball (4) | W Swimming (3) | W Lacrosse (2) |
| M Soccer (4) | M Indoor Track (3) | M Track and Field (4) |
| W Golf (3) | W Indoor Track (3) | W Track and Field (4) |
| W Tennis (4) | M Wrestling (4) | M Golf (4) |
| | | W Soccer (4) |
| | | M Tennis (4) |

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Conferences

- Sets own Constitution and by-laws for regular season
- President and/or secretary responsible for submitting standings for post-season
- All-Conference teams and awards governed by conference
- Forfeitures handled at the conference level
- To join a conference, new schools must field minimum of sports
- Know who your Conference President/Secretary are

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Athletic Contracts

- A standard contract is recommended for use in all sports for non-conference competition (with two-year terms for football and basketball).
- The standard contract template may be found on the NCHSAA website.
 - All provisions of the contract must be fulfilled by both parties unless canceled by mutual agreement.
 - The NCHSAA has no responsibility for enforcing oral contracts.

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Unplayed Games and Forfeited Games

- If a conference school plays a part of its schedule, and then withdraws from competition leaving unplayed games, the NCHSAA Board of Directors shall have power, at its discretion, to declare official forfeitures of all unplayed conference games
- A contract should be in place for all non-conference games
- The contract should stipulate the remedy for an unplayed contest(s)
- Absent a signed contract, no forfeiture shall be awarded without mutual agreement

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Composite Teams

- No membership entity may use students of two or more of its regularly constituted high schools, which offer an athletic program, to form a “composite team.”
- A PSU, by local policy, may choose to assign its specialty school students, who meet all other eligibility requirements, to participate in athletics at a regularly constituted high school provided the specialty school does not have an athletic program.
- Specialty schools in a PSU could include schools with special courses of study, early or middle colleges, STEM/STEAM schools, magnet schools, virtual schools, etc. and these schools may or may not be housed on campus.
 - **Note:** The enrollment of that specialty school must be counted for realignment and classification purposes when other students are assigned to regularly constituted high schools.

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Game Rules

- All high schools participating in interscholastic athletics shall use the game rules as set forth by the NFHS.
- Golf and tennis shall use USGA and USTA rules respectively, except where local modifications apply.

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Practice Time

- There shall be no athletic practice during the regular school day. This means no individual or team practice may begin until after the last regularly scheduled instructional period.
- No authorized practice, contest, or workouts may occur during the workday for teachers during the ten-month teaching calendar, and coaches may not use their vacation or leave time to hold a practice during the teacher workday.
 - **Exception:** if a superintendent gives permission for schools in his/her unit to practice prior to the end of a workday due to inclement weather only.
- On the day following the end of the academic school year calendar, non-mandatory teacher workdays are governed by local policy. This rule also applies to non-faculty coaches.
- Team practice in any sport is prohibited after the sports season ends until the first day following the final student day of the school year.

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Regular Season Starting Times

- The starting time for all regular season games in all sports shall be determined by the home team, within certain limits
 - A contest may not usually begin until after the last regularly scheduled instructional period
 - Recommended starting time in regular season is no earlier than 5:00 pm for baseball, lacrosse, softball, volleyball and soccer
 - Unless otherwise noted, if an event is held on campus or on school property, the host team is considered the "home" team
 - Unless otherwise noted, if an event is held off campus (golf course, etc.), the host team is designated the home team
 - The contest may begin before the last regularly scheduled period if a "host" team is involved, but schools are still urged to minimize loss of school time
 - This rule is designed to be used only if the operator of the facility dictates an early starting time to the host school

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Post-Season Starting Times

- Playoff games are under the auspices of the NCHSAA.
- **Monday-Friday:** Contests are set for 7:00 p.m. except for football, which is 7:30 p.m.
 - Teams may play at 6:00 p.m. if mutually agreed upon.
 - Game time will be 6:00 p.m. if the visiting team is over 100 miles one-way
 - Any deviation from this must be approved by the NCHSAA.
- **Saturday:** Teams may play at any time if mutually agreed upon.
 - If teams cannot mutually agree, the higher seeded team may choose a starting time between 1:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m.
 - Between 1:00 p.m. and 6:00 p.m. if the visiting team is over 100 miles one-way.
- Schools may play earlier than the playoff date designated on the bracket by mutual agreement.

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Sunday Participation

- No participation under the auspices of the NCHSAA may be staged on Sunday, except for certain cases approved by the NCHSAA Board of Directors in playoffs and championships.
- There shall be no Sunday practice, conditioning or skill development in any sport. This includes the assembling of athletic squads (full teams or selected individuals) for purposes of viewing films, chalk talks, or other materials pertaining to the coaching of the team.

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Postponed Games

- Any single contest postponed because of emergency reasons (bad weather, epidemics, heating system failure, mid-term exams, or unavoidable mishaps) may be rescheduled and played
- No more than three contests may be played in a single week even with postponements and rescheduling (see weekly limits below and exceptions for volleyball, baseball, tennis, basketball and softball)
- Postponed games will be made up in the order of postponement on the next possible date; During the regular season, Saturday will not be used as a makeup day unless mutually agreed upon by the two schools involved, except for the 11th playing date in football

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Postponed Games

- Unless approved by the NCHSAA, a postponed game may not be played after the reporting deadline for playoffs.
- When a playoff game is postponed and then rescheduled, the principals of both schools, along with the NCHSAA, should be involved with the decision.
- Saturdays must be used as makeup days for playoffs.

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Suspended Games

- NCHSAA uses the suspended game rule in all sports where appropriate
- If a contest is suspended at any point, it is resumed from the point of interruption unless the teams mutually agree to terminate the game with the existing score (see Baseball 4.2.1 (m), Lacrosse 4.7.1 (m), Soccer 4.8.1 (I) and Softball 4.9.1 (I) for specific applications in those sports)
- A suspended game may be continued in another week and not count against the weekly limitations


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Season Limitations

- All regular season games and conference tournaments must be completed before the playoff reporting date
- The season ends for all sports with the reporting deadline or when defeated in the state playoffs
 - NOTE: A conference tournament, if held, may be held at any time during the regular season. It does not have to be a culminating event for the regular season unless specified by conference bylaws.
 - Exceptions for postponed contests which have a bearing on conference standings (for awards, Wells Fargo points, etc.) or which are important money games for the schools involved may be requested through the NCHSAA
- The opening date for practice, the authorized date for the first game, and the number of regular season contests allowed for each sport are specified under individual sports headings

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Sports Seasons

- The sports season for a school is defined as that period which begins with the opening date of practice (as called for by each individual school) and goes through the reporting deadline or a team's final playoff game in a particular sport.
- Sports seasons have been created to provide balance to the athletic calendar so that students have an opportunity to compete in a variety of sports throughout the school year.


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Skill Development

- Any competition with outside teams in an Off-Season Skill Development Session is prohibited during the academic school year calendar, inclusive of all weekends, holidays, workdays, etc.
- On a given day, an athlete is limited to 1.5 hours of skills development or weight training/conditioning during the academic school year calendar, inclusive of all weekends, holidays, workdays, etc. Skill development sessions are not to exceed 1.5 hours in duration including flex time (stretching), meetings, video review and breaks

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Skill Development

- Skill Development Sessions are allowed but shall not be held during any tryout period of an in-season sport
- A list of the 2024 – 2025 Dead Periods can be found on the NCSHAA Sports Calendar on the NCHSAA website under Schools and Parent and Students

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Skill Development

- All skill development sessions must be voluntary and open to all students with a current and valid pre-participation physical examination in compliance with regulation 2.2.14
- At no time may a coach require of any student off-season skill development sessions as a measure of continued participation on a team. Any coach who promotes the idea that taking part in off-season practice is required is blatantly out of compliance with the intent and purpose of this rule
- Skill development sessions are open only to students enrolled at that school

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Skill Development

- Any individual who coaches at an NCHSAA member high school, head or assistant, paid or non-paid, faculty or non-faculty, parent volunteer, etc., must abide by the skill development, out-of-season workout rules
- If a high school coach, regardless of the sport he or she coaches at the high school, also coaches an outside team (non-school or club team) outside the sports season but during the school year and has any students from the high school on that outside team, the coach is prohibited from working with any of those students during a dead period
- Coaches coaching an outside team either during the sports season or outside the sports season, but during the school year, must still abide by the number's restrictions (one less than a team)

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Summer Regulations


- During the summer, coaches are free to work with individual or multiple players, from their school or their feeder schools, conduct practices, etc. Once practice for the fall sports season begins, skill development restrictions are in place
- To participate in summer work-outs, students must have a current and valid pre-participation physical examination
- At no time may a coach require of any student off-season skill development sessions as a measure of continued participation on a team
- Any coach who promotes the idea that taking part in off-season practice is required is blatantly out of compliance with the intent and purpose of this rule

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 **Summer Dead Periods**


- During the “Summer Dead Periods” no NCHSAA member school-sponsored activities may be organized or conducted by any NCHSAA coach or school staff member (whether full-time, part-time, or volunteer) that involve students at NCHSAA member schools. School-sponsored activities include any of the following (i.e. these activities MAY NOT be done)
 - Activities, other than Third-Party Outings and Bona Fide Competitions (both as defined below), conducted (1) at any NCHSAA member school; or (2) at any location if the activity is organized or controlled by an NCHSAA member school, coach or staff member (whether full-time, part-time or volunteer) (e.g., summer skills development or camps, open facilities, conditioning exercises, laps around the school track, etc.)
 - Activities at any location where attendance by students is deemed mandatory, whether actual or perceived (e.g., coach organizes an event away from school property and states, suggests or implies in any way that any students not attending will suffer consequences of any kind ... whether this means making a team, enjoying playing time, becoming team captain, etc.)

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 **Summer Dead Periods**

- Examples of activities that would be considered “non-school-sponsored activities” and MAY be done:
 - Third-Party Outings: Coach or staff member takes students to a third-party camp at a non-NCHSAA member school (e.g., college-sponsored summer skills or team camp, etc.) where attendance by students is NOT deemed mandatory, whether actual or perceived (as described above)
 - Bona Fide Competitions: An organized league is conducted through a bona fide third-party organization where (1) the organization purchases appropriate liability insurance and pays for all game-related expenses (e.g., facilities, staffing, etc.); (2) students are not required to attend or participate; (3) student transportation is not provided by NCHSAA member school vehicles; and (4) students use their own equipment.

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Weight Training and Conditioning

- During the academic year, a program of weight training is permitted at any time, except for the last five student days of the first semester and the last ten student days of the second semester.
- Personnel knowledgeable in this area should always be on hand to observe the proper techniques are followed in the weight training and conditioning workouts

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Game Day Administrator

- A gameday administrator is required and shall be the host school's representative with oversight of all aspects of the athletic contest relative to facilities, health and safety, hospitality and emergency management coordination, etc.
- The gameday administrator shall be the athletic director of the host school of an athletic event
- If the athletic director is unavailable, he/she should designate a staff member to be the gameday administrator
- If no additional personnel are available during the contest, the head coach of the home team shall be the gameday administrator
- A gameday administrator is required for all 7-on-7 events in football


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Officiating

- NCHSAA
 - Mark Dreibelbis, Interim Director of Officiating
 - NCHSAA Officiating Oversight
- Regional Supervisors
 - Recruit, Train, Assign, Evaluate, Retain
- Game Officials
 - Boots on the Ground


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Officiating

- Must provide a place to park for the officials
- Should greet the officials upon arrival (Student leadership group representative or an individual that would allow AD to take care of other duties at halftime and after the game)
- Designate a game administrator for the contest. The game administrator must participate in pre-game coordination with the game officials
- If no game administrator is available or identified, the head coach will be designated and recorded as the game administrator


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Officiating

- Escort the officials to their dressing room
- Work toward improving dressing facilities for officials, especially in privacy
 - 2024-2025 Host tagline: (would you put the visiting principal and /or superintendent in the same area that you place the officials?)
- Provide the officials with an escort off the field and court (required in football, basketball and soccer)
- Schools should have a plan in place to ensure a safe and respectful exit for the game officials to a secure area
- Must submit schedules to regional supervisors by approved deadlines

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Officiating

- Game fees and fees that are to be paid to the regional supervisor to assign your games can be found in the NCHSAA handbook 3.4
- All regional supervisors are listed by sport
- The schools assigned to each regional supervisor is listed on the NCHSAA website under
 - Officiating>Regional Supervisors>Sport>Schools Assigned
- All information on officiating can be found in this section of the handbook

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Sportsmanship and Ejection Policy

- This policy applies to all persons involved in an athletic contest, including student-athletes, coaches, managers and game administrators.
- The NCHSAA may review video, when available, to invoke ejections or sanctions not reported by game officials. Video clips must be presented to the NCHSAA office for committee review within two (2) business days of the contest.

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Sportsmanship and Ejection Policy

- The following examples include behavior or conduct which will result in an ejection from a contest:
 - Fighting, which includes, but is not limited to, combative acts such as:
 - An altercation between 2 or more parties that includes swinging, hitting, punching and/or kicking;
 - An attempt to strike an opponent with a fist, hands, arms, legs, feet, or equipment;
 - An attempt to punch or kick an opponent, regardless of whether or not contact is made;
 - An attempt to instigate a fight by committing an unsportsmanlike act toward an opponent that causes an opponent to retaliate;

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Sportsmanship and Ejection Policy

- The following examples include behavior or conduct which will result in an ejection from a contest:
 - Leaving the bench area -- coming on to the playing area illegally;
 - Flagrant contact, which includes, but is not limited to, combative acts such as:
 - Maliciously running over the catcher/fielder without attempt to avoid contact
 - Excessive contact out-of-bounds or away from playing action that is unwarranted and extreme in nature
 - Tackling/taking down a player dangerously in a malicious manner
 - Illegally hitting or cross-checking an opponent in an excessive manner with the stick in lacrosse;

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Sportsmanship and Ejection Policy

- The following examples include behavior or conduct which will result in an ejection from a contest:
 - Biting observed or determined by an official;
 - Taunting, baiting or spitting toward an opponent or official;
 - Profanity, inappropriate language, racial/ethnic slurs, sexist, or homophobic language;
 - Obscene gestures, including gesturing in such a manner as to intimidate or instigate;
 - Disrespectfully addressing an official (physically contacting an official is subject to automatic expulsion and can result in ineligibility for remainder of career); or,
 - Use of tobacco products, alcoholic beverages, or other controlled substances.

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Ejection Penalties – Scrimmages

- Coach or student-athlete is suspended from the remainder of the scrimmage - this is inclusive of multiple scrimmage events on the same day (jamboree).
- Student-athlete must complete the NFHS "Sportsmanship" course before being eligible to compete in next scrimmage or contest.
- Coach must complete the NFHS "Teaching and Modeling Behavior" course for any student-athlete or coach ejection during the scrimmage.

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Ejection Penalties

- Ejection Penalty - A membership entity shall impose at least the following penalties on a student, coach, or school official who is ejected from an interscholastic athletic contest:
 - For the first offense, the person shall be reprimanded and suspended from participating in the next game at that level of play (varsity or junior varsity);
 - For a second offense, the person shall be placed on probation and suspended for the next two games at that level of play (varsity or junior varsity);
 - For a third offense, the person shall be suspended for one calendar year; and
 - A coach who is suspended shall not coach any team for any grade level during the period of suspension

Penalties are cumulative from sport to sport and from sport season to sport season. If a member of the school's coaching staff is not present to assume an ejected coach's duties, the contest shall be terminated by a forfeit


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Ejection Penalties

- Penalties are not cumulative academic year to academic year.
- Ejected student-athletes may practice during their suspensions but may not play.
- Ejected coaches may not be on the premises for a contest. The coach must leave the premises (press box, bleachers, adjacent field, etc.) and must not have any type of contact with the team.
- Student-athletes who are disqualified or ejected during a contest will remain in the team area for supervision.


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Ejection Penalties

- Anytime a student-athlete or coach is ejected from a contest, he or she does not participate or coach the remainder of that day.
- The coach is not permitted to be at the game site during his or her suspension, but the student-athlete is allowed at the game site.

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Ejection Penalties

- Any student-athlete or administrator who is ejected from a contest is required to complete the NFHS “Sportsmanship” course before being eligible to return to competition.
- Any coach who is ejected from a contest must take the NFHS “Teaching and Modeling Behavior” course before being eligible to return to competition.
- If a team has student-athletes ejected due to fighting, the head coach must take the NFHS Learning Course “Teaching and Modeling Behavior”. **It must be completed before coaching in the next game.**

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EJECTION REPORT IN DRAGONFLY

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Ejection Report

Contest Information

Ejection Report

Participants: NCHSAA Conference Administrators vs NCHSAA | North Carolina High School Athletic Association
Sports: Varsity Boys Basketball
Contest Date: 07/10/2024 @ 7:00:00 PM EDT
Host Team: NCHSAA | North Carolina High School Athletic Association

Reporting Official Information

Reporting Official's Info

Name of Regional Supervisor


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EJECTION COMPLETION IN DRAGONFLY



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SANCTIONING

Does My Event Need Sanctioning?

Step 1: Determine participants (number of schools and/or states). LEFT SIDE (Can only be 1 box)

Step 2: Once participants have been determined, determine event type. TOP ROW

Step 3: Choose all applicable boxes for your event. (Could be multiple boxes)

Step 4: If at anytime the event matches to a red, the event must be NFHS sanctioned.

Step 5: If the event matches a blue and no reds, the event must be NCHSAA Interstate sanctioned

Step 6: If the event matches only yellow, the event does not need sanctioning.

| | Only NC schools involved | Event only involves state(s) that border NC (GA, SC, TN and VA) | Event has at least 1 non-bordering state involved | International team or school involved | Event co-sponsored or held in name of operation outside of school community (e.g. community center, arena, theme park, aquatic complex) |
|--|--------------------------|---|---|---------------------------------------|---|
| Only NC schools involved | Yellow | Yellow | Yellow | Yellow | Yellow |
| 1 vs. 1 | Yellow | Yellow | Yellow | Yellow | Red |
| 6 or more states involved AND 9 or more schools involved | Yellow | Yellow | Yellow | Yellow | Red |
| 6 or more states involved AND 8 or less schools involved | Yellow | Yellow | Yellow | Yellow | Red |
| 5 or less states involved AND 9 or more schools involved | Yellow | Yellow | Yellow | Yellow | Red |
| 4 or less states involved AND 8 or less schools involved | Yellow | Yellow | Yellow | Yellow | Red |

NFHS Sanctioning Required <http://www.nfhs.org/sanctioning/>

NCHSAA Interstate Sanctioning Required

No Sanctioning Required (Other state(s) may require sanctioning)

Not Applicable

Scrimmages must be sanctioned if they meet the above criteria

- When participating in an event that involves another state, please be mindful of the following rules and regulations:

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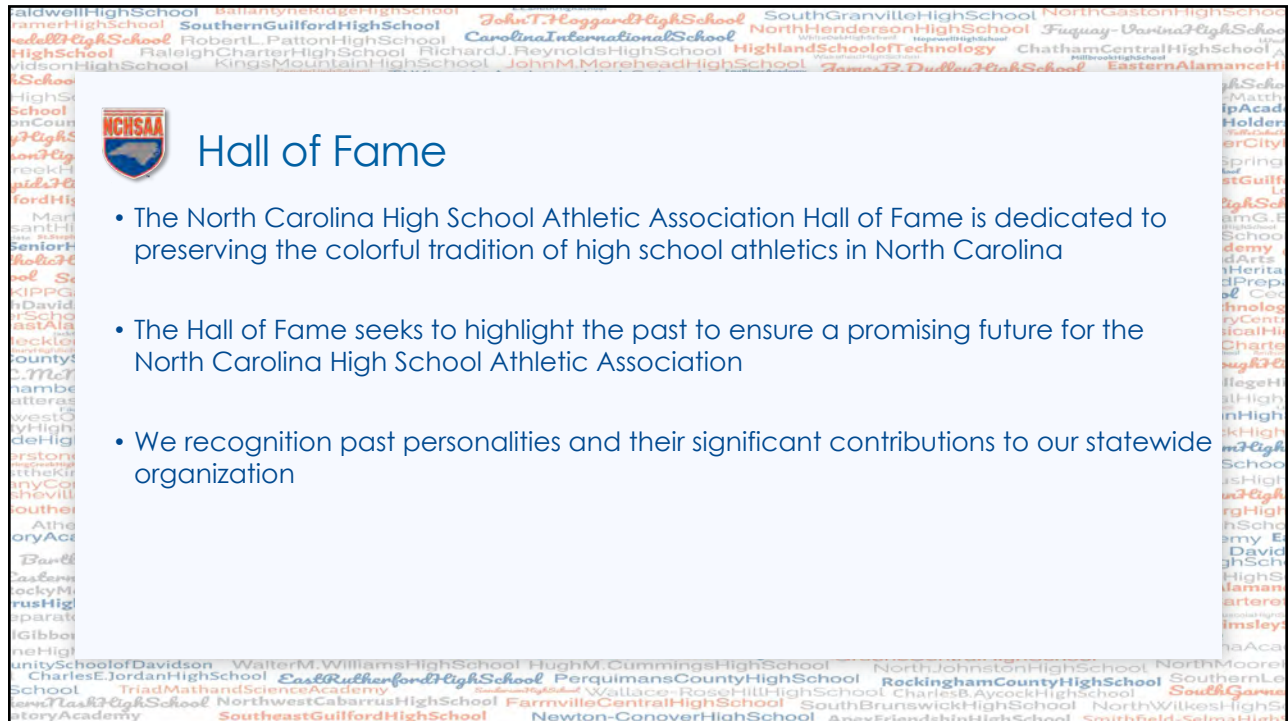


Performance of the Month

- We are pleased to announce the ninth year of the NCHSAA Performance of the Month initiative, powered by [OrthoCarolina](#)
- Each month throughout the 2024-2025 school year, two student-athletes will be selected from submitted nominations based upon their respective performances for each month

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Hall of Fame

- The North Carolina High School Athletic Association Hall of Fame is dedicated to preserving the colorful tradition of high school athletics in North Carolina
- The Hall of Fame seeks to highlight the past to ensure a promising future for the North Carolina High School Athletic Association
- We recognition past personalities and their significant contributions to our statewide organization

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Wells Fargo Cup

- The Wells Fargo Cup has become the symbol of overall sports excellence among member high schools in North Carolina
- Points are accumulated by participation in state tournament events. The top 8 finishers plus all ties receive additional points
- Contact: Brandon Moree (brandon@nchsaa.org)

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Awards and Scholarships

- NCHSAA Athlete of the Year (Male and Female)**
 - The top athletic award which any athlete in the North Carolina High School Athletic Association can earn
 - Deadline for nominations is May 17, 2025
- NCHSAA Scholar-Athlete Award**
 - This program recognizes excellence in the classroom as well as on the playing court or field. The program includes recognition of varsity teams that attain certain grades as well as individual athletes
 - Deadline: Fall and Winter is March 15 of each year
 - Deadline: Spring is July 15 each year
- NCHSAA Scholarship Opportunities**
 - Thanks to the generosity of many donors, the NCHSAA offers numerous scholarships to eligible student-athletes of NCHSAA member schools

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Awards and Scholarships

- Performance of the Month**
 - Each month throughout the year, the NCHSAA, with the help of a special selection committee, will select a male and female athlete based upon their athletic performance from the preceding week. Nominations can be made by coaches, school administrators or members of the media
- Student Services Awards**
 - Heart of a Champion
- Team Recognition Program**
- Spirit of Sport**

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Awards and Scholarships

- Commissioner's Trophy (Powered by Truist)
- NCHSAA Exemplary School Award
 - This award is given as a cooperative venture among the NCHSAA, the North Carolina Coaches Association and the North Carolina Athletic Directors Association. In addition to a trophy and a banner for display, each school which earns this honor receives a \$1000 cash award
- Wells Fargo Cup

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Awards and Scholarships

- Homer Thompson "Eight Who Make A Difference" Award
 - This award recognizes eight coaches who exemplify good sportsmanship and are positive role models for student-athletes
 - Deadline: April 1 each year

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NCHSAA SAAC Program



NCHSAA SAAC:
 The NCHSAA Student-Athlete Advisory Council is comprised of 26 members who represent each NCHSAA region and more than 200,000 athletic participants. Selected SAAC members will come from a diverse pool of rising high school Sophomores, Juniors and Seniors who meet the following minimum criteria:

- Meet all eligibility standards as outlined in the NCHSAA Handbook
- Possess leadership characteristics
- Viewed as positive role models in their community and at their school
- Capable of working with students from a variety of social groups
- Exemplifies the tenets of Student Programs and Sportsmanship (Character, Integrity, Citizenship, and Respect)

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Upcoming SAAC Event



Important Student Program Dates:
 Coaching Clinic Session – July 16th at 2:00pm
 Western North Carolina Student Leadership Conference (Hosted by Enka High School and NCHSAA) – November 13th
 NCHSAA Student Leadership Conference – Late April

If interested in setting up a Student Leadership Conference at your school or in your region, please reach out to Evan Sauer (evan@nchsaa.org) with the NCHSAA.

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Funding

- Three Main Sources
- Playoff and Championship Ticket Revenue Share
- Dues, Miscellaneous Income
- Corporate Partnerships, Grants

- NCHSAA receives no state funding


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Playoff Revenue Share

- For each round of the playoffs, the revenue after expenses will be shared with host school, NCHSAA, and visiting school.
- Host school will enter playoff financials into Dragonfly
- The form will be associated with the Game Schedule
- Deadline to submit financial form: 10 days after the playoff event
(Penalty for noncompliance could lead to school being ineligible for next season's playoffs)


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Membership Dues

- \$1.00 per student (entire student body)
- Membership renewal will entail a written agreement between the member school and NCHSAA (Principal Signature will need to be on the form)
- Send in form along with payment by Dec. 1
 - (Invoices will be generated in Dragonfly and each school will be notified when invoices are available)
- Non-payment may result in being ineligible for winter sports' playoffs

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Catastrophic Insurance

- Per HB 79
- G.S. 115C-407.65(b) : Public school units shall purchase catastrophic insurance for high school interscholastic athletic activities. Public school units may purchase catastrophic and other accident insurance for students as provided in Part 2 of Article 31A of Chapter 58 of the General Statutes
- The NCHSAA does not provide Catastrophic Insurance

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HISTORY OF NCHSAA

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HISTORY OF THE NCHSAA

The North Carolina High School Athletic Association, Inc.,

- Spearheaded by UNC professor Dr. Louis Round Wilson in 1912
- State championships were held in football and track in 1913; several other sports added soon thereafter.
- Membership open to any North Carolina public or nonboarding parochial high school if accredited by DPI
- Must adopt and maintain a prescribed code to guarantee fair competition.




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HISTORY OF THE NCHSAA

- June 2010, the NCHSAA became an independent organization no longer affiliated with UNC
- The Association continues as a 501(c)(3) voluntary non-profit organization
- In 2014, the building underwent a year renovation.
- Beginning in the 24-25 school year, the NCHSAA will have 443 member schools


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HISTORY OF THE NCHSAA

- **November 23, 2021**, Governor Roy Cooper signed HB91 into Session Law 2021-184 Governmental oversight by State Board of Education
 - Can overturn any NCHSAA Board of Directors policy
- **March 2022**, NCHSAA signed a 4-year Memorandum of Understanding with State Board of Education as designated administering organization to govern high school athletics
 - Major Changes
 - Fines
 - Appeals
 - Catastrophic Insurance

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HISTORY OF THE NCHSAA

- **October 3, 2023**, SB452 became state law without governor’s signature
- **June 2024**, NCHSAA signed Memorandum of Understanding with State Superintendent of Public Instruction
 - Major Changes
 - Financial – NCHSAA can receive no more than 33% of net gate receipts
 - Policy comparable to Public Records Law

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CONSTITUTION

- 9 Articles
- 9 By-Laws
- Name of organization
- Life span
- Purpose
- Membership
- Board of Directors
- Breakdown
- Powers
- Dissolution
- Office Location
- Incorporator's Name

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BOARD OF DIRECTORS

President, Vice-President, Past-President, Commissioner

16 individuals representing the NCHSAA from across the state

- 10 Superintendents/Principals
- 6 Athletic Directors/Coaches
- Two per region
- Four-year term

Five Ex-Officio members

- NCCA
- NCADA
- NCDPI
- NCSBA
- Officiating

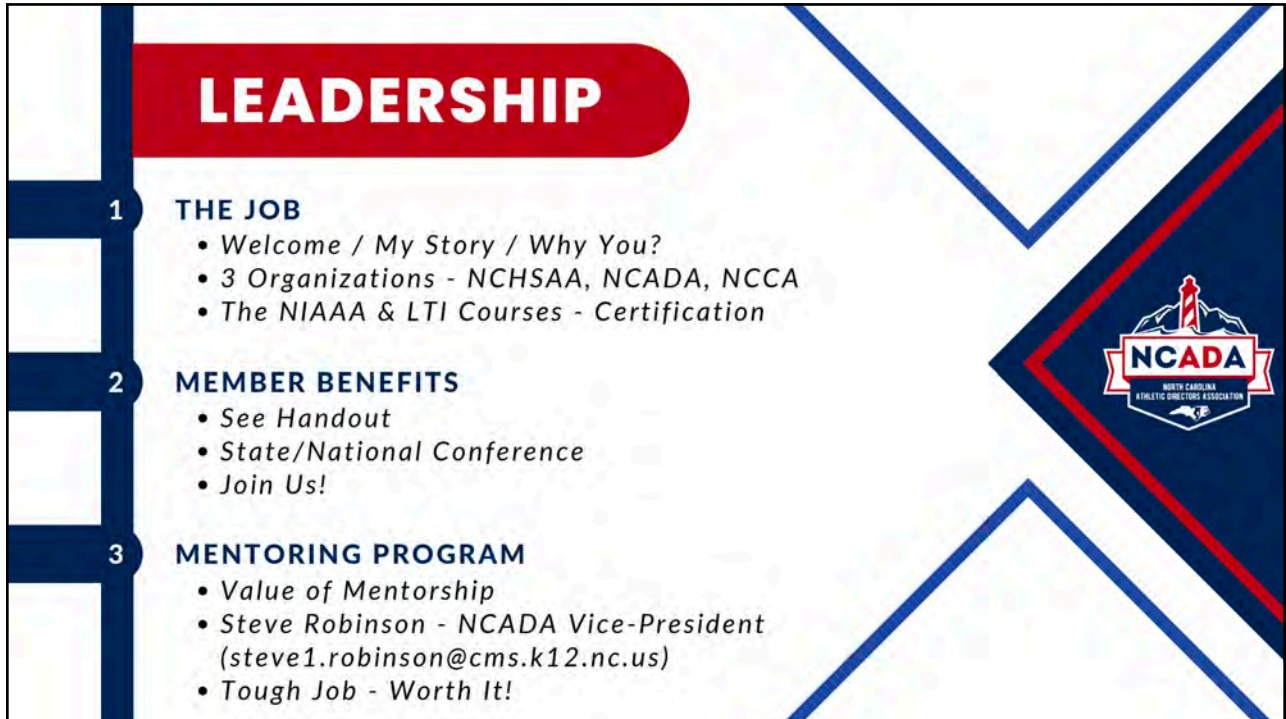
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BOARD OF DIRECTORS

- **Meets Bi-Annually**
 - Winter
 - Spring
- **Annual Meeting**
 - **Four Sub-Committees**
 - Finance & Personnel
 - Policy
 - Review & Officiating
 - Sports

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LEADERSHIP

- 1 THE JOB**
 - *Welcome / My Story / Why You?*
 - *3 Organizations - NCHSAA, NCADA, NCCA*
 - *The NIAAA & LTI Courses - Certification*
- 2 MEMBER BENEFITS**
 - *See Handout*
 - *State/National Conference*
 - *Join Us!*
- 3 MENTORING PROGRAM**
 - *Value of Mentorship*
 - *Steve Robinson - NCADA Vice-President (steve1.robinson@cms.k12.nc.us)*
 - *Tough Job - Worth It!*

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LEADERSHIP

PRESIDENT - BRIAN KNAB - MARVIN RIDGE HIGH SCHOOL

VICE-PRESIDENT - STEVE ROBINSON, CMS ASSISTANT AD

SECRETARY - BRAD HINSON, COX MILL HIGH SCHOOL

PAST-PRESIDENT - COLIN FEGELEY, GREEN LEVEL HIGH SCHOOL

ASSOCIATE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR - VERNON ALDRIDGE, RETIRED

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR - ROY TURNER, RETIRED

NCADA/NIAAA LIAISON - DERAN COE, WAKE COUNTY AD

VISIT WWW.NCADA.NET FOR CONTACT INFORMATION & FULL BOARD OF DIRECTORS DIRECTORY

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NEXT STEPS

- 1 2024 NATIONAL AD CONFERENCE**
December 13th - 17th
Austin, Texas
NIAAA/NFHS Event
- 2 2025 NCADA STATE CONFERENCE**
March 28th - 31st
Wilmington, North Carolina
NCADA Event
- 3 RESOURCES**
Visit www.ncada.net for more details! Check out the NCADA Toolbox! Summer Leadership Academy, AD Breakfast, State Conference & More!



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LUNCH AND QUESTIONS



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