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MINUTES OF THE BOARD MEETING

January 21, 1989

The Board of Control of the Kentucky High School Athletic Association met at the Executive East, Louisville, Kentucky, on Saturday morning, January 21, 1989. The meeting was called to order by President Tom Buchanan at 9:00 a.m. Present were all Board members, Commissioner Tom Mills, Executive Assistant Billy Wise, Assistant Commissioners Brigid DeVries and Louis Stout and Sports Information Director Julian Tackett. Mr. Harry Loy, representing the State Department of Education was also present. The invocation was given by Mr. Charles Henry.

Pearl Lefevers made a motion that the minutes of the December 2-3, 1988, meeting be approved. Huston DeHaven seconded the motion, which carried unanimously.

Sam Chandler made a motion, seconded by Charles Henry, that the minutes of the East Eligibility Committee Meeting be approved. The motion passed unanimously.

Huston DeHaven moved that the West Eligibility Committee Meeting minutes be approved. Charles Henry seconded the motion which passed unanimously.

Sam Chandler made a motion, seconded by Pearl Lefevers, that the bills of the Association for the period December 1 through December 31 be approved. The motion carried unanimously.

President Buchanan called on Phillip Bell, spokesman for the Kentucky High School Baseball Coaches Association, who had asked to speak to the Board of Control regarding a possible proposal to improve high school baseball in the state. The highlight of the proposal is to extend the regular season one week. Following a discussion of the matter, Pearl Ray Lefevers made a motion, seconded by Marvin Moore, that the proposal be turned over to the All-Sports Committee for consideration. The motion carried unanimously.

Mr. Buchanan, Chairman of the Investigative Procedure Committee, shared some of the ideas the committee is working on and advised the Board that they are in the process of drafting a procedure for consideration of the Board for investigating transfer cases which have been appealed.

Commissioner Mills then discussed with Board members several proposals to be considered by the 1989 Delegate Assembly. A discussion ensued with regard to the Board's proposing a change to By-Law 3, Age. The proposal, if passed by the Delegate Assembly, would allow any student who reaches the age of 19 on or after August 1 to remain eligible for interscholastic athletics for the entire school year. Charles Henry made a motion, seconded by Tony Olinger, that Mr. Mills present the proposals to the Delegate Assembly for consideration. The motion carried by a vote of 8 in favor of the motion and 3 opposed.

Executive Assistant Wise reported that \$373,265 in ticket sales has been received through this date for the Boys State Basketball Tournament. This figure is approximately \$37,450 over the amount received for the corresponding date in 1988. Advanced ticket sales for the Girls State Basketball Tournament has netted \$14,164 to date, approximately \$5,230.00 less than last year's receipts at this time.

President Buchanan appointed a committee to study the procedure for the sale of state basketball tournament tickets. This committee is to be chaired by Ken Tippett.

Sandy Allen, Chairman of the Trophy Presentation Committee, discussed with Board members the procedure established for presenting the State Basketball Tournament trophies.

President Buchanan appointed a committee to make recommendations for the annual evaluation of the K.H.S.A.A. staff. Members of the committee will be David Points, Chairman, Sam Chandler, Tony Olinger and Ken Tippett.

Executive Assistant Wise distributed to the Board proposed specifications for the Reorganization of K.H.S.A.A. Officials Division. Following a lengthy discussion regarding this proposal, it was recommended that the schools receive a copy of this information for their input prior to a final decision being made by the Board of Control.

Mr. Wise also distributed a Conflict of Interest Statement of Duties as it relates to the K.H.S.A.A. Officials' Division - Assigning Secretary. Ken Tippett made a motion, seconded by Marvin Moore, that this statement be added to the Official's Handbook and be effective immediately. The motion carried unanimously.

Executive Asst. Wise recommended to the Board that officials for the district and regional basketball tournaments be assigned in the same manner as for 1988 - that being that officials will officiate within their region for the district basketball tournaments but will go outside their region for the regional tournaments, except in instances where the Local Policy Board requests otherwise. Marvin Moore made a motion, seconded by Ken Tippett, that the officials be assigned in this manner. The motion carried unanimously.

Marvin Moore requested that the tabled motion regarding an additional complimentary boys basketball tournament ticket for basketball assigning secretaries be removed from the table. David Points seconded the motion. The motion as stated is that beginning in 1990 the Basketball Assigning Secretary from each region shall receive two (2) complimentary Boys State Basketball Tournament tickets. The motion passed by a vote of 6 in favor and 5 opposed.

Upon the recommendation of Commissioner Mills, Marvin Moore made a motion, seconded by Charles Henry, that the Commissioner be empowered to grant each team that participated in the football playoffs \$1,200.00 to help defray expenses. The motion carried unanimously.

Commissioner Mills recommended that the K.H.S.A.A. survey schools to determine their interest in purchasing deductible insurance coverage through a statewide group plan. If such a plan is available, the schools would not only save on premiums, but it would provide the broadest possible coverage. Pearl Lefevers made a motion to accept Commissioner Mills recommendation to survey the schools. Sam Chandler seconded the motion which carried unanimously.

Following a discussion of the present Appeals Procedure of the East and West Eligibility Committees, Commissioner Mills recommended that in the future the following procedure be adopted with regard to the special hearings:

This is to acknowledge that as a party appealing the ruling of the Commissioner of the Kentucky High School Athletic Association, I/we have been fully advised of our rights to appeal before the full Board of Control with regards to the appeal. Upon proper consideration and advice I/we hereby waive the right to appear in front of the full Board and authorize the K.H.S.A.A. Board of Control Eligibility Committee to hear and reach a decision with respect to the matter.

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I/we hereby agree to pay, in advance, all cost incidental to such special hearing. I/we understand that if at all possible the special hearing shall be conducted within ten (10) working days from the date the written request is filed with the Commissioner. The Eligibility Committee will be composed of three or more members of the Board of Control and their ruling shall constitute a final and appealable ruling of the Kentucky High School Athletic Association in regards to the matter.

Huston DeHaven moved to adopt the Commissioner's recommendation. Sandy Allen seconded the motion which passed unanimously.

Mr. Wise presented a letter from Principal Lanny R. Woodward, requesting that South Hopkins High School be reinstated for the District football championship for 1989-90. South Hopkins High School had voluntarily removed themselves from District play during the school year. Following a discussion, David Points made a motion that the request be denied. The motion was seconded by Ken Tippett and passed by a vote of 10-1.

Asst. Comm. Stout recommended to the Board that an 11" softball be used in the 1989 State Softball Tournament. Tony Olinger moved to accept the recommendation. Pearl Lefevers seconded the motion which passed unanimously.

Mr. Stout also advised the Board that the State Soccer Committee recommends that the State Tournament for 1989 be moved back one week. If approved the District Tournament will be played the week of October 23; the Regional Tournament will be played October 30-November 4; the Sectional Tournament November 6-7 and the State Tournament on November 9 & 11. Sandy Allen moved to accept this recommendation. David Points seconded the motion which passed unanimously.

SID Julian Tackett distributed a financial report of the State Football Playoffs held in November.

The next meeting of the Board of Control will be held in Frankfort on Thursday, March 23, 1989 at 8:30 a.m. The

meeting will be held in the State Board of Education Conference Room.

Ken Tippett made a motion that the meeting be adjourned. Charles Henry seconded the motion which carried unanimously.



**APPEALS
 HEARINGS**
 January 20, 1989

The Board of Control of the Kentucky High School Athletic Association met at the Executive Inn in Louisville, Kentucky on Friday afternoon, January 20, 1989, for the purpose of hearing appeals. The meeting was called to order by President Tom Buchanan at 1:00 p.m. Present were all Board members, Commissioner Tom Mills, Executive Assistant Billy Wise, Assistant Commissioner Louis Stout and Sports Information Director Julian Tackett. Mr. Harry Loy, representing the State Department of Education was also present. The invocation was given by Mr. Sam Chandler.

President Buchanan called on Mr. Randy Everly, Principal of Drakesboro High School who was representing Eric Arnold. Eric's mother, Priscilla, was also present. Commissioner Mills had ruled Eric ineligible to participate in interscholastic athletics due to the fact that he had participated in athletics at Hughes Kirk High School before transferring to Drakesboro High School and was subject to By-Law 6, Transfer Rule. Following Mr. Everly's appeal, comments made by Mrs. Everly and questions to them by the Board members, David Points made a motion that the Board waive By-Law 6, Transfer Rule and declare Eric eligible to participate in interscholastic athletics at Drakesboro High School. Liz Trabandt seconded the motion which passed unanimously.

The next appeal was presented by Mr. Roger Sullivan, on behalf of his son Sean. Sean had transferred from Covington Catholic High School to Scott High School and had been ruled ineligible by Commissioner Mills. Mr. Sullivan had requested a hearing before the Board to appeal the decision of the Commissioner as it relates to By-Law 6, Transfer Rule. Following Mr. Sullivan's appeal and a discussion thereof, Sandy Allen made a motion that the Board uphold the Commissioner's decision. Sam Chandler seconded the motion which passed by a vote of 9-3.

President Buchanan then called on Bridget Bowlds, who had requested an appeal on behalf of her son Brandon. Brandon Bowlds had been ruled ineligible to participate in spring sports due to the fact that Brandon would become nineteen years of age on February 22 and the sports season begins March 1. Commissioner Mills had ruled Brandon ineligible under By-Law 3, Age. Following Mrs. Bowlds' presentation and a lengthy discussion thereof, Sandy Allen made a motion that the Board uphold the Commissioner's ruling in this case. Liz Trabandt seconded the motion which passed by a vote of 10 in favor of the motion and two opposed.

The next appeal was presented by Mrs. Pam Pohlmann on behalf of her daughter Pam. Following her presentation and a discussion thereof, David Points made a motion, seconded by Charles Henry that the Board support the Commissioner's ruling and declare Pam ineligible to participate in athletics through the remainder of the 1988-89 school year. The Board however, agreed unanimously to waive the rule for the first five weeks of the 1989-90 school year.

Commissioner Mills then read a letter from Principal Philip Back, Dawson Springs High School requesting that the Board reinstate the eligibility of Tammy Holmes and Keli Cansler. These two athletes participated in a Jr. Pro basketball game and were ruled ineligible to participate in further games under

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By-Law 8. Huston DeHaven made a motion that these players be reinstated and that a letter of reprimand be sent to the Dawson Springs High School basketball coach. Ken Tippet seconded the motion which passed unanimously.

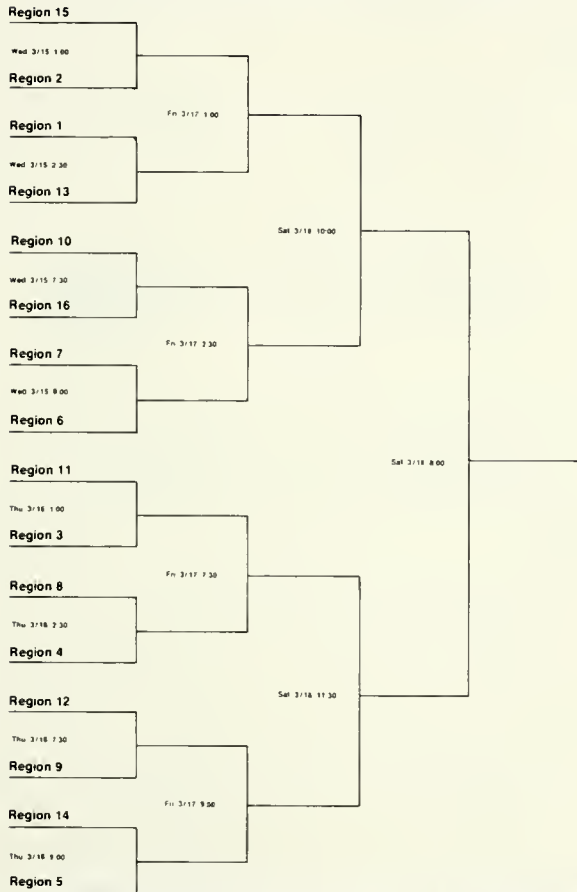
Charles Henry moved that the Board go into Closed Session to discuss possible legal matters. Huston DeHaven

seconded the motion which passed unanimously. Charles Miller made a motion, seconded by Sam Chandler that the Board return to Open Session. The motion passed unanimously.

There being no more appeals, the meeting was adjourned.

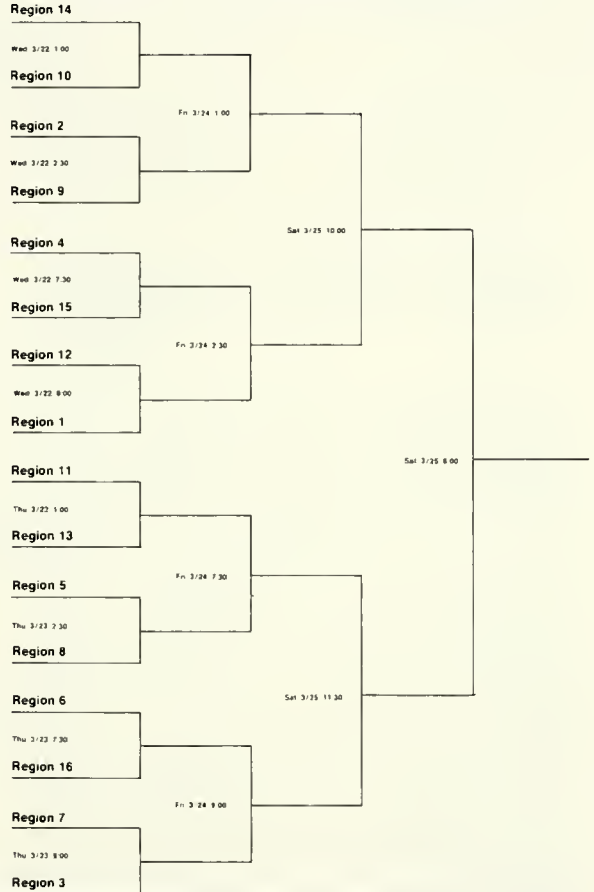
1989 Boys' Sweet Sixteen Tournament Draw

All games to be played March 15-18, 1989



1989 Girls' Sweet Sixteen Tournament Draw

All games to be played March 22-25, 1989



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REGION 1

District 1
Heath
Lone Oak
Paducah Tilghman
Reidland

District 2
Ballard Memorial
Graves County
St. Mary

District 3
Carlisle County
Fulton
Fulton County
Hickman County

District 4
Calloway County
Marshall County
Mayfield
Murray

REGION 2

District 5
Christian County
Fort Campbell
Hopkinsville
Trigg County
University Heights

District 6
Caldwell County
Crittenden County
Livingston County
Lyon County

District 7
Dawson Springs
Madisonville-North Hopkins
South Hopkins
West Hopkins

District 8
Henderson County
Providence
Union County
Webster County

REGION 3

District 9
Apollo
Daviss County
Owensboro
Owensboro Catholic

District 10
Bremen
Central City
Drakesboro
Graham
Greenville
Hughes-Kirk
Muhlenberg Central

District 11
Breckinridge County
Grayson County
Hancock County
St. Romuald

District 12
Fordsville
McLean County
Ohio County
Trinity (Whitesville)

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REGION 4

District 13
Butler County
Logan County
Russellville
Todd Central

District 14
Bowling Green
Franklin-Simpson
Warren Central
Warren East

District 15
Allen County
Barren County
Edmonson County
Glasgow

District 16
Clinton County
Cumberland County
Metcalf County
Monroe County

REGION 5

District 17
East Hardin
Elizabethtown
Fort Knox
Meade County
North Hardin
West Hardin

District 18
Caverna
Green County
Hart County
LaRue County

District 19
Bardstown
Bethlehem
Nelson County
Washington County

District 20
Adair County
Campbellsville
Marion County
Taylor County

REGION 6

District 21
Central
Portland Christian
Shawnee
Southwest Christian

District 22
Butler
Holy Cross (Louisville)
Pleasure Ridge Park
Western

District 23
Beth Haven
Doss
Fairdale
Valley

District 24
DeSales
Iroquois
Southern

REGION 7

District 25
duPont Manual
Male
Ninth & O
St. Xavier

District 26
Atherton
Christian Academy
Seneca
Trinity (Louisville)

District 27
Fern Creek
Jeffersontown
Moore
Walden

District 28
Ballard
Eastern
Kentucky Country Day
Waggener

REGION 8

District 29
Bullitt Central
Bullitt East
North Bullitt
Spencer County

District 30
Anderson County
Eminence
Henry County
Shelby County

District 31
Carroll County
Gallatin County
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District 32
Grant County
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Williamstown

REGION 9

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Conner
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St. Henry
Simon Kenton

District 34
Bellevue
Dayton
Holmes
Newport Central Catholic

District 35
Bishop Brossart
Campbell County
Highlands
Scott
Silver Grove

District 36
Beechwood
Covington Catholic
Dixie Heights
Holy Cross
Ludlow

REGION 10

District 37
Bourbon County
Harrison County
Millerburg Military Institute
Nicholas County
Paris

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Bracken County
Deming
Pendleton County

District 39
Fleming County
Mason County
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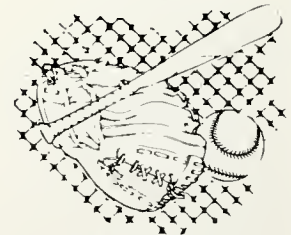
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Estill County
George Rogers Clark
Montgomery County

REGION 11

District 41
Frankfort
Franklin County
Western Hills
Woodford County

District 42
Bryan Station
Henry Clay
Lafayette
Lexington Catholic
Sayre
Tates Creek

District 43
Berea
Madison
Madison Central
Model
Madison Southern



REGION 12

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Danville
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Lincoln County

District 45
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Harrodsburg
Jessamine County
Mercer County
Western Anderson

District 46
McCreary Central
Monticello
Russell County
Wayne County

District 47
Casey County
Laurel County
Pulaski County
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Jackson County
Oneida Baptist Institute
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District 49
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Corbin
Knox Central
Lynn Camp
Whitley County
Williamsburg

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Bell County
Middlesboro
Pineville
Red Bird

District 51
Cawood
Cumberland
Evarts
Harlan

REGION 14

District 52

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Letcher
Whitesburg

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Dilce Combs
Hazard
Leslie
M.C. Napier

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Jackson
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REGION 15

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District 58

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District 59

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REGION 16

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Menifee County
Morgan County
Rowan County

District 61

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Lewis County
West Carter

District 62

Fairview
Greenup County
Raceland
Russell

District 63

Boyd County
Lawrence County
Paul Blazer



STATE GOLF COMMITTEE MEETING

January 16, 1989

The State Golf Committee for the Kentucky High School Athletic Association met on Monday, January 16, 1989, at the Association office in Lexington. The meeting was called to order by Brigid DeVries, Assistant Commissioner, at 10:00 a.m. Attending the meeting were Lou Brown, Ernie Denham, Marty Donlon, Joe Freshley, Bill Frost, Cathy Gullett and Larry Schmidt.

All information for State and Regional Tournaments was reviewed and minor changes were made for the current season. The Kentucky High School Athletic Association announced that the Boys' State Tournament would be held at Lincoln Trail Country Club, Vine Grove and the Girls' Tournament will be at the Elizabethtown Country Club, Elizabethtown, Kentucky. Date for the Regionals: May 22-24, 1989. Date for the State: May 31-June 1, 1989.

In 1990 the Boys' and Girls' State Golf Tournament will be moved to the fall. The Golf Committee made a proposal regarding season play and dates for the Regional and State Tournaments for 1990. This proposal will be submitted to the Board of Control for discussion and approval. It was felt that fall golf will enable the Committee to better solicit sites for the Regional and State Tournaments.

Larry Schmidt suggested that area rules clinics might help the high school coaches become more knowledgeable about the *Rules of Golf*. He indicated the Kentucky Golf Association would assist in helping set up the clinics. One suggestion was to have a combined rules clinic and golf coach's tournament.

The next item for discussion included suggestions for tournament play. Ernie Denham recommended that college coaches were a good source for marshals and for rules committee personnel for both regional and state tournaments. Marty Donlon and Larry Schmidt suggested exploring the possibility of scheduling a golf clinic following the first day of play at both the Boys' and Girls' State Tournaments. Larry was directed to explore this idea further through corporate sponsorship and the Kentucky Golf Association.

Cathy Gullett proposed that teams be allowed to designate five golfers and play four for both regional and state tournament play, effective in 1990. Committee members were unanimous in their support for this proposal. This suggestion will be referred to the All-Sports Committee of the Board of Control for consideration.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.



1989 STATE TENNIS COMMITTEE MEETING

The State Tennis Committee met on Tuesday, January 17, 1989, at the Kentucky High School Athletic Association Office in Lexington. Assistant Commissioner Brigid L. DeVries called the meeting to order at 1:30 p.m. Committee members present included Nonnie Hopper, Cliff Richardson, Becky Watson, David Rogers, Terry Johnson, Todd Metcalf, Joe Kroh, Mary Robinson and Marita Thelen. Absent were Wilson Sears, Bill Gooden and Jerry Johns.

The first item on the agenda was a discussion of regional tournaments. It was decided that the runnerup in doubles will advance from the Regional to the State Tournament. It was also recommended that in the case of a tie for the team championship, the playoff shall be scheduled immediately after regional play, except in the case of inclement weather or darkness. A brief rest period may be designated if necessary by the Regional Manager. This procedure is currently followed at the State Tournament.

Suggestions were made by committee members with regards to the Regional Tournament Managers for regional sites not secured at this time. The dates of the Regional Tournaments are listed on the school calendar as the week of May 15, 1989. As in the past, May 13 & 14 may be used if necessary. The Board of Control approved splitting the Richmond Region into two regions at their last meeting held in November. Committee members were asked to look at the Elizabethtown Region for possible adjustments and report back to the committee at the next meeting.

The next item on the Agenda was the State Tennis Tournament. The dates for the 1989 Tournament are June 1, 2, and 3, and will be held at the University of Kentucky in Lexington. The committee reviewed the state information and made some minor changes. It was felt that information regarding the team playoff procedure in the case of a tie should be added to the State Information.

The committee made suggestions regarding the seeding committee for the State Tournament. It was felt that last year's committee did an excellent job in determining the seeded players for the 1988 tournament.

Cliff Richardson from Atherton High School was asked to chair a subcommittee to develop criteria for determining an All-State Tennis Team. People interested in working on this project are asked to contact him with their suggestions. Joe Kroh reported that the "Prince" Academic All-American Program would be in place again for the 1989 season.

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**1988 Boys' State-At-Large
Champion
HENRY CLAY HIGH SCHOOL**



FRONT ROW: (L to R) Elizabeth Parker, Cheryl Long, Beth Lynn Wagner, Stacy Torstrick. SECOND ROW: (L to R) Mitzi Finn, Angie Rice, Joyce Sasson, Tammi Bair. BACK ROW: (L to R) Karen Harris, Lisa Carr, Monica Williams, Dana Newsome, Laura Combs, Amy Lieberman, Karen Thompson.

**1988 Girls' State-At-Large
Champion
CLINTON COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL**



KNEELING: (L to R) Angie Melton, Angie Parrigin. STANDING: (L to R) Marti Helms, Dana Daniels, Heather Smith, Dee Hicks, Sonya Felkins, Amanda Widau, Angie Ferguson, Sharla Campbell, Marsha Cole.

BOYS COACHES NOT ATTENDING BASKETBALL CLINIC

The following boys' basketball coaches did not attend a regular clinic as of February 16, and will not be permitted to coach in K.H.S.A.A. post season championship play until attending an approved make-up clinic -- Highview Baptist - Larry Smith; Millersburg Military Institute - Ed Allin; Walden - Jorge I. Oclander

GIRLS COACHES NOT ATTENDING BASKETBALL RULES CLINIC

The following girls' basketball coaches did not attend a regular clinic as of February 16, and will not be permitted to coach in K.H.S.A.A. post season championship play until attending an approved make-up clinic -- Christian Academy-Louisville; Evangel Christian - Laura Caddy; Evarts - Earl Rogers; Jackson City; Millard - Margaret Ellison; Red Bird - David Waybright; St. Patrick - Danny McKay; St. Romuald - Janice Graves; Walden - Michelle Palmer

REMINDER TO SCHOOLS CONCERNING LIMITATION OF SEASONS

All schools are reminded of the Limitation of Seasons Rules, K.H.S.A.A. By-Law 27, as it applies to competition after the conclusion of the regular season. ALL SPORTS are affected by this rule, which states that following the teams' last regular season match, there shall be no further practice or play as a team for the remainder of the school year, with the exception of the K.H.S.A.A. tournament. Please be sure your coaches are aware of this important rule, and that they are not involved in coaching the team in an outside league, or other competition. For the high school coach, be they the Head Coach or an assistant coach, to coach members of the high school team in a league outside of the school's legal regular season competition, regardless of the type of league, would be a violation of the rules governing the Limitation of Seasons.

ATI, INC TO BEGIN NEW CONCEPT IN FOOTBALL HELMET TECHNOLOGY

Athletic Technology, Inc. has begun a new aggressive format in the manufacturing, selling, fitting, reconditioning, replacing and servicing of football helmets. With home offices to be located in Vienna, West Virginia, this new company hopes to continue to emphasize the safety needs of football players, while at the same time offering a value plan for the member schools who choose to join. Bill Hanlin, long time Commissioner of the West Virginia Secondary School Activities Association, has now been hired as the Executive Director of the company and brings his years of experience in the field to the new position. If you would like further details concerning this company, contact ATI for an informational brochure at (304)375-5824, or write to 431 Victoria Avenue, Williamstown, WV, 26187.

NEWPORT SEEKS BASKETBALL COACH

The Newport Board of Education is now accepting applications for the Boys' Head Basketball Coaching position. Applications for this position will be taken until March 24, 1989 and should be directed to Jim Weyer, Athletic Director, 301 East Eighth Street, Newport, KY 41071.

OPEN DATES SOLICITED FOR FOOTBALL SCHOOLS

Many schools are working on 1989 football schedules with consideration for two year contracts to cover the remainder of the alignment period (1989 and 1990). With this in mind, please submit your open dates to this office so that we may again compile a list to assist you in scheduling. Please submit these open dates in writing and include 1) the game date desired, and 2) a contact name and daytime phone number.

- Week One (August 18) - Fleming-Neon, contact David Jones (606)855-7597. Pineville, contact Tim Saylor (606)337-2361.
- Week Two (August 25) - Bardstown, contact Coach Garnis Martin (502)348-5913. Christian County, contact Coach Dan Goble (502)887-1121. Dixie Heights, contact Don Afterkirk, Athletic Director (606)341-7650. Ironton (OH), contact Mike Burcham, A.D. (614)532-3911. Shelby County, contact Rod Cloyd, Athletic Director (502)633-2443. Tates Creek, contact Assistant Coach Joe Ruddell, (606)272-1513. Williamsburg, contact Coach Bob Rose, (606)549-1915, 3800, or 1737.
- Week Three (September 1) 1989 - Dayton, contact Stan Steidel (606)261-4357. Franklin Simpson, contact Walter Heath (502)586-3273. Jefferson City, Jefferson City, Missouri. Contact Pete Adkins (314)636-7171; Notre Dame, Portsmouth, OH. Contact Randy Martin (614)353-4255. Waggener, contact Jack Jacobs or Don Ludwig (502)454-8340. Williamsburg, contact Coach Bob Rose, (606)549-1915, 3800, or 1737.
- Week Four (September 8), 1989 - Fleming-Neon, contact David Jones (606)855-7597. Perry Meridian in Indianapolis is seeking a game with a Kentucky school. They are Indiana Class 5A (approximately 1500 students, top three grades). Desire home game in 1989, road game in 1990. Contact Noah Ellis, (317)882-4229. Providence, Clarksville, Indiana. Contact Bob Fields, A.D. (812)945-2538. Whitley County, contact Principal Virgil Chambers (606)549-1360.
- Week Five (September 15) 1989 - Christian County, contact Coach Dan Goble (502)887-1121. Dayton, contact Stan Steidel (606)261-4357. Donelson Christian Academy (central Tennessee), Jefferson City, Jefferson City, Missouri. Contact Pete Adkins (314)636-7171. Pineville, contact Tim Saylor, A.D. (606)337-2361.
- Week Six (September 22) 1989 - Edmonson County, contact Gary Meredith, A.D. (502)597-2151. Harpeth, Kingston Springs, Tennessee, contact Coach Bill Cox (615)797-2811. LaRue County (would prefer away), contact Phil Eason (502)358-9200. Russellville, contact Wayne Mullen (502)726-8421.
- Week Seven (September 29) 1989 - Danville, contact Sam Harp (606)236-7957, or (606)236-5437. Jefferson City, Jefferson City, Missouri. Contact Pete Adkins (314)636-7171. Pineville, contact Tim Saylor, A.D. (606)337-2361. Williamsburg, contact Coach Bob Rose, (606)549-1915, 3800, or 1737.
- Week Eight (October 6) 1989 - Amelia (OH), approximately 15 miles SE of Cincinnati, contact Tom Carr (513)753-5120. Christian County, contact Coach Dan Goble (502)887-1121. Elkhorn City, contact Jerry Childers, Athletic Director (606)754-7417 or 9098. Jefferson City, Jefferson City, Missouri. Contact Pete Adkins (314)636-7171. LaRue County (would prefer home), contact Phil Eason (502)358-9200.
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OPEN FOOTBALL DATES (Continued)

- Week Nine (October 13) 1989 - Jefferson City, Jefferson City, Missouri. Contact Pete Adkins (314)636-7171. Morrow Little Miami High School, just outside of Cincinnati, approximately 530 in top three grades. Contact Rob Blanton (513)899-3781. Pineville, contact Tim Saylor, A.D. (606)337-2361. Russell, contact Jerry Klaiber, A.D. (606)836-9650. St. Xavier (Cincinnati), (approximately 1200 boys), contact Ross Butler, A.D. (513)761-7600, ext. 601. Robert A. Taft, Cincinnati, OH. Contact Raymond Spicher, A.D. (513)381-0890.
- Week Ten (October 20) 1989 - Bardstown, contact Coach Garnis Martin (502)348-5913. Ironton (OH), contact Mike Burcham, A.D. (614)532-3911.
- Week Eleven (October 27) 1989 - LaRue County (would prefer home), contact Phil Eason (502)358-9200.
- Week Twelve (November 3) 1989 - Edmonson County, contact Gary Meredith, A.D. (502)597-2151. Shelby County, contact Rod Cloyd, Athletic Director (502)633-2443.

SCHEDULE OF MEDICAL SYMPOSIUMS

The following is the schedule of the Medical Symposiums required by the State Department of Education for all Head Coaches in K.H.S.A.A. sanctioned sports. A letter is being sent to all schools informing them of this important change approved recently by the State Board of Education. This new regulation requires semi-annual attendance at one of the approved Medical Symposiums. THESE SEMINARS HAVE NOTHING TO DO WITH THE CPR REQUIREMENT. THEY ARE A COMPLETELY SEPERATE REQUIREMENT.

Beginning this year, bi-annual attendance is required. If you attended a seminar in 1988, you do not need to attend a 1989 symposium. The schedule for this year is as follows --

- April 22 - University of Louisville (502)637-3636, Dr. Raymond Shea, Suite 150, Audobon Medical Plaza, 40217
 - May 20 - Surgical Center, Elizabethtown (502)737-5200, George Hosfield, Surgical Center, 708 Westpost Road, 42701
 - July 1 - University of Kentucky, Lexington (606)257-3232, J. Michael Ray, Orthopaedic Surgery, University Medical Plaza, Rose Street, 40536-0223.
 - June 10 - Murray-Calloway Hospital, Murray (502)753-5131, Ms. Kathie Pierce, Health-Promotions, 803 Poplar Street, 42071
 - June 17 - Trover Clinic, Madisonville (502)825-7200, Dr. James Bowles, Clinic Drive, 42431
 - July 22 - Bourbon County Hospital, Paris. Program Chairman - Dr. J. Michael Ray, Orthopaedic Surgery, University Medical Plaza, Rose Street, 40536-0223.
 - July 15 - Kentucky Wesleyan College, Owensboro (502)683-2441, Dr. Wm. McManus, P.O. Box 1441, Owensboro, 42301.
 - July 21/22 - Northern KY University. Mike Miller, Sports Medicine, St. Elizabeth Hospital, 401 East 20th, Covington, 41014.
 - July 15 - Ashland. Dr. Garner Robinson, M.D. 700 13th Street, Ashland, KY 41101.
 - July 22 - Paintsville. Mary L. Ireland, M.D. (606)276-5266. 1800 South Limestone, Suite 101, Lexington, 40503.
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A.C.T. TEST DATES FOR 1988-89

With the enforcement of the N.C.A.A. Minimum Eligibility Guidelines, it is important to keep up with the test dates for the American College Testing Assessment (ACT test), and the Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT test).

For the remainder of this school year, the ACT schedule is as follows:

<u>Test Date</u>	<u>Regular Postmark Deadline</u>	<u>Late Deadline</u>
04/15/89	03/17/89	04/04/89
06/10/89	05/12/89	05/30/89

For the remainder of this school year, the SAT schedule is as follows:

<u>Test Date</u>	<u>Registration Deadline</u>
03/11/89	02/03/89
05/06/89	03/31/89
06/03/89	04/28/89

CONGRATULATIONS TO JIM WATKINS, SOUTHERN HIGH SCHOOL

Congratulations to Jim Watkins, Athletic Director at Southern High School has he has been recognized by the National Interscholastic Athletic Administrators Association as a Certified Athletic Administrator. To earn this distinction, Watkins has demonstrated the highest level of knowledge and expertise in the field of interscholastic athletic administration. The voluntary certification process included a thorough evaluation of the candidate's educational background, experience and professional contributions as well as a rigorous, comprehensive written examination. Watkins is one of 97 interscholastic athletic administrators nationwide to attain this level of professionalism in 1988. The NIAAA is a national professional organization consisting of all 50 state athletic administrators associations, and more than 5000 individual members. It is dedicated to promoting the professional growth of high school athletic administrators and preserving the educational nature of interscholastic athletics and the place of these programs in the secondary school curriculum. Congratulations again to Jim Watkins, of Southern High School for earning this distinction.

APPROVED DATES FOR BOYS & GIRLS STATE BASKETBALL TOURNAMENTS 1988-1992

- 1989 - Boys - March 15 - 18 * Rupp Arena, Lexington
- Girls - March 22 - 25 * Farnham Dudgeon Civic Center, Frankfort
- 1990 - Girls - March 14 - 17 * Diddle Arena, Bowling Green
- Boys - March 21 - 24 * Freedom Hall, Louisville
- 1991 - Boys - March 13 - 16 * Rupp Arena, Lexington
- Girls - March 20 - 23 * Farnham Dudgeon Civic Center, Frankfort
- 1992 - Boys - March 18 - 21 * Site to be Determined
- Girls - March 25 - 28 * Site to be Determined

BOYLE COUNTY SEEKS FOOTBALL COACH

The Boyle County Board of Education recently accepted the resignation of Boyle County's football coach, Sam Burke. Applications for the position will be taken until March 20, 1989, and should be directed to Jim Donlon, A.D., Boyle County High School, Perryville Road, Danville, KY 40422.

KNOTT COUNTY SEEKS FOOTBALL COACH

The Knott County Board of Education is accepting applications for the position of Head Football Coach. Persons interested should send a resume to James Reynolds, Principal of Knott County Central.

**1988 BOYS' "SWEET SIXTEEN"
CHAMPIONS
HENRY CLAY HIGH SCHOOL**



FRONT ROW: (L to R) Elizabeth Parker, Cheryl Long, Beth Lynn Wagner, Stacy Torstrick. **SECOND ROW:** (L to R) Mitzi Finn, Angie Rice, Joyce Sasson, Tammi Bair. **BACK ROW:** (L to R) Karen Harris, Lisa Carr, Monica Williams, Dana Newsome, Laura Combs, Amy Lieberman, Karen Thompson.

**KAPOS NEWS
STATE TOURNAMENT
INFORMATION**

Participating cheerleader and cheerleading coaches registration: all cheerleading squads and/or coaches are asked to stop by the KAPOs table to:

1. Register your squad.
2. Pick up important information and materials for you and your school.

Along with a KAPOs board member, there will be high school cheerleaders on hand to assist you. They can be identified by their hostess armbands. Feel free to ask them for help, and in turn they may seek you and your cheerleaders to be interviewed by one of the radio commentators. In order to make their task easier, we are asking that you register your seat, row and section number. A possible radio interview is often missed because the guides could not locate the desired person in time for the interview.

Hospitality Room: May we remind all cheerleading coaches and cheerleaders that KAPOs hosts a Hospitality Room for participating cheerleaders. We cordially invite you to have refreshments, socialize with friends, exchange ideas, and perhaps get help with your problems.

"Sweet 16" Cheerleading Squads: Attention Principals! If your team will be participating in the State Tournament, included in the packet sent to you by the KHSAA will be a letter pertaining to your cheerleading squad. Be sure to look for this and relay all information to your cheerleading coach. We request that your cheerleaders be chaperoned by a well qualified, school approved adult. Verification of this, along with your cheerleading coach's name, must be contained in the letter of confirmation which you will receive. This letter must be in the hands of the KAPOs officer prior to the time that your cheerleaders take the floor.

Important! Please be sure that your school is a paid member of KAPOs or pays the fee before their first

**1988 GIRLS' "SWEET SIXTEEN"
CHAMPIONS
EAST HARDIN HIGH SCHOOL**



FRONT ROW: (L to R) Kristy Miller, Rhonda Bailey. **MIDDLE ROW:** (L to R) Stacy Milby, Lori Jagers, Christi Walker, Tabi Scott. **BACK ROW:** (L to R) Mindy Sondergard, Angela Cornett, Dana Daugherty, Bobbi Jo Erdonan.

game in order for your squad to compete for the cheerleading awards in the State Tournament. The winners of these awards will be determined by use of the KAPOs Judging Sheet, a copy of which appears in the KAPOs Handbook.

AWARDING OF TROPHIES

KAPOs is pleased to honor outstanding cheerleading squads with the recognition they so well deserve. All cheerleader awards will be presented between games on Friday night of the State Tournament. The awards are as follows:

The winning cheerleader squad in the Boys' Sweet Sixteen will receive the Ted Sanford Trophy; in the Girls' Sweet Sixteen the Tom Mills Award. The runner-up cheerleading squad will receive a trophy, with the third and fourth place squads being awarded plaques. In addition, the special K-Pep Award will be presented. All tournament cheerleading squads and their coaches are asked to be located close to the playing floor so they can easily come on the floor should they be called for an award.

**GOVERNOR WILKINSON DECLARES
GOOD SPORTSMANSHIP MONTH**

While every month should be Good Sportsmanship Month, KAPOs has always tried to put special emphasis on being a good sport at tournament time. Being a good sport is part of being a good citizen. We don't believe that good citizens need to be reminded to exemplify good sportsmanship. However, it is especially fitting at tournament time to remind all citizens that it is a privilege to be able to attend the games and that each individual can contribute to the success of the tournament if he will abide by the KAPOs Sportsmanship Creed proclaimed by Governor Wilkinson. The Governor's proclamation is on display at the KAPOs table.

STATE-AT-LARGE CHAMPIONS

Recognition is annually given to cheerleading squads other than those sixteen fortunate enough to participate with their teams in the State Tournament. The winner will receive the Jane Meyer trophy, while the runner-up will receive the KAPOS President's Trophy. Plaques will be given to the third and fourth place squads.

Beginning at the district level, all squads that are KAPOS members are eligible to be judged for the honor of representing their district in the KAPOS Region-At-Large cheerleading competition. The winner and runner-up of each district will progress to the region. In turn the girls' varsity winner and runner-up and the boys' winner and runner-up from each region is allowed to compete for the title of State-At-Large Cheerleading Champions.

Judging for the Boys' State-At-Large winners will take place at 8:30 A.M., on Saturday, March 18, in Memorial Coliseum in Lexington.

Judging for the Girls' State-At-Large winners will take place at 8:30 A.M., on Saturday, March 25, at Bryan Station High School, Lexington. The public is invited to these outstanding events. The admission charge of \$3.00 will go toward the expenses of KAPOS scholarship award, details of which are supplied below.

At the conclusion of the judging, trophies will be awarded to the top squads, in addition to several special awards.

NOTES TO ALL ADMINISTRATORS

Many of you have responded to our SOS in releasing teaching personnel to assist with the many tasks necessary to keep this organization functioning effectively.

Again, we need judges and personnel help at the tournament. This involves at least 12 to 15 people. It is also backbreaking, tiresome work. However, we have many dedicated persons who have indicated a willingness to help share these duties provided they get a release from their administrators. Therefore, the KAPOS board is seeking your understanding and cooperation should you be asked to release a teacher from his or her duties to help carry on the work that KAPOS is doing to make cheerleading a worthwhile educational experience in the State of Kentucky.

STELLA S. GILB SCHOLARSHIP

KAPOS is happy to annually award the Stella S. Gilb Scholarship to outstanding cheerleaders from Kentucky. In 1988, KAPOS awarded nine, \$500 scholarships to well-deserving cheerleaders. One of your cheerleaders may be a potential scholarship winner, so get your applications in early. Applications must be turned in no later than April 30. Contact a KAPOS board member or officer for application forms, or pick them up at the State Tournament KAPOS Table.

KAPOS SERVICES

- Maintains an affiliation with the KHSAA in order that we may help them and they may assist us in any way possible to promote good sportsmanship in the state of Kentucky.
- Maintains continual communication with cheerleading coaches in the state to ascertain their needs, problems, suggestions and criticism.
- Publishes The Handbook of the Kentucky Association of Pep Sponsors.
- Holds judging clinics to promote better understanding between cheerleading coaches and judges, and to encourage consistency in interpretation of KAPOS rules and recommendations.
- Sponsors awards to outstanding cheerleading squads at the district regional, and state levels.
- Sponsors the judging of outstanding cheerleading squads at the State Tournament for the "Sweet 16" Competition.
- Sponsors Sportsmanship Month during the month of March.
- Hosts the KAPOS table and the KAPOS Hospitality Room at the State Tournament both Boys' and Girls'.

- Sponsors the Stella S. Gilb Scholarship, an educational scholarship awarded each year to outstanding an deserving cheerleaders in Kentucky.
- Presents "Cheerleading Coach of the Year Award".
- Presents the "Pat Dooley K-Pep Award" in each region and state tournament.
- Members serve as instructors and judges as requested by the various groups (KHSAA, YMCA, NCA, schools, etc.)

MEMBERSHIP REQUIREMENTS

Membership in KAPOS is open to all schools, elementary, secondary and college level, who are affiliated with a school system in Kentucky. Dues are \$2.00 per varsity cheerleader plus \$2.00 for the coach, and entitle the school to membership in the organization for the fiscal year from July 1st through June 30th.

Dues should be paid to the treasurer of KAPOS by Jan. 15. A membership card will then be returned to you. A KAPOS handbook is mailed to all high school principals at the beginning of each school year.

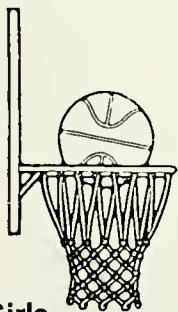
1989 DISTRICT TOURNAMENT HOSTS AND/OR SITES

Boys

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| 1. Hickman County | 33. Lloyd Memorial |
| 2. Heath | 34. Holy Cross (Covington) |
| 3. Ballard Memorial | 35. Newport Central Cath. |
| 4. Mayfield | 36. Highlands |
| 5. Lyon County | 37. Harrison County |
| 6. Henderson County | 38. Pendleton County |
| 7. Madisonville-N. Hopkins | 39. Mason County |
| 8. Christian County | 40. Estill County |
| 9. Owensboro | 41. Frankfort |
| 10. Muhlenberg Central | 42. Jessamine County |
| 11. Breckinridge County | 43. Lafayette |
| 12. Grayson County | 44. Model |
| 13. Butler County | 45. Boyle County |
| 14. Warren East | 46. Garrard County |
| 15. Barren County | 47. Russell County |
| 16. Monroe County | 48. Laurel County |
| 17. North Hardin | 49. Jackson County |
| 18. Green County | 50. Lynn Camp |
| 19. Nelson County | 51. Middlesboro |
| 20. Adair County | 52. Harlan |
| 21. Shawnee | 53. Jenkins |
| 22. Butler | 54. M.C. Napier |
| 23. Fairdale | 55. Riverside Christian |
| 24. DeSales | 56. Lee County |
| 25. Male | 57. Sheldon Clark |
| 26. Seneca | 58. Prestonsburg |
| 27. Jeffersontown | 59. Mullins |
| 28. Eastern | 60. Phelps |
| 29. Bullitt East | 61. Morgan County |
| 30. Henry County | 62. East Carter |
| 31. Oldham County | 63. Raceland |
| 32. Scott County | 64. Lawrence County |

Girls

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|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| 1. Hickman County | 33. Lloyd Memorial |
| 2. Heath | 34. Holy Cross (Covington) |
| 3. Ballard Memorial | 35. Newport Central Cath. |
| 4. Mayfield | 36. Highlands |
| 5. Lyon County | 37. Bourbon County |
| 6. Henderson County | 38. Augusta |
| 7. Madisonville-N. Hopkins | 39. Mason County |
| 8. Christian County | 40. Estill County |
| 9. Owensboro | 41. Frankfort |
| 10. Muhlenberg Central | 42. Jessamine County |
| 11. Breckinridge County | 43. Lafayette |
| 12. Grayson County | 44. Model |
| 13. Butler County | 45. Boyle County |
| 14. Franklin Simpson | 46. Garrard County |
| 15. Barren County | 47. Russell County |
| 16. Monroe County | 48. Laurel County |
| 17. West Hardin | 49. Jackson County |
| 18. Green County | 50. Lynn Camp |
| 19. Nelson County | 51. Middlesboro |
| 20. Adair County | 52. Harlan |
| 21. Shawnee | 53. Fleming-Neon |
| 22. Butler | 54. M.C. Napier |
| 23. Fairdale | 55. Riverside Christian |
| 24. Holy Rosary | 56. Lee County |
| 25. Male | 57. Sheldon Clark |
| 26. Seneca | 58. Prestonsburg |
| 27. Jeffersontown | 59. Mullins |
| 28. Eastern | 60. Phelps |
| 29. Bullitt East | 61. Morgan County |
| 30. Henry County | 62. East Carter |
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1989 REGIONAL TOURNAMENT HOSTS AND/OR SITES

Girls

1. Murray State University
2. Trigg County
3. Apollo
4. Allen County - Scottsville
5. Green County
6. Iroquois
7. Ballard
8. Oldham County
9. Newport
10. Bourbon County
11. Bryan Station
12. Danville
13. Bell County
14. Leslie County
15. Paintsville
16. Boyd County

Boys

1. Murray State University
2. Madisonville-N. Hopkins
3. Breckinridge County
4. Barren County
5. Hart County
6. Iroquois
7. Ballard
8. Henry County
9. Holmes
10. Mason County
11. U.K. - Memorial Coliseum
12. Wayne County
13. Bell County
14. Breathitt County
15. Prestonsburg
16. Morehead State University

1989 State Tennis Committee Meeting continued from Page 5.

Miscellaneous items included a revision of the tennis information to allow a substitution for a singles or a doubles player on a TEAM entry only. This would be for injury, illness or circumstances beyond the athletes control. Any substitution must be verified by the coach or school official. As in the past there can be no substitution after the start of play.

The committee recommended that the Board of Control consider conducting a survey with regard to moving Girls Tennis to the fall. It was also recommended that the Board consider developing a dress code for the Regional and State Tournaments in tennis primarily to prohibit excessive product and camp advertising by commercial enterprises.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.



TRACK CLINICS

The dates for the Kentucky High School Athletic Association Track & Field Rules Clinics for coaches and officials are as follows:

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| March 20, 1989 | 7:00 p.m. EST | Meece Middle School
Somerset |
| March 28, 1989 | 7:00 p.m. CST | Daviess Co. High School |
| March 29, 1989 | 7:00 p.m. EST | St. Xavier High School |
| March 30, 1989 | 7:00 p.m. EST | Tates Creek High School |
| April 4, 1989 | 7:00 p.m. EST | Russell High School |
| April 5, 1989 | 7:00 p.m. EST | Covington Catholic H.S. |



1989 NATIONAL FEDERATION TRACK & FIELD RULE INTERPRETATIONS PART I



PUBLICATION CORRECTIONS

Rule Book

Page 27 - Rule 5-4-6, revise to read in part, "The hurdle requires a steady pullover force, etc." - insert "steady".

Page 58 - Rule 9-6-4(a), delete "or field event area" in second line and "in a field event" in the third line.

1989 Track & Field Examination Answer Sheet - #51 should be False.

SITUATION #1: In consideration of the wet throwing surface in the boy's discus event, A1 is wearing socks over his shoes to provide for better traction. A protest is raised over the legality of this alleged "aid".

RULING: The protest shall be denied. (4-3-1)

COMMENT: As long as the competitor is wearing a legal uniform, including a legal shoe, the wearing of a sock over the shoe would not be any different than using a shoe with a fabric or "sock-type" sole. Wearing a sock over the shoe is an option easily available to any competitor, so A1 has not gained an advantage not available to the other competitors.

SITUATION #2: Members of Team A's relay team are wearing tights underneath their track shorts that include (a) a manufacturer's logo, (b) a number used by the school for uniform identification, (c) a manufacturer's or school's name stenciled down the outside seam of the tights, (d) a single trim stripe down the side of the leotard.

RULING: In (a) and (b), if the manufacturer's logo or school identification number is a single, reasonably small size (approximately 2" by 3"), it would not violate the spirit or intent of the rule requiring undangerments to be of a single, solid color. Illegal in (c) and (d). (4-3-1)

SITUATION #3: In the long jump, A1 is wearing a pair of shoes that have seven sole and two heel spikes. The event judge informs A1 that one of the sole spikes will have to be removed.

RULING: The judge is in error. The former restriction limiting the number of spikes allowed in the jumping events has been removed. (7-2-8)

SITUATION #4: A1 has participated in the shot put and long jump, as well as Team A's 4 x 100 and 4 x 200 meter relays when she reports to the girl's 4 x 400 meter relay. When the clerk of course questions A1 about her previous participation, she replies it was her sister and not her that ran in the 4 x 100 meter relay. Later it is determined that A1 had, in fact, participated in the 4 x 100 meter relay, making the 4 x 400 meter relay her fifth event. It was discovered (a) immediately follow the relay which Team A won, or (b) within 30 minutes of the completion of the meet, or (c) three days after the conclusion of the meet.

RULING: Team A will forfeit all places, team points and medals earned by A1 in the shot put and long jump, as well as any places, points, etc. they may have won in the three relays, of which A1 was a member. In (a), lower place teams will advance to fill the vacant places. In (b) and (c), lower place winners will not be advanced.

COMMENT: This situation could have been avoided if discovered before A1 participated, i.e., reported to the clerk of course, in the 4 x 400 meter relay. If A1 did participate in the 4 x 100 meter relay under her sister's name, a much more serious violation has occurred. Competing under an assumed name should be dealt with by the state high school association. (4-2-1; 4-2-2; S.R. 4.2.2A)

SITUATION #5: At the state final qualifying meet, the games committee has provided starting blocks for all competitors. In the 100 meter high hurdles, A1 wishes to use his own starting blocks, similar in style, but of a different make or model. B1 wishes to use his own starting blocks that have been especially adapted to accommodate his standing start technique.

RULING: A1's request will be denied. B1's request will be granted, provided it does not require any modification of the track, or damage to the surface of an all-weather or composition-type track surface. (3-2-3n; S.R. 5.4.2)

COMMENT: The prerogative of the games committee to provide common implements, batons and starting blocks is to expedite meet administration, especially in large meets with many competitors. While this usually means competitors may have their choice of a wooden or rubber discus, or an iron or brass shot, it usually is only necessary to have one model of a conventional starting block. However, the rules have always provided for a modification of the starting blocks in sprint and hurdle races to accommodate starting techniques that may not include the more traditional "four-point stance" or "crouch start".

SITUATION #6: During the running of the boy's 3200 meter run, the lap caller mistakenly identifies the beginning of the seventh lap as the gun lap, instead of the eighth. The starter fires the gun and the finish line procedure is set up after all runners have passed the common finish line, and all but A1, who was third across the finish line at the end of the seventh lap, stops running after they cross the finish line and seemingly finish the race. A1, who knew there was another lap to go, continues running for one more lap. The officials are trying to decide whether A1 is, in fact, the winner and all other runners are disqualified for not completing the race.

RULING: Due to the official's error, the options are (a) rerun the race, or (b) record the results as the end of the seventh lap.

COMMENT: Option (a) is, of course, the logical resolution, but there may be circumstances that prevent the rerunning of a race and in this case, the results of the abbreviated race should stand. (3-4-3; 3-4-1, 3-4-5; 3-4-6)

SITUATION #7: There are seven competitors remaining in the pole vault when a severe rainstorm causes the games committee to suspend the competition and announces that the event will be continued on the following Monday. When the meet was suspended, the crossbar was at 13'9" and five of the seven competitors had cleared that height. Two of them had one or more trials remaining.

RULING: When the competition resumed on Monday, the two competitors with remaining trials will begin competition at 13'9". All competitors will be permitted to warm-up with the bar at any height they select. (3-2-7)

SITUATION #8: In the men's discus throw, A1 takes a position with his left foot within the circle and his right foot outside the circle. After pausing, he begins his throw by pivoting off his left foot and bringing his right foot into the circle.

RULING: Illegal throw. (6-3-8)

COMMENT: The purpose of the discus circle is to establish an area in which the competition must take place. A competitor may not begin his throwing motion until he has "paused after entering the throwing circle". As long as a competitor is touching on or outside the circle, he is not considered to be "within the circle" (any more than a basketball player would be "inbounds" if he was touching on or outside the boundary line).

SITUATION #9: In a combined boy's and girl's state final meet, there is one competition area for the shot and one for the discus. It is decided the competition in the throwing events will begin with the boy's shot and the girl's discus, followed by the boy's discus and the girl's shot put.

Some coaches protest that this is a disadvantage to those athletes who are competing in both of the weight events because they will be required to throw the heavier implement first.

RULING: The protest will be denied.

COMMENT: There is absolutely no basis for the protest. The practice of alternating weight events in meets that combine two or more classes of competition and/or boy's and girl's competition is quite common and well accepted. Even in meets in which there is only one class, i.e., all boys, it is quite common to start both throwing events in early flights in one event and later flights in the other, but with no regard as to whether the competitor doubling in both events throws the shot or the discus first.

SITUATION #10: In an 11-team county cross country meet, the teams are permitted to enter a maximum of seven competitors. Team A, in an attempt to conceal the identity of the seven runners intended to make up its cross country team, placed eight runners at the starting line and when the gun is fired, seven runners started and the eighth (who was injured) remained behind the line. Team A finished with the lowest team score.

RULING: A8 is considered to have become a participant when he/she reported to the starting line. Team A shall be disqualified for exceeding the allowable number of participants. (9-4-1; 4-1-2)

COMMENT: In the absence of any specific coverage in Rule 9, any of the rules in the Track and Field and Cross Country Rule Book that might apply to cross country competition should be followed. This would include entry deadlines and the specific time when a contestant becomes a participant (4-1-2). This is no different than the note following Rule 9-2-6, referring to Rules 2-3-1 and 2-3-2 on the correction of errors applying to cross country scoring.

SITUATION #11: Team A includes six entries on its 1600 and 3200 meter relay teams, including A1 who is also entered in three individual events. At the scratch meeting, prior to the meet, the coach of Team A wishes to scratch A1 from one of the individual events to make A1 eligible for both relays.

RULING: Illegal. (4-2-1; 5-9-2)

COMMENT: When Rule 4-2-1 was revised to apply only to entries in individual events, it was not intended to permit a competitor to scratch from an individual event to make them eligible to compete in an additional relay race. Scratching from an individual event is different than "not participating" on a relay team for which the competitor's name is listed as one of up to six possible entries.



1989 NATIONAL FEDERATION BASEBALL RULE INTERPRETATIONS PART I



PUBLICATION CORRECTIONS

1989 Baseball Rules Examination Part I - Answer to #27 should be "false." The reference should be "6-1-1."

SITUATION #1 Is a graphite bat legal?

RULING: No. Only wood, magnesium or aluminum bats are legal. 1-3-5.

SITUATION #2: R1 is at first base. F1 comes set, steps backwards off the pitcher's plate with his non-pivot foot, and whips a throw over the first baseman's head into dead ball territory. What is the award?

RULING: Since the pitcher is considered to be a fielder, if not in contact with the pitcher's plate, the award would be two bases. 8-3-3-c,d.

SITUATION #3: With R1 on second base, B2 hits a line drive to the right-center field gap. R1 remains close to second base, thinking that the ball will be caught. B2 sees that the ball will not be caught and is thinking that he can reach third base. R1 then realizes that a catch is impossible and takes off for third base with B2 right behind him. F9 cuts the ball off. His exceptionally strong throw to third base sails into dead ball territory before R1 has reached third base. What is the award?

RULING: The award is two bases from the time the ball left the hand of the thrower. Only the lead runner is entitled to the maximum award. Therefore, R1 is awarded home, while B2 has to remain at third base. 8-3-4.

SITUATION #4: While in the stretch position, F1 feints a throw to third base and then to first base without breaking contact with the pitcher's plate. Is this a legal move?

RULING: No. This is a balk. A pitcher may feint to second or third base while in contact with the pitcher's plate. A feint toward first base while in contact with pitcher's plate is a balk. 6-2-4-a

SITUATION #5: Can the pitcher DH for himself?

RULING: No. A team does not have to use a DH, but if it does, a DH must be somebody other than the nine defensive players. 3-1-4.

SITUATION #6: With two outs, bases loaded, three balls and two strikes on B5 and R2 moving on the pitch, B5 hits a slow roller down the third base line. There was incidental contact between R1 and F5, but the umpire did not judge the contact to impede or interfere with F5 fielding the ball. At the end of playing action, the coach of the defensive team argued that any contact, however slight, is interference and the runner shall be out. The coach went on to say that is the call was not changed he would protest and submit a video tape of the actual play to the protest committee for review. Should the protest committee accept the video tape to support the coaches' claim that interference should have been called?

RULING: The protest shall not be accepted. Umpire judgement is not protestable. Misapplication of a rule can be. Use of a video tape on an umpire judgement call is not appropriate, and therefore, should not be accepted or reviewed. 10-1-3.

SITUATION #7: While his pitcher is warming up between innings, the coach stands near the mound and gives him instructions on how to pitch to upcoming batters. Is this legal?

RULING: Yes. However, when it is time for the pitcher to deliver his pitch, if the coach is still on the field or contributing to delay of the game, the coach would be assessed a charged conference. 3-4-1.

SITUATION #8: The DH hits for F9. In the third inning the DH replaces F5. After one pitch the coach of the team at bat appeals. During the time out, the coach of the defensive team takes F9 out of the game, but the umpire did not eject the DH.

RULING: Since the DH was an illegal substitute, he should have been ejected. If the DH continues playing, the game is subject to protest. 3-1-1, 3-1-4

SITUATION #9: With two strikes on B2, B2 swings and misses the pitch, but interferes with F2 who is trying to throw out R1.

RULING: If in the umpire's judgement F2 could have thrown out R1, then R1 shall be called out. If the umpire did not feel that R1 would have been thrown out, then the umpire shall return R1 to first base. 8-4-2-b.

SITUATION #10: With no runners on base, F1 assumes the set position. In coming set, he stops with his hands in front of his face. Is this legal since there were no runners on base?

RULING: No. Anytime a pitcher pitches from the set position, he must come to a complete and discernible stop in front of his body and below the chin. 6-1-3.

SITUATION #11: On a ball hit to right center field, F4 stands between first and second base but not in the base line. He pounds the pocket of his glove as if he expects to receive a throw. R1 slows down thinking that F4 is about to receive the ball. He then realizes that he has been tricked. F2 makes it safely to second base, which is the base he would have reached had he not slowed down. Is F4 guilty of obstruction?

RULING: Yes. Because F4 intentionally deceived R1, similar to a fake tag situation, R1 would be awarded the base he was advancing to at the time of the obstruction. Therefore, R1 would be awarded third base. 2-5-3, 8-3-2, 8-8-2 Play 2

SITUATION #12: At the bottom of the seventh inning, with the tying run on third and two outs, B4 hits a shallow pop fly to right field. Thinking that the ball will be caught, B4 throws his bat in disgust and is called out immediately and ejected by the umpire. F9 does not get to the ball in time and the ball falls in for a hit, scoring R1. Did the umpire rule correctly?

RULING: No. The penalty for deliberately throwing a bat is ejection. If the bat had interfered somehow with the play of a fielder, then the batter could be called out for interference. 3-3-1-b

SITUATION #13: B5 bats instead of B4 and walks. B5's coach realizes the mistake and informs the umpire. Does this act provide immunity from the batting out of order rule?

RULING: No. Normally, the defensive team would detect such an infraction, but if the team at bat brings such an infraction to the attention of the umpire the penalty is imposed. 7-1-1

SITUATION #14: A coach restricted to the bench asks for time to have a conference with one of his players at the bench.

RULING: Legal. As long as the coach does not leave the bench or dugout, he may confer with any of his players. 3-3-1 Penalty.

SITUATION #15: A team with no eligible substitutes is forced to play with eight players due to the ejection of a player. Upon completion of the junior varsity game, several players stop by to watch the game. The coach informs the umpire that he now has another player.

RULING: Once a team plays with eight, it can never play at full strength, even if other players become available. 4-4-1-1

SITUATION #16: F1, in the stretch position, starts to step forward with his non-pivot foot before coming to a complete stop.

RULING: Balk. Until the pitcher comes to a complete and discernible stop, the pitcher cannot make any movement to the plate with his legs. 6-1-1

SITUATION #17: B1 hits a line drive over the head of F7, in running toward the fence, makes the catch, but because the outfield grass is wet, cannot stop and continues on to the outfield fence where he runs into the fence. The ball squirts from his glove and goes over the fence. Is this a catch or a home run?

RULING: This is a home run. Even though F7 had the ball in his glove, he was not able to gain control of his momentum, which is considered an element of a catch. 2-3-1

SITUATION #18: On a fly ball toward dead ball territory, F5 makes the catch with one foot in dead ball territory, but the other foot is in the air.

RULING: If the foot in the air had not touched dead ball territory prior to the catch, the catch would be allowed. The ball would remain alive unless the fielder's foot that was in the air came down in dead ball territory. 5-1-1-h

SITUATION #19: A coach yells at his runner to take out the second basemen on a double play attempt. The runner slides into second and makes contact with the second basemen. Is the runner out for interference?

RULING: As long as the runner made a legal slide, he would not be called for interference should he make contact with the second basemen. 8-4-2-1

SITUATION #20: With R1 on first and one out, the next pitch to B2 is called ball four, but R1, not knowing it is ball four, attempts to steal second base. F2 throws down to second base. R1 overslides the base and is tagged. Is R1 out?

RULING: R1 is entitled to second base because of the base on balls to B2. However, upon oversliding second base, he forfeited his right to the base. Therefore, he would be out if tagged by the defense. 8-4-2-a

SITUATION #21: After the line-up has been presented at the pre-game conference, but before the first pitch, the coach substitutes S1 for B1.

RULING: Legal, provided B1 is not listed as the pitcher. If B1 is withdrawn, he has been in the game even though he has not participated. 3-1-1

SITUATION #22: As S1 prepares to pitch to the first batter, the batter informs the umpire that the sweatband worn on the wrist of F1's pitching hand is distracting. The coach of F1 contends that the sweatband is neither white nor grey, and therefore should be permitted.

RULING: The pitcher would not be permitted to wear a grey or white sweatband. However, the pitcher may wear a sweatband on the wrist of his pitching hand, provided the umpire does not feel that it is distracting. Each situation is different and the judgement of each umpire is likely to vary. Nevertheless, the umpire has the final say as to whether a sweatband, other than white or grey can be worn. 1-1-5

SITUATION #23: R1 steals second before F2 can make a throw. As R1 dusts himself off, F6 tells him that the ball was hit foul. R1 begins to trot back to first base and is immediately tagged out. R1 claims that F6's comment caused him to be put out and asks the umpire to nullify the out and allow him to remain at second base.

RULING: The out stands. R1, as well as his base coaches, have a responsibility to know whether the ball was hit fair or foul before vacating the base. 8-4-2-e



1989 NATIONAL FEDERATION SOFTBALL RULE INTERPRETATIONS PART I



PUBLICATION CORRECTIONS

Rule Book

Page 27 - In 3-3-1 Penalty, in fourth line "8-4-2-m," should be "8-4-2-o."
page 48 - In 8-2-4 Note 1, change "8-4-2-e" to "8-4-2-g."
Page 55 - In 8-4-2-n, delete "Penalty."
Page 38 - Add "thigh" to 6-2-2 line "7."

Case Book

Page 22 - In next to last line of #9, revise sentence to read: "A fake tag is a form of obstruction."
Page 50 - Delete 1.1.6 f Play.
Page 76 - In 8.2.5 b Play, revise last line of ruling to read: "dead and call R3 out."

SITUATION #1: On a single to right field, R1 is obstructed before reaching second base, but arrives at the base safely. In the opinion of the umpire R1 would not have been able to reach third base on the hit. What base is R1 awarded, because of the obstruction?

RULING: An obstructed runner is always awarded at least one base beyond the base occupied at the time of obstruction. Since the obstruction occurred before R1 had reached second base, and since the umpire did not feel that R1 could have advanced further, R1 is entitled to second base. 8-3-2

SITUATION #2: Are ear flaps required on catcher's helmets?

RULING: No. A catcher is required to wear a head protector, but the head protector does not have to have ear flaps.

NOTE: NOCSAE has not established a standard for catcher's helmets, therefore, a catcher's head protector that does not have a NOCSAE stamp is legal. 1-1-7.

SITUATION #3: Are barrettes and ribbons worn in the hair legal?

RULING: Barrettes are considered jewelry and therefore, illegal. Ribbons worn in the hair are not considered jewelry and would be legal. 1-1-9

SITUATION #4: With the bases loaded, B3 hits a ball to F5 who steps on third base and then throws home in an attempt to retire R1. R2 is obstructed between second and third by F6. Is R1 awarded home base and R2 awarded third base?

RULING: If R2 was obstructed before F5 stepped on third base, then R2 would be awarded third. R1 would not have been affected by the obstruction and therefore, is advancing at her own risk. 8-3-2

SITUATION #5: B2 hits a sharp line drive down the third base line. F5 dives for the ball, which glances off her glove and goes into dead ball territory a short distance away. Is she awarded one base or two?

RULING: B2 is awarded two bases. 8-3-3-c.

SITUATION #6: B1 swings and hits the ball off her hands. The ball goes into fair territory. Is this considered a fair ball or is the ball dead immediately and a strike called?

RULING: The ball is dead immediately and a strike is called. 5-1-1-a

SITUATION #7: B1 enters the batters box with a metal bat that has a polyurethane or vinyl plug in the barrel end of the bat. The catcher believes that the bat is illegal and expresses her concern to the umpire.

RULING: The rules do not prohibit a plug in the barrel end of the bat. 1-3-5

SITUATION #8: On ball four, B1 advances to first base and without stopping continues on to second base even though F1 has the ball in the circle. Is this legal?

RULING: Yes. As long as B1 did not stop at first base, she may attempt to advance. 8-4-2-g

SITUATION #9: F1 assumes the pitching position with her non-pivot foot behind the pitcher's plate. When she leans forward as she begins her delivery the heel on her non-pivot foot is lifted off the ground. F1 then leans back, and in so doing her heel comes in contact with the ground, which in effect creates a rocker-type action. Is this legal?

RULING: Yes. As long as the non-pivot foot does not change locations or leave the ground entirely, there is no penalty. If the non-pivot foot is lifted, then a step forward is required with that foot. 6-1-1, 6-1-2-d

SITUATION #10: R1 attempts to steal second base. B2 swings and misses the pitch for the third strike but interferes with F2.

RULING: The umpire can rule R1 out because of B2's interference if in his judgement F2 could have thrown R1 out. If the umpire did not believe that F2 could have thrown R1 out, R1 would have to return to first base. 8-2-6.

SITUATION #11: If a game is rained out in the bottom of the fourth inning and the score is 1-4 in favor of the Home Team, is this a suspended game?

RULING: Yes, unless both coaches agree not to complete the game. If one coach does not want to call it a suspended game and the other coach does, the game shall be suspended.

NOTE: Had both coaches agreed to not complete the game, the game would be considered "no contest". 4-3-1

SITUATION #12: With R1 on second base, B2 is hit by an illegal pitch.

RULING: B2 is awarded first base and R1 is awarded second base. 8-1-1-d, 8-3-3-d

SITUATION #13: With R1 on third and one out, B3 receives ball four. B3 starts to first base. F2 returns the ball immediately to F1 in the circle. Can B3 continue advancing after touching first base or must she stay in contact with the base?

RULING: As long as B3 does not stop at first base, she is entitled to continue her advance. If she stops between bases she must advance or return immediately. 8-4-2

SITUATION #14: After receiving ball four, B1 advances to first base. F2 throws to F3 at first base in an effort to prevent B1 from attempting to advance further. If this legal?

RULING: Yes. The catcher's throw to first is a play on a runner. 6-1-3-e

SITUATION #15: Can sweatshirt hoods be worn?

RULING: Yes. If one wears a hood, no other type of headwear may be worn except hoods. 1-1-5

SITUATION #16: B1, who had previously been warned about throwing a bat, is hit by a pitch and then carelessly throws her bat as she advances to first base. Is the ball dead immediately?

RULING: It is delay dead ball situation. At the end of playing action, the player shall be ejected. 3-3-1-a

SITUATION #17: B1 deliberately lets a pitch hit her. The pitch was not in the strike zone.

RULING: The ball is dead immediately. B1 is awarded a ball. 7-3-4. If, B1, not getting out of the way interfered with the catcher possibly being able to put out a runner, interference can be called. (7-3-5).

SITUATION #18: With R1 on first, B2 bunts the ball down the first base line. F3 fields the ball and runs toward B2. B2, in an effort to buy time for R1, backtracks toward home. Is this legal?

RULING: B1's tactic is illegal. Therefore she would be called out. The ball is dead immediately, and all runners return to bases occupied at the time of the pitch. 8-4-2-i

SITUATION #19: On a bunt down the third base line, the ball goes into foul territory, where it is kicked by the runner on third base. Is the runner out?

RULING: The ball is dead immediately. If the runner intentionally kicked the ball, the runner shall be called out. 8-4-2-d

SITUATION #20: In the first game of the state tournament, Team A defeats Team B, 4-3 in ten innings. In the first inning of the second game, the pitcher of the visiting team complains that the pitcher's plate is not set at the correct distance. The umpire measures the distance and confirms the error. The pitcher's plate is immediately reset at the correct distance. The coach of (a) the home team protests because the pitcher of the visiting team did not have to pitch at the incorrect distance as did the home team pitcher, or (b) the coach of the losing team of the first game, upon hearing that the distance was incorrect, files a protest.

RULING: Once a game starts, a protest cannot be filed should the distances of the bases or the pitcher's plate be incorrect. In all cases, incorrect distances should be corrected immediately, even if one team had to run the bases or pitch at an incorrect distance. 1-4-3

SITUATION #21: With two outs and the bases loaded, B6 receives ball four. R1, representing the winning run, races home to score. B6's teammates rush to congratulate B6, who does not reach first base.

RULING: All awarded bases must be touched. Furthermore, a run cannot score if the runner advances to home base during action in which the third out is made by the batter-runner before touching first base. 8-3-1, 9-1-1-a

SITUATION #22: As F1 begins her delivery, B2 steps out of the batter's box, causing F1 to halt her delivery.

RULING: If B1 is judged by the umpire to have intentionally stepped out of the batter's box to cause F1 to commit an illegal pitch, the umpire can issue a warning and then eject him or her if she repeats the act. If the batter steps out because of getting dust in the eyes for example, there is no penalty. 3-3-1-c

SITUATION #23: Is the pitcher the only player who has to have a glove/mitt that is uniform in color?

RULING: Yes. 1-3-6

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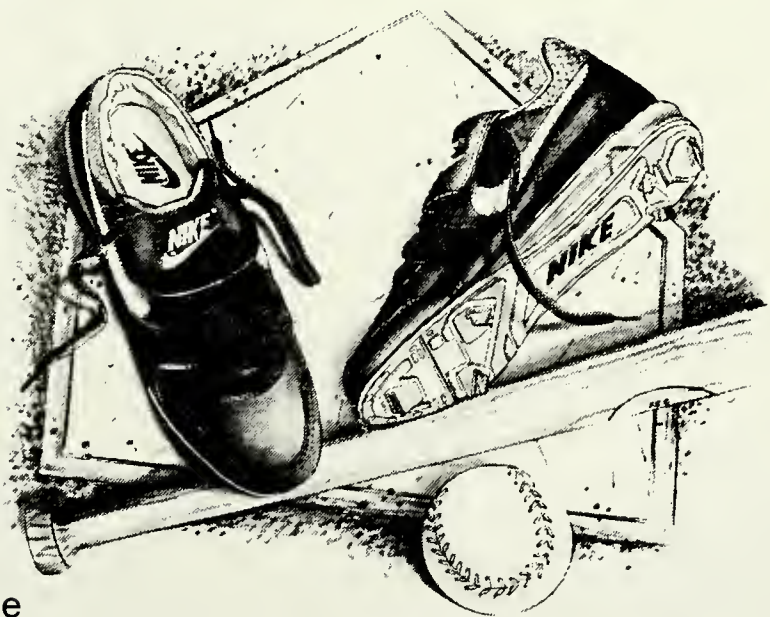
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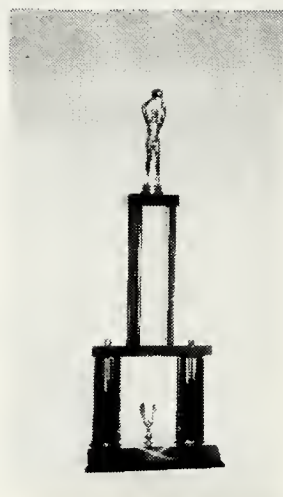
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