



NCHSAA Public Address Announcement

The North Carolina High School Athletic Association welcomes you to tonight's game. We remind you that one of the goals of high school athletics is learning lifetime values.

A spectator engaged in misconduct inconsistent with a wholesome athletic program may:

- (1) be placed on spectator probation; or**
- (2) be banned from attending school contests for a period not to exceed one calendar year from the date of the offense: or**
- (3) cause the school to be penalized. In incidents involving criminal misconduct such as assaults, school officials in conjunction with the victims assaulted are instructed to press charges in a court of law. If charges are not filed, the school is still responsible for handling the misconduct.**
- (4) not approach or contact game officials in any way to question the judgment or decision of an official.**

Sportsmanship is one of those values that is best learned when respect is accorded to all. Please let your good sportsmanship show during the game. The _____ and _____ encourage and promote sportsmanship by student athletes, coaches, and spectators.

Profanity, racial or ethnic comments, or other intimidating actions directed at officials, student athletes, coaches, or team representatives will not be tolerated and are grounds for removal from the site of competition. The officials for tonight's game are: _____, _____, and _____.

These individuals are registered by the North Carolina High School Athletic Association. Their experience and integrity qualify them to administer the rules of the game. All spectators, players and coaches, no matter what their personal feelings or loyalties may be in this contest, should uphold an attitude of good sportsmanship.

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