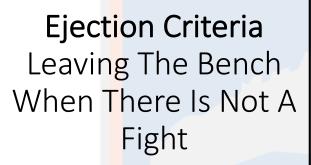
NCHSAA Handbook Policy

Ejection/DQ Protocol

**NORTH CAROLINA HIGH SCHOOL** 



- 2 game suspension in Football
- 4 game suspension in all other sports
- Includes kicking, attempting to strike with fist/hand/leg/feet/or equipment
- Instigating a fight with an unsportsmanlike act causing an opponent to retaliate
- Leaving the bench when there is a fight
  - Carries same penalty(s) as being in a fight
- Substitutes should <u>NEVER</u> leave the bench area to participate



- 1 game suspension in Football
- 2 game suspension in all other sports

Remember – Substitutes should <u>NEVER</u> leave the bench area to participate



- Maliciously running over the catcher/fielder without an attempt to avoid contact
- Excessive out-of-bounds or "away-from-theplaying-action" that is unwarranted or extreme in nature
- Tackling/contact to the head dangerously in a malicious manner
- Illegally hitting or cross-checking an opponent with the stick in Lacrosse
- Any flagrant act that is not associated with a legal play associated with that sport
  - 1 game suspension in Football
  - 2 game suspension in all other sports



- Biting Observed or Determined By An Official
- Taunting, Baiting, Or Spitting Toward An Opponent Or Official
- Profanity

The NCHSAA will have Zero Tolerance within the confines of an NCHSAA event for the following: "Profanity of any kind, inappropriate language, racial or ethnic slurs, sexist or homophobic language."

#### For the above

- 1 game suspension in Football
- 2 game suspension in all other sports

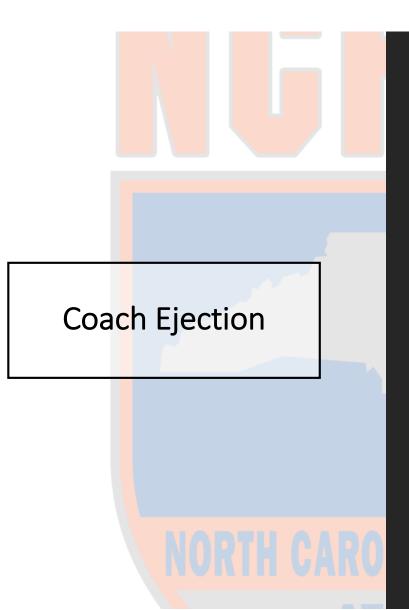


- Obscene Gestures, Including Gesturing In Such A Manner As To Intimidate Or Instigate
- Disrespectfully Address An Official
   Physically contacting an official is subject to automatic expulsion and can result in ineligibility for remainder of a career
  - This includes school administrators. Expect/require role modeling excellence from this level of personnel.

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"Give the respect you expect...and expect it in return."

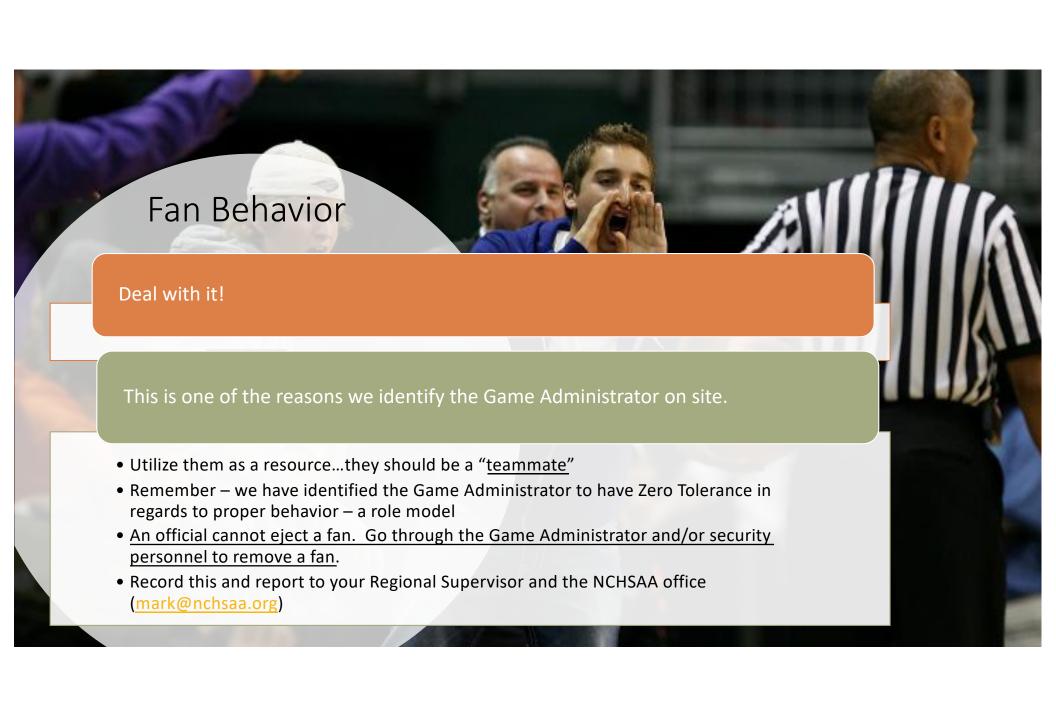


## Handbook Regulation 2.4.3 (j):

- Anytime a coach is ejected from a contest, he/she does not participate the remainder of that day. The coach is also suspended from the next two scheduled, re-scheduled or contracted dates at that level of competition (one in Football) and all games in the interim at other levels of competition.
  - EXAMPLE: JV coach ejected from game. Misses the next 2 JV games and all Varsity games until the 2-game JV suspension is served.

### Handbook Regulation 2.4.3 (k):

 The coach is not permitted to be at the game during his/her suspension. A student who is ejected is allowed at the game site but may not be dressed in uniform.



## Filing An Ejection Report

Required within 24 hours after completion of the event

\$50 fine to the official(s) for failing to complete the Ejection Report(s)

## Go to www.nchsaa.org

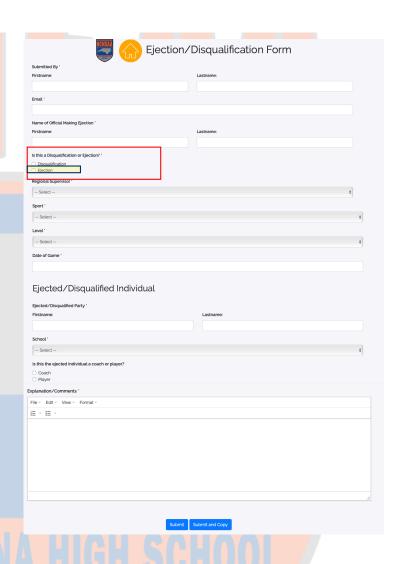
- Click on OFFICIALS
- Scroll down ORANGE box on left side of the Officials page
- Click on EJECTION/DQ REPORTING
- PASSWORD: report1
- NOTE: Officials must file all Ejection and DQ reports online

## Filing An Ejection Report

## A separate Ejection/DQ Report must be filed for each individual who is to be penalized.

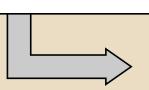
- Example: If have a fight, must identify the player/number of EACH school and file individual reports
- Example: If have multiple players on a team ejected, must file separate reports for each individual
  - Do not list multiple players/#'s on the same Ejection Report
- For an ejection, click on the actual ejection criteria listed on the Ejection Report Form
  - Comment box available to detail/describe the situation
  - Please use proper grammar and professionalism when filing in this information

# Filing An Ejection Report



## Ejection vs. Disqualification

Question – Can there be a situation where a player/ coach is terminated from the remainder of the contest and it not be an Ejection?

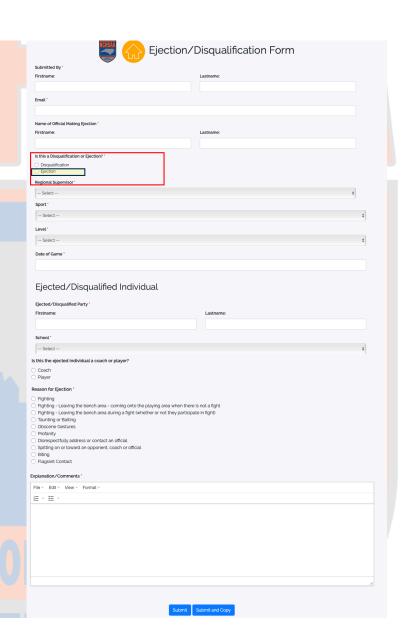


Answer – If the ejection is by NFHS Rule and does not meet the NCHSAA Handbook Ejection Criteria as shown in the previous slides...yes.

#### Examples:

- Basketball Coach gets two (2) indirect technical fouls but are not part of Ejection criteria
- Head Coach has an assistant coach get an unsporting call, and then he/she or another assistant coach gets an unsporting call
  - 2 unsporting violations charged to the Head Coach results in DQ from the remainder of the contest
  - By the NCHSAA Sportsmanship initiative ("Together, We Make The Right Call...Sportsmanship) this violates the "One Voice" directive
    - Only the Head Coach has input with the game officials/umpires

## Filing An Ejection Report





- No "free shots" after the game/contest...in fact, there should be enhanced attention given to post-game ejections
  - These are to be enforced same as ingame ejections.
  - Do not allow inappropriate language/contact/input after the contest is complete
  - Coaches and players are expected to role model excellence at all times

"What you permit, you promote!"