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1991-92 Approved and Certified Baseball Officials

The following baseball officials have qualified for the ratings of APPROVED or CERTIFIED as a result of the National Federation Examination.

CERTIFIED

Bivens, Sam
Combs, Ira D
Conn, Curtis Dale
Greathouse, Jerome

Henegar, James W.
Horn, Greg
Maynard, William R.
McCallum, Larry R.

Pearson, William M.
Puckett, Jeffrey G.
Simpson, Earsie L.
Thacker, Todd

APPROVED

Adams, Darryl
Arnett, Jr., Michael A
Ashley, Paul R
Beatty, Dennis Sherman
Bertman, Dick
Black, Joseph Michael
Blair, Billy
Blount, Patrick
Cheak, Harry Tom
Collins, Michael J.
Compton, Brian
Cornett, Siah G
Cornett, Wesley M.
Dister, Don
Ellis, Timothy
Ennis, Justin D
Farmer, David A
Feiker, Dan
Finn, Daniel J.
Forester, Stephen E.
Forrester, Nicky L.

Gillum, Fred
Hancock, Jerry B
Henley, Penny
Hill, Ted
Hines, Gerald W
Horn, Nebert
Hornback, Shane E.
Hoskins, Willie J.
James, Kenneth E.
Joiner, Jerry A
Kimberlan, Paul
Kortz, Charles
Kramer, Scott
Kriz, Steve
Lewis, Eric P.
Long, James E.
Martin, Bryon R.
Mathis, Robin Kevin
Merritt, Daniel A.
Mills, Tim Hobart
Moore, Edward J.

Napier, Glenn
Napier, Randall
Neeley, Robert
O'Nan, James
Parker, Rick L
Pennington, R Lynn
Phillips, Kenneth A.
Powers, James A.
Rhodus, Jack
Roy, Dwight M
Sciubba, Arthur J.
Smedley, Bob
Smith, Ronald Lee
Stephens, Gary
Teague, Thomas J.
Thompson, Barry W.
Walker, William J
Whitehead, Rick
Wilson, Brian
Wolford, Eric D.
Woods, Ralph

1991-92 Approved and Certified Softball Officials

The following softball officials have qualified for the ratings of APPROVED or CERTIFIED as a result of the National Federation Examination.

CERTIFIED

Caudill, Billy James
Cook, Larry G
Dillingham, Kent
Ellis, Timothy
Finchum, Dirk
Hatcher, Vaughn

Hayes, James V. (Pete)
Hughes, Roy S.
Jones, Denver "Smockey"
Matusiak, Martin H.
Newell, John
Pearl, Jr., George W

Phelps, Joseph "Bucky"
Russell, Gary E.
Turley, Jr., Roy M.
White, David A.
Wilson, Kenneth H
Wooton, Windel E.

APPROVED

Ashley, Paul R
Blair, Carl H.
Blevins, Thomas A
Burkeen, Anthony J.
Carroll, Bill W
Carte, Larry
Cummins, James Neal
Ditto, Pamela
Fabre, Gary
Foster, Lewis A
Garmon, Steve
Gish, Darrell R.
Glisson, Richard
Gottbrath, Vincent H.
Greer, Sammy
Griffith, Keith
Hilliard, W. Gerard

Hoskins, Willie J.
Hurd, Danny
Johnson, Ric M.
Kazlauskas, Dan J
Keen, Kevin
King, Michael A.
Lange, William E.
Long, James E.
Miniard, Max
Miniard, Steve
Napier, Randall
Neeley, Robert
Neihoff, Gerald
O'Nan, James
Paul, Judi Rogers
Phillips, Kenneth A.
Platt, Joe

Powers, James A
Powers, Steve
Puckett, Jeffrey G
Roy, Dwight M
Singleton, Jim
Smith, Sandro E.
Spaulding, Harrison
Stephens, Joe
Turner, Tommy G.
Wadlington, Carroll
Wallace, John
White, Donald J.
Whitehead, Rick
Wilson, Lance
Wooton, Rick
Yaden, Andrea Burnette
Zschery, William K.

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1991-92 ANNUAL REPORT

(Commissioner's Report to Delegate Assembly)

Two hundred eighty-six schools joined the Association for the 1991-92 school year. Six of these schools enroll girls only and six have only boys. In 1990-91 there were 288 schools and in 1989-90 there were 293 schools.

There were 206 schools involved in Football. Classes A, AA, AAA and AAAA championship games were played at the Fairgrounds, Louisville. Attendance was approximately 22,649 and ticket receipts were \$105,975. Expenses involved in conducting the state football playoffs were \$35,725. The approximate gross receipts from the Football District, Regional and Sectional Playoff games were \$525,370. with expenses of conducting these games reported as \$167,040. Paid attendance at the 120 games was approximately 142,831. All profits from the District, Regional and Sectional football playoff games are divided among the participating schools.

The number of schools competing in Volleyball was 71. The K.H.S.A.A. sanctioned tournament was held at Seneca High School, Louisville on November 8-9, 1991. Expenses incurred were \$5,595. with receipts of \$10,025.

In Cross Country 207 boys' teams entered 24 regional meets. Two hundred two girls' teams entered all three classes in 23 regionals. The expenses incurred in sponsoring this sport were \$18,805. and the receipts were \$9,395. Classes A, AA and AAA were held in Lexington at the Kentucky Horse Park.

There were 132 schools competing in Soccer. The State Tournament was held in Versailles at Woodford County High School, from November 15-16, 1991. The receipts were \$15,734. and expenses incurred were \$9,171.

There were 215 boys' teams competing in Golf, with the State Tournament being played at the Lincoln Trails Country Club Golf Course in Vine Grove. There were 148 girls' teams competing in Golf, with the State Tournament held at Elizabethtown Country Club in Elizabethtown. Expenses associated with the State Golf Tournaments were \$14,901.

There were 59 schools competing in Wrestling in eight districts and four regions with the winner and runner-up in each weight class advancing to the state finals. The championship tournament was held at Atherton High School. Expenditures incurred were \$12,486. The receipts were \$16,245.

In Swimming 97 girls' teams and 96 boys' teams competed for the championships. The meets were held at The Lancaster Aquatic Center, University of Kentucky, Lexington, Kentucky on February 21-22, 1992. The receipts were \$6,586.00 and the expenses were \$11,848.

The reported gross receipts from the boys' and girls' district Basketball tournaments were approximately \$524,427. with reported expenses of \$165,067., while the regional tournaments took in approximately \$335,587. with reported expenses of \$77,173. Twelve boys and girls district reports and eleven boys and girls regional reports have not been received at this time. All profits from the District and Regional Basketball Tournaments are divided among the participating schools.

Ticketed attendance at the Boys' State Tournament was approximately 84,507 as compared to 129,139 for last year. The gross ticket receipts this year for the tournament are estimated at \$677,000. with expenditures of approximately \$244,450.

Attendance at the Girls' State Basketball Tournament was 32,188 compared to 31,247 for last year. The gross ticket receipts were \$137,930. with expenditures of approximately \$92,700. A complete report will appear in the audit.

In the other sports that are to follow, 269 Baseball teams will compete in 64 districts and 16 regions; 246 Softball teams will compete in 55 districts and 14 regions. There are 230 schools participating in boys and girls Track in eight regions in each classification--A, AA, AAA.; 211 girls' and 212 boys' Tennis teams will play in 13 regions. State championships in Baseball and Softball will be held in Owensboro, and the State Tennis Meet will be held at the University of Kentucky. The site of the State Track Meet is unknown at this time.

As of this date, receipts from the Sale of Novelties (sweat shirts, T-shirts, caps, visors, pennants, mugs, buttons, magnets) during K.H.S.A.A. State Events totaled \$28,221.

For your information, the receipts and expenditures incurred during the 1990-91 spring sports season were as follows:

	<u>Receipts</u>	<u>Expenditures</u>	<u>Sale of Novelties</u>
Baseball	\$10,096.	\$18,499.	\$263.
Softball	5,680.	26,397.	808.
Tennis	200.	20,421.	288.
Track	9,259.	65,685.	525.

A total of 3037 officials registered with the Officials' Division of the Association as of April 6, 1992, and the number of approved and certified officials in each sport are as follows:

	<u>REGISTERED</u>	<u>APPROVED</u>	<u>CERTIFIED</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
Baseball	362	162	122	646
Basketball	659	361	553	1573
Football	186	205	408	799
Soccer	123	102	63	288
Softball	285	111	29	425
Track & Field	52	3	1	36
Volleyball	60	39	16	115
Wrestling	37	4	7	48

Sec. Dir. George Mercker conducted twelve clinics in Football. Asst. Comm. Larry Boucher conducted seventeen clinics in Basketball for officials and coaches. Asst. Comm. Brigid DeVries conducted nine Track clinics, three volleyball clinics and one swimming clinic for officials and coaches. Louis Stout conducted ten baseball and softball clinics for officials and coaches.

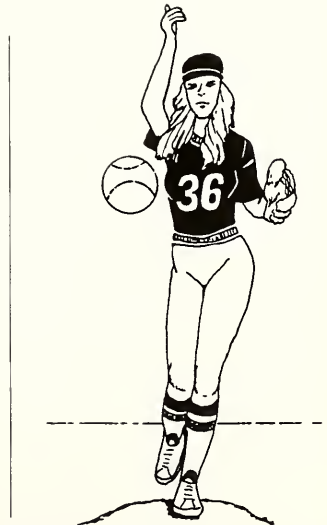
The Board of Control, the Staff of your Association and I are grateful for the cooperation the superintendents, principals, athletic directors and coaches have given us in running the programs of the Association.



State Track and Field Meet
May 30



State Tennis Tourney
June 4,5 &6



State Softball Tourney
May 4,5 &6

MINUTES OF THE BOARD MEETING MARCH 18, 1992

The Board of Control of the Kentucky High School Athletic Association met at the Best Western Motel, Richmond, Kentucky on Wednesday, March 18, 1992. The meeting was called to order at 8:30 a.m. by President Alvis Johnson with all Board members present. Also present were Commissioner Billy Wise, Assistant Commissioners Louis Stout, Brigid DeVries and Larry Boucher and Business Affairs Manager Julian Tackett. Roland Williams gave the Invocation.

Sandy Allen made a motion to approve the minutes of the January 17-18, 1992 Board meeting. Eddie Saylor seconded the motion which passed unanimously.

Stan Steidel moved to approve the bills of the Association for the period beginning January 1 and ending February 29, 1992. Roland Williams seconded the motion which passed unanimously.

Commissioner Wise received permission from the Board to fill the vacancy left by the death of Father Harry Jansing.

The Board took the following actions on the appeals:

- *Jerome Wilson - Barren County H.S. - Denied eligibility
- *Shannon Smith - Clay County H.S. - Eligibility reinstated
- *Nyree Coyle - Scott H.S. - No action taken; school should determine eligibility
- *Joe Hayden - Denied request to waive Limitation of Seasons, Section 6, Soccer
- *Gary Smith, Jr. - Doss H.S. - Denied eligibility
- *Leticia Johnson - Anderson County H.S. - Denied eligibility

The Board then heard from Principal Charles Miller, Pleasure Ridge Park H.S. and Principal Jude Talbott, Bardstown H.S. regarding their request

for the Board to determine the liability of either school regarding a December 3, 1991 basketball game. Following each presentation and questions by the Board members, Marvin Moore made a motion to deny Mr. Miller's request for the \$800. forfeiture fee and continue with the contract for the 1992-93. Stan Steidel seconded the motion which passed by a vote of 7-1 and two abstentions.

Commissioner Wise then introduced Larry Conner, the new State Board of Education liaison.

The Board then heard a request from J.R. Rash requesting that By-Law 6, Section 2. be amended to include the Kentucky Rotary Youth International Exchange, Inc. Following a discussion of Mr. Rash's letter, Jack Portwood made a motion that the Board deny his request and that Commissioner Wise advise him of the proper procedure to follow to obtain approval of KRYIEI. Stan Steidel seconded the motion which passed unanimously.

The next item to be considered by the Board was a request from Muhlenberg North High School to participate in the District Football playoffs in 1992. Due to the fact that the football alignment was approved through the 1992 season, Eddie Saylor made a motion to deny their request. Stan Steidel seconded the motion which passed unanimously.

Commissioner Wise announced the results of the recent election for new Board of Control members.

Regions 1-8:

Grant Talbott, Owensboro High
- 85 votes

Regions 1-8:

Kathy Hopper, Waggener High
- 40 votes
Betsy N. Glover, Hopkinsville High
- 38 votes
Libby Burr, Bardstown High
- 19 votes

Regions 13-14:

"Ozz" Jackson, Whitesburg High
- 23 votes
Jim Potts, Powell County Schools
- 13 votes

Regions 15-16:

Frank Welch, Belfry High
- 19 votes
Steve Butcher, Johnson Central High
- 10 votes
Thomas Swartz, Pikeville High
- 4 votes

The following report on ticket sales was given:

Boys Sales to 3/13 - \$413,917.
Girls Sales to 3/13 - \$ 26,690.

Commissioner Wise advised the Board that the Dawahare family is donating \$50,000. to the K.H.S.A.A. in payment for furniture in the new offices, in addition to a donation of items for the reception area, lounge and kitchen area.

President Johnson called for a recess at 12 noon until 8:30 a.m. on Thursday.

MINUTES OF THE BOARD MEETING March 19, 1992

President Johnson called the meeting to order at 8:30 a.m. with all Board members present. Also present were Commissioner Billy Wise, Assistant Commissioners Louis Stout, Brigid DeVries and Larry Boucher and Business Affairs Manager Julian Tackett. Ray Story gave the Invocation.

Eddie Saylor made a motion that the Board go into Executive Session to discuss possible litigation. Marvin Moore seconded the motion which passed unanimously.

Following Executive Session the Board recessed until 8:30 a.m. on Friday.

MINUTES OF THE
BOARD MEETING
March 20, 1992

President Johnson called the meeting to order at 8:00 a.m. All Board members with the exception of Sandy Allen were present. Also present were Commissioner Billy Wise, Assistant Commissioners Louis Stout, Bridg DeVries and Larry Boucher and Business Manager Julian Tackett.

Stan Steidel made a motion that the Board sanction Girls Soccer for the Fall of 1992. Ray Story seconded the motion which passed unanimously.

Following a discussion of the results of the Fast Pitch Softball Survey, the Board took no action.

Commissioner Wise advised the Board that the State Board of Education gave their approval to a revision in By-Law 4, Sec. 1, Enrollment. The change enables a student, once enrolled in the fourth grade, to be able to participate in interscholastic athletics a total of one year in each grade. Two semesters shall constitute a school year.

Claudia Hicks was called on to discuss with the Board possible ways to structure the K.H.S.A.A. Sports Committees to include representatives from across the state. She suggested that the Board draft a criteria for this structure.

Ms. Hicks then addressed By-Law 17 as it relates to coaches conversing with the media regarding officials. Asst. Comm. Boucher indicated the K.H.S.A.A. would have trouble recruiting and retaining quality people in officiating if they are openly abused by coaches through the media. The current By-Law allows for penalties to be enforced regarding violations of the sportsmanship rule. The Board encouraged the Association investigating these incidents to deal with them pursuant to the current By-Law.

Following a discussion of Hall of Fame Basketball Games, Frank Cardwell made a motion, seconded by Gene Brooks that the Board introduce a proposal to the Delegate Assembly to eliminate the HOF Games. The motion failed 3-7. Claudia Hicks then made a motion that the Board recommend the week prior to the opening of basketball season as a Hall of Fame week and follow the guidelines as set forth in By-Law 25. Ray Story seconded the motion which passed 9-1.

Following a lengthy discussion regarding the Hall of Fame Selection Criteria, Claudia Hicks made a motion to amend as printed in the "Athlete". Roland Williams seconded the motion which passed by a vote of 9-1. Frank Cardwell made a motion that the revised criteria as written and printed in the Boys and Girls Basketball Programs be accepted. Claudia Hicks seconded the motion which failed by a vote of 5-5. It was suggested that the Hall of Fame Committee meet to revise the latest criteria.

A discussion then ensued regarding the State Basketball Tournament format. Roland Williams made a motion that this be referred to the Basketball Committee for study. Gene Brooks seconded the motion which passed unanimously.

Ray Story then presented a football proposal from the Western Kentucky Conference regarding a change in district and region play. Following a discussion of the proposal, Eddie Saylor moved to deny the request of the Western Kentucky Conference. Marvin Moore seconded the motion. Jack Portwood then moved to amend the motion to reject their proposal for cross-region play but to accept the elimination of the blind draw format for the semi-final round. Gene Brooks seconded the motion which passed by a vote of 8-1 and one abstention. The original motion then passed by a vote of 9-1.

Following a discussion of a two-day state track meet, Claudia Hicks made a motion to adopt. Stan Steidel seconded the motion. Eddie Saylor then moved to table the motion, seconded by Marvin Moore and motion passed by a vote of 7-3.

Commissioner Wise presented to the Board Corporate Sponsor proposals by Rawlings and Wilson to furnish game balls for championship events. Stan Steidel moved to accept Wilson's offer of Sponsorship to provide game balls in championship events for the sports of football, soccer, basketball, baseball, softball and tennis for three years. Roland Williams seconded the motion which passed unanimously.

The next item of discussion was led by Louis Stout regarding a baseball training school for officials. Stan Steidel made a motion that in lieu of requiring baseball officials to attend a particular school, that training be coordinated and developed through the local associations at no cost to the official and that such programs be coordinated through the K.H.S.A.A. He also moved that on-going training programs within local associations be required in order to officiate post-season games. Roland Williams seconded the motion which passed.

President Johnson appointed the following temporary committee to work with Louis Stout on Girls Soccer: Gene Brooks, Claudia Hicks, Stan Steidel and Roland Williams.

The next meeting of the Board is scheduled to be held at the Executive Inn, Louisville, on Thursday evening following Session 4 of the Boys Basketball Tournament.

There being no further business to come before the Board, the meeting was adjourned.

MINUTES OF THE ANNUAL MEETING

APRIL 17, 1992

The 75th Annual Meeting of the Kentucky High School Athletic Association was held on Friday, April 17, 1992 at the K.H.S.A.A. Office Building, 2280 Executive Drive, Lexington. The invocation was given by Ray Story. Mr. Story also served as Parliamentarian.

President Alvis Johnson called the meeting to order at 11:00 a.m. Fifty-eight elected delegates or alternates answered the roll call.

Commissioner Billy Wise introduced newly elected Board of Control members to the Delegate Assembly as follows: "Ozz" Jackson - Athletic Director, Whitesburg High School, representing Regions 13-14; and Frank Welch, Principal, Belfry High School, representing Regions 15 & 16.

Commissioner Wise then presented a report on the activities of the Association during the 1991-92 school year. Phillip Back moved, seconded by Frankie Francis, that the report be accepted. The motion carried unanimously. (The Annual Report is printed elsewhere in this issue of the "Athlete".)

President Johnson stated that presentation of proposals was the next order of business.

PROPOSAL I

Principal James A. Sexton, Eastern High School proposes that the following changes be made to the Constitution:

Article IV, Section 2. a - Representative:

Each local . . . association. Only personnel employed by the local district, or private or parochial schools who hold a valid Kentucky Teaching Certificate issued by the Department of Education are eligible to serve as a present or future representative.

Article IV - Section 2. b - Board of Control - Notification to the Representative:

To be eligible for membership and presently or in the future serve on the Board of Control, one must be an employee holding a valid Kentucky Teaching Certificate issued by the Department of Education and be an employee of an accredited member school or system which is in good standing with the K.H.S.A.A. and the school involved must be a school in the district which the alternate is to represent.

Article IV - Section 2. c - Delegate Assembly:

Each delegate and alternate to the Delegate Assembly must be an employee holding a valid Kentucky Teaching Certificate issued by the Kentucky Department of Education and be an employee of an accredited member school or system which is in good standing with the K.H.S.A.A. and the school involved must be a school in the district which the alternate is to represent.

Phillip Back moved, seconded by Harold Russell that Proposal I be adopted. The motion passed by a vote of 49-5.

PROPOSAL II

Principal Kenneth Frick, Butler High School, proposes that the following change be made to the Constitution:

Article IV - Section 2. b - Board of Control:

Members of the Board of Control shall be elected for a period of four years by vote of the representatives of member schools in each section (Basketball Regions 1 & 2, 3 & 4, 5 & 6, 7 & 8, 9 & 10, 11 & 12, 13 & 14, 15 & 16) and shall be a high school principal. In addition, two blacks and two females shall be elected to serve as minority representatives, but they do not have to be a high school principal.

Phillip Back moved to table Proposal II. Wilton Gant seconded the motion. The motion to table Proposal II passed by a vote of 30-26. The majority rules to table.

PROPOSAL III

Principal Robert D. Combs, Apollo High School, proposes that By-Law 8, Contestant on Other Team be changed to read:

Any student who is a contestant on any other team at any time during an athletic season shall be ineligible to represent any secondary school in that sport for the remainder of the season. A student may participate in a summer sports program upon completion of their season or the spring semester has ended, whichever occurs first.

Donald Hayes moved, seconded by Bill Patton, that Proposal III be adopted. The motion failed by a vote of 5-51.

PROPOSAL IV

Principal Robert D. Combs, Apollo High School, proposes that By-Law 25, Limitation of Seasons, Section 7. Softball - Girls (6) be changed to read:

A regulation . . . completion. The eleven (11) inch softball shall be utilized in all contests.

Phillip Back moved, seconded by Donald Hayes, that Proposal IV be adopted. The motion failed by a vote of 18-17 due to the lack of a two-thirds majority vote.

PROPOSAL V

The Board of Control of the Kentucky High School Athletic Association proposes that By-Law 25, Limitation of Seasons, Section 4. Football - Boys, be amended.

(a) Add a new section (6), and renumbering all subsequent sections. Section (6) would read as follows -- "(6) The Board of Control may waive provisions (2) and/or (4) of this By-Law to allow member schools to participate in Hall of Fame Classic contests. Rules on participation shall be made by the Board of Control, and published in the Athlete Magazine as a part of the official record of the Association.

(b) That the contest shall count toward any regular season records;

(c) That the financial split of the net revenue of the game shall be 1/3 to the host school, 1/3 to the visiting school, and 1/3 to the K.H.S.A.A.

Frankie Francis moved to adopt Proposal V. Kearney Lykins seconded the motion. The motion to adopt Proposal V failed by a vote of 6-47.

PROPOSAL VI

The Board of Control of the Kentucky High School Athletic Association proposes that By-Law 25, Limitation of Seasons, Section 2. Basketball - Boys and Girls, be amended by revising section (7), part (f), to read as follows:

That the game so played shall count toward regular season records, but shall not be used in calculating seeding in a seeded district.

Phillip Back moved to adopt Proposal VI. "Ozz" Jackson seconded the motion. Proposal VI was adopted by a vote of 47-8.

PROPOSAL VII

The Board of Control of the Kentucky High School Athletic Association proposes that Article IV, Section 3, d-8, of the K.H.S.A.A. Constitution be amended to read as follows:

8. Have authority to establish tournaments and meets in all sports and to adopt regulations for these tournaments and meets. The Board of Control shall have the authority to assess all post season tournaments in basketball and football a maximum of ten percent (10%) of the gross receipts, to be paid to the Association following the tournament. The Association shall receive all revenue from the Boys and Girls State Basketball Tournaments and the State Football Championships.

Frankie Francis moved, seconded by Kearney Lykins, to adopt Proposal VII. The motion failed by a vote of 18-40.

Phillip Back moved, seconded by Norm Weaver, that the meeting be adjourned. The motion passed unanimously.

**MINUTES OF THE CALLED MEETING
MARCH 26, 1992**

The Kentucky High School Athletic Association met in a Called Meeting on Thursday evening, 11:30 p.m., March 26, 1992, at the Executive Inn, Louisville. All Board members were present. Commissioner Billy Wise, Asst. Commissioners Louis Stout, Brigid DeVries, Larry Boucher, Bus. Mgr. Julian Tackett and S.J.D. Jeff Rogers were also in attendance.

President Alvis Johnson called the meeting to order and gave the Invocation.

The meeting was called to discuss financial issues of the Association.

Commissioner Wise discussed with the Board several options for borrowing funds to complete 1991-92. Following a lengthy discussion, Ray Story made a motion that the Board authorize Commissioner Wise and President Johnson to look into borrowing sufficient funds to sustain the Association through June 30, 1992. Marvin Moore seconded the motion which passed unanimously.

Stan Steidel then made a motion that the Board submit a proposal to the Delegate Assembly allowing the K.H.S.A.A. to receive 10% of the gross receipts for district and regional basketball

and football post season tournaments. Roland Williams seconded the motion which passed unanimously.

Commissioner Wise then discussed with Board members a request by representatives of the Million Dollar Shootout to make a presentation at the April 16 Board meeting. Marvin Moore moved to allow this item on the Agenda. Ray Story seconded the motion which passed by a vote of 9-2.

The next item of discussion related to a Hall of Fame Football Game. Following a discussion of the procedure that is presently being used to schedule HOF basketball games, Frank Cardwell made a motion that the Board submit a proposal to the Delegate Assembly allowing schools to schedule a HOF Football Game (may be a Bowl Game or scrimmage) similar to the HOF Basketball Game to be played one week before the opening game of the regular season. Further By-Law 25, Limitation of Seasons, Section 4. Football - Boys, be amended to: (a) add a new section (6), and renumbering all subsequent sections. Section (6) would read as follows -- "(6) The

Board of Control may waive provisions (2) and/or (4) of this By-Law to allow member schools to participate in Hall of Fame Classic contests. Rules on participation shall be made by the Board of Control; (b) that the contest shall count toward any regular season records; (c) that the receipts be divided as follows: 1/3 to K.H.S.A.A.; 1/3 to home team; 1/3 to visiting team. Marvin Moore seconded the motion which passed unanimously.

Stan Steidel made a motion to table the discussion of By-Law 38. Marvin Moore seconded. The motion passed unanimously.

The next meeting is scheduled for Thursday, April 16, 1992 at 8:00 a.m. Committee meetings will be held on Wednesday evening, April 15 at 7:00 p.m.

There being no further business to come before the Board, Stan Steidel moved to adjourn. Roland Williams seconded the motion which passed.

1992 MEETING - FOOTBALL ASSIGNING SECRETARIES

The annual meeting of the Football Assigning Secretaries of the Kentucky High School Athletic Association was held at the office of the Kentucky High School Athletic Association at 5:00 P.M., Sunday, April 26, 1992. The meeting was called to order by Larry Boucher, Assistant Commissioner and Supervisor of Officials.

Attending the meeting were: Joe Russell, Western Kentucky; Jack Hicks, Big Eight; Jack Goodman, Mid-Kentucky; Don Metzger, Kentuckiana; Stan Steidel, Northern Kentucky; Shirley Watts, Central Kentucky; Ray Canady, 13th Region; Denver Jones, 14th Region; Andrew Joyce, 15th Region. Also attending the meeting were: George Mercker and Jerry Kimmel, Sectional Directors; Andy Vervilles, an official from Western Kentucky; Julian Tackett, Business Manager of the KHSAA.

The meeting opened with a discussion of officials:

It was announced that the registration fee for the 1992-93 year would be: \$25.00 for new officials for one sport and \$15 for any additional sport(s). The fee for officials who are re-registering will be \$25.00 prior to June 30 and \$25.00 plus a \$25.00 late fee after the June 30th deadline. It was also announced that starting July 1, there will be no deadline for registering new officials in any sport.

Mr. Boucher discussed the proper way to pay officials for travel expenses. Schools will pay mileage (.20/mile) for only one car. There will no riding mileage paid. However, they will be required to pay hook-up mileage if necessary. If absolutely necessary that an official must drive his/her car and cannot travel with the other official, the same mileage rate will be used and he/she should be paid by the school.

It was announced that officials' ID cards were not automatic admission to games. It is left up to the individual schools whether or not to admit the official. They are not entitled to automatic admission to play-offs either. Assigning Secretary cards should allow admittance to any and all games.

There was a lengthy discussion on the importance of using only officials who are properly registered with this Association. It was emphasized that if an injury took place in a game and the official was not properly registered, it could become a legal/liability problem to the Association, the school and the Assigning Secretary who assigned the non-registered official. The KHSAA will attempt to help in identifying registered officials by providing a list to Assigning Secretaries around July 15 annually.

Mr. Boucher discussed the conduct and appearance of officials. He cited several complaints he had received from schools, fans, coaches, etc., as to the conduct of some officials. He asked that each Assigning Secretary stress the importance of both professional conduct and their personal appearance to their officials.

During the discussion of testing and examinations, Mr. Boucher stated that there would probably be some changes made in the method of administering the Part II exam. This will be decided at a later date and information will be sent to each Assigning Secretary.

It was stressed that Disqualification Cards must be sent to this office if a player or coach is ejected during a game. It was also mentioned that it might be helpful if coaches were more aware of what penalties must be adhered to.

By-Law 17 was discussed. Unsportsmanlike conduct (such as a coach discussing poor performance of an official with media, etc.) makes it difficult to recruit new officials. Mr. Boucher stated that the Board of Control was concerned enough about this problem that they have reiterated their support of the Enforcement Penalty Provision of the By-Law.

The next item for discussion was clinic and make up clinic attendance. It was decided that there would only be two make-up clinics for football rules and both clinics would be administered by someone from the Association office or someone designated by the Association office. No Assigning Secretary will administer a make-up clinic. This should be communicated to the coaches and officials. The 5 points will not be awarded to officials for the make-up clinics.

Mr. Boucher had passed out copies of the "Pilot Project" that is being used in Jefferson County regarding ratings of officials. He stated that this or similar projects can be undertaken by other associations. He did stress that no project can be instituted without approval from the KHSAA. There was also some discussion concerning coaches' rating and whether or not they were needed since only 51% of the coaches sent ratings. **A MOTION WAS MADE BY DON METZGER, SECONDED BY RAY CANADY THAT THAT THERE WOULD BE NO MINIMUM NUMBER OF RATINGS REQUIRED IN ORDER FOR AN OFFICIAL TO OFFICIATE DURING THE PLAY-OFFS. THE VOTE WAS UNANIMOUS IN FAVOR.**

Mr. Boucher asked the Assigning Secretaries to send copies of their local meeting schedules to him. He stated that the KHSAA Board of Control had asked for some type of monitoring as to the training of new officials. There were some suggestions on how to better train officials with use of materials provided by the Association (transparencies, new rule change materials, etc.). He also suggested that maybe someone other than the Assigning Secretary could be of help in the training of officials. It was felt that maybe an older official could be a big help if they were asked to do so. Mr. Boucher informed the Assigning Secretaries that there were some good officials' camps conducted in the summer and would like for them to encourage their officials to attend if the opportunity arose.

A discussion was had regarding vendors selling sports equipment at the KHSAA Rules Clinics. It was agreed that each vendor must contact the local Assigning Secretary and receive their approval before setting up shop at the clinic. The KHSAA will refer all requests to the local Assigning Secretary.

Mr. Boucher reminded the Assigning Secretaries that by a Federal Court Decree in 1971 that coaches **must** have the right to scratch officials. These scratches must be in writing. It was also the consensus that to be fair, the officials should have a right to scratch a school.

A MOTION WAS PRESENTED BY DON METZGER, SECONDED BY RAY CANADY THAT THE BOOK "FIRST & 10" BE USED AGAIN AS A MEANS OF INSURING UNIFORMITY IN OFFICIATING. THE MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY. Associations must adhere to this standard in order to ensure post season assignments.

The Football Play-Off Committee, in their meeting prior to the Assigning Secretary's meeting, made the decision on which conferences would be used in play-offs for the next two years - not assigned by years as yet but, they are: Kentuckiana, Western Kentucky, Big 8, 14th Region, 15th Region, 16th Region, Northern Kentucky and Central Kentucky. This means that when the rotation is complete, in the past five years, all associations will have had 2 crews in the championship game. It was decided that prior to the 1994 season, it would be decided by this group how equal representation could be achieved. There has been no changes in the fees for either regular season games or play-off games.

Recruiting and retaining new officials was discussed. Several methods of both were discussed. It was stressed that each association needed to be recruiting more officials from minority groups.

It was announced that officials will not automatically receive the "Athlete" this year. There will be newsletter sent to officials periodically. The newsletter will be paid for from the official division. The Assigning Secretaries will have the opportunity for input into this newsletter.

A statewide officials' banquet will be held annually, possibly in April. Assigning Secretaries were encouraged to help promote this awards and recognition occasion. Hopefully, after one or two of these, it will begin to sell itself.

Mr. Boucher reminded all that a patch, if worn on the jacket, shall be the "KHSAA Official Patch" and worn over the heart. A local association patch, if worn, shall be on the hat. No other uniform or jacket patches are permissible. To obtain the jacket patches, contact: Bo Queen, H & W. Sports Shop, Suite 8, Mt. Sterling Plaza, Mt. Sterling, Kentucky 40353 (606-498-2271 work) (606-498-5243 home).

A schedule of tentative Football Rules Clinic dates and sites was passed out. Assigning Secretaries are encouraged to contact these sites and arrange for the necessary facilities.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- * A letter will be sent to each Assigning Secretary on how to obtain patches for officials jackets.
- * Mr. Boucher needs a list of your local Policy Board members sent to the Association Office.
- * Next meeting will be held in December, 1992. Date will be decided later.

No further business, the meeting adjourned.



Football Rules Revisions for the 1992 Season



Noted below are the Football Rules Revisions. Editorial changes as well as major points of emphasis are included.

- 1-5-1a: NOCSAE mark required on face mask.
- 1-5-1g: Rules committee no longer "approves" removable shoe cleats.
- 1-5-3g: Mandates that rib and back protectors must be fully covered by a jersey.
- 3-1-6: Stipulates obvious timing errors must be corrected before the period has officially ended.
- 6-1-9b: Another choice for R is to take ball 25 yards beyond the previous spot is K fouls by kicking out-of-bounds.
- 7-1-2: Neutral zone encroachment restrictions begin following the ready when the snapper puts hands(s) on ball.
- 7-1-5: Snapper may not remove both hands after placing hand(s) on ball.
- 7-1-6c: Deleted former coverage which allowed interior linemen to lift out of 3- or 4-point stance to receive new signals.
- 7-2-8: Prohibits a Team A player advancing a planned loose ball unless referee is notified before that down.
- 9-6-1: Prior to a change of possession, if A or K goes out-of-bounds, it is a foul on return inbounds.
- 9-6-2: It is illegal participation for any player to intentionally go out-of-bounds and return during the down.

EDITORIAL CHANGES

- 1-5-1, 2, 3: Reorganized player equipment rules.
- 1-6: Identified legal and illegal coaches' field equipment.
- 2-9: Clarified definition relative to initial force.
- 3-3-4: Procedure outlined to officially end a period.
- 3-4-2c: Clock starts on ready following inadvertent whistle.
- 6-5 Pen.: Changed "fair catch" interference to "kick catching" interference.
- 7-2: Reorganized rules on position and action of players at the snap.
- 7-3-3: Illegal handing occurs beyond neutral zone.
- 7-5-2, 3, 4, 5: Revised the order of articles in the forward pass rule.
- 9-8-1j, 3: Second violation of team box shown by sideline interference signal.
- 10-3-3c: End of run is spot of catch when momentum is in effect.
- Other rules affected:** 1-1-4, 1-5-1d4; 2-11-2d; 2-22-2; 2-22-4, 5; 3-5-10; 4-2-2e3; 5-2-5c; 5-3-3b; 7-5-5; 8-5-2, 3; 9-3-7; 9-8-1e

POINTS OF EMPHASIS





1. Pass interference
2. Illegal contact
3. Identifying eligible receivers

Requests for football rule interpretations or explanations should be directed to the Kentucky High School Athletic Association. The National Federation will assist in answering questions from state associations whenever called upon.

May 1992


KHSAA Spring Events

SUNDAY MONDAY TUESDAY WEDNESDAY THURSDAY FRIDAY SATURDAY

3					1	2 SAT Test Date
Send FB Schedules to KHSAA						
10  Mother's Day	11 Send BK Schedules to Assigning Secretaries	12	13	14	15	16 Armed Forces Day 
Regional TR Meets						
17	18	19	20	21	22	23 Sectional TR Meets
District SB Tournament						
Regional TN Tournaments						
District BA Tournaments						
24	25  Memorial Day (Observed)	26	27	28	29	30  State TR Meet
Regional SB Tournaments						
Regional BA Tournaments						
31						

June 1992

KHSAA Spring Events

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1 Mail Annual Participation List to KHSAA Office	2	3	4	5	6 SAT Test Date
		Mail Annual Participations List to KH...		State SB Tournament		
				State TN Tournament		
		Sectional BA Tournaments				
		Send preliminary school info for KHSAA Handbook				
	8 Deadline for Spring Academic All State	9	10	11	12	13 ACT Test Date
				KASSP Workshop - WKU, Bowling Green		
				Semi-Finals and Finals State BA Tournament		
14 Flag Day	15	16	17	18	19	20 Summer begins
21  Father's Day	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30				



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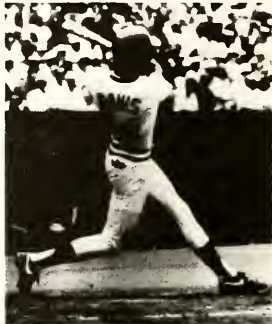


NFCA/NFIOA NATIONAL CONFERENCE AND COACHES/OFFICIALS SCHOOL — CINCINNATI, OHIO — JULY 15-19, 1992

TENTATIVE DAILY SCHEDULE

WEDNESDAY, JULY 15	FRIDAY, JULY 17
9:00 a.m. Noon NFCA/OHIO BOARD MEETING 9:00 a.m. 6:00 p.m. EARLY REGISTRATION/INFORMATION 10:00 a.m. 6:00 p.m. NFCEP SPORTS SCIENCE COURSE (Graduate Credit Option) 10:30 a.m. Noon OHIO COACHES ASSOCIATIONS ROUNDTABLE (Coaches and Association Officials of all Sports Invited) 10:30 a.m. Noon OHIO OFFICIALS ASSOCIATIONS ROUNDTABLE (Association Officers, Assigners and Officials of all Sports Invited) 12:30 p.m. 6:00 p.m. GOLF CLINIC AND SCRAMBLE TOURNAMENT 7:00 p.m. 8:30 p.m. EXHIBITOR/STATE DIRECTOR RECEPTION	8:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m. VISIT EXHIBITORS — FREE COFFEE (Fourth Exhibitor Door Prize Drawing) 8:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m. REGISTRATION/INFORMATION 8:30 a.m.-10:00 a.m. NF VOLLEYBALL INTERPRETERS MEETING 9:00 a.m.-10:00 a.m. AACCACHEERLEADER COACHES SAFETY EXAM 10:00 a.m.-10:45 a.m. NFCA COACHING/NFIOA OFFICIATING SCHOOL #3 VISIT EXHIBITORS — FREE COFFEE (Fifth Exhibitor Door Prize Drawing) 10:45 a.m.-11:45 a.m. OHIO STATE VOLLEYBALL RULES MEETING 10:45 a.m.-11:45 a.m. NFCA COACHING/NFIOA OFFICIATING SCHOOL #4 11:45 a.m.-12:00 p.m. LAST CHANCE TO VISIT EXHIBITS 12:30 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. LUNCHEON NFCA DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARDS Frank Velinke, Pennsylvania, President NFIOA DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARDS Del Gail North Dakota, President NATIONAL FEDERATION COACH AND OFFICIAL CITATIONS Bruce B. Curbin, Executive Director 2:00 - 6:00 p.m. NFCEP SPORTS FIRST AID COURSE FREE TIME — OPTIONAL TOURS, ETC. CINCINNATI REDS VS. ST. LOUIS CARDINALS AT RIVERFRONT STADIUM
THURSDAY, JULY 16	SATURDAY, JULY 18
8:00 a.m. EXHIBITS OPEN — FREE COFFEE (First Exhibitor Door Prize Drawing) 8:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m. REGISTRATION/INFORMATION 8:30 a.m.-10:30 a.m. NF CHEERLEADER/SPRINT INTERPRETERS MEETING 10:45 a.m. 12:30 p.m. TNF FOOTBALL INTERPRETERS MEETING 10:45 a.m. 12:30 p.m. NFCA STATE DIRECTOR BUSINESS SESSION NFIOA STATE DIRECTOR BUSINESS SESSION 10:45 a.m. 11:45 a.m. OHIO STATE FOOTBALL RULES MEETING CASH LUNCH IN EXHIBIT HALL AND STATE OODOR PHIZES AT 12:45 P.M. AMERICAN ASSOCIATION FOR CHEERLEADING COACHES AND ADVISORS SAFETY CERTIFICATION NFCA COACHING/NFIOA OFFICIATING SCHOOL #1 Sports tentatively scheduled for the six coaching/officiating schools are baseball basketball football golf soccer softball swimming track volleyball wrestling cheerleader/sprint and a special topic workshop 1:30 p.m. 3:00 p.m. SPOUSE HOSPITALITY RECEPTION VISIT EXHIBITORS (Second Exhibitor Door Prize Drawing) 3:15 p.m. 4:15 p.m. NFCA COACHING/NFIOA OFFICIATING SCHOOL #2 Six topics and separate coaching/officiating school sessions will be held for each sport plus a general topic. Also, separate roundtable sessions for directors of STATE COACHES ASSOCIATIONS will again be held. All sessions are for both men and women. Extensive offerings insure small groups in all sessions. 4:15 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. VISIT EXHIBITORS (Third Exhibitor Door Prize Drawing) 7:00 p.m. 8:00 p.m. KEYNOTE ADDRESS — FIRST GENERAL SESSION TASTE OF CINCINNATI HOSPITALITY PARTY *Additional Fee for AAACA (4 year) Certification *Satisfies Ohio High School Athletic Association Attendance Requirements as well as Requirements for Most Other States	8:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. REGISTRATION/INFORMATION 8:00 a.m.-10:00 a.m. INF SOCCER INTERPRETERS MEETING 9:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. NFCA COACHING/NFIOA OFFICIATING SCHOOL #5 Top national speakers will present topics stressing hands-on fundamental techniques of coaching and officiating. 9:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m. SPOUSE BREAKFAST AND PROGRAM 10:15 a.m.-11:15 a.m. NFCA COACHING/NFIOA OFFICIATING SCHOOL #6 OHIO STATE SOCCER RULES MEETINGS FINAL GENERAL SESSION(S) 11:30 a.m. 12:15 p.m. COACHES AND OFFICIALS PRESIDENT'S RECEPTION 12:30 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. FREE TIME — OPTIONAL TOURS 7:00 p.m. 11:00 p.m. DIND NIGHT DINNER/DANCE ENTERTAINMENT, 50/50 RAFFLE AND OODOR PRIZE DRAWING
SUNDAY, JULY 19	
8:00 a.m. FCA BREAKFAST 10:00 a.m. NFCA/NFIOA BOARD MEETING	

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JOINT SESSIONS	
Soccer — Al Kleinats, Illinois — "Serious Foul Play" Golf — John Novosel, Nevada — "Extension and Acceleration in the Swing" Track — Earl Engman, California — "So You Are Hosting a Big Meet" Special Topic: Ellen Coleman, M.P.H. — "Nutrition Fundamentals for Performance" State Coaches Roundtable — Harold Park, Oklahoma & Steve Johnson, Nebraska — "Administering the State Coaches Association Finance"	

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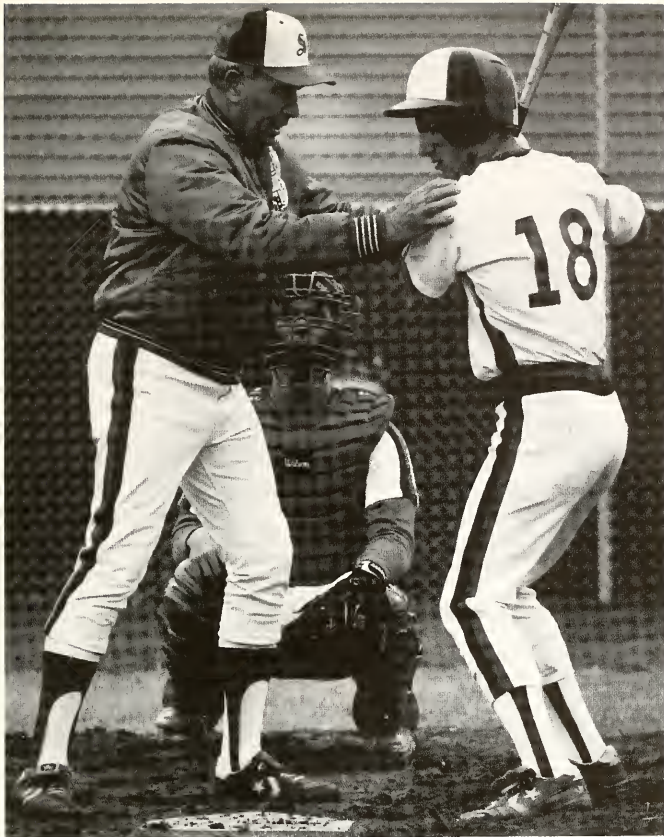
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You might say coaching is in John Fontana's blood. The Southington (Conn.) High School baseball coach took the reins from his uncle Joe in 1962, and he's been a guiding force for young people in his school and throughout Connecticut ever since.

On the baseball diamond, Coach Fontana has led the Blue Knights to 475 victories for an 81 percent winning record. And he's earned numerous coaching awards, including National Baseball Coach of the Year in 1983. But his players' contributions off the field are even more significant.

Ninety-four percent of his players go on to college, many on baseball scholarships thanks in part to Fontana's help. And almost all of his play-

ers who attend college earn diplomas.

During the holiday season, Fontana takes several players to the University of Connecticut Medical Center to bring gifts and spend the day with young patients in the pediatric division. He also coordinates a food drive to raise money for equipment, uniforms and the team's annual spring training trip down South. A portion of the proceeds are earmarked for needy families in Southington.

"My players and I have been blessed with health and good fortune," said Fontana. "But it's important for all of us to remember the plight of less fortunate people. It feels good for us to be able to give something back to the community."

COACHES *Care*

In addition to coaching, Fontana wears many other hats: guidance counselor at Southington High; executive director of the Connecticut High School Coaches Association; and, come June, president of the National High School Athletic Coaches Association. He's spent much of his spare time as a basketball referee, and he also runs one of the best summer baseball clinics in the country.

"John Fontana has been involved in sports from every perspective, as an athlete, an official, a coach and as a parent," explained Southington Athletic Director Bob Lehr. "He's had every conceivable opportunity to grow and he's taken full advantage of it, which has been great for the kids."

"I love what I'm doing," said Fontana, father of five. "I love kids, being outside, hitting the ball around, and I love being involved with the coaches associations."

At 57, Fontana has no plans to retire. That's good news for more than 200,000 high school coaches in the U.S. who will be looking to him this summer for guidance and leadership. But it's especially good for young people, who look to coaches like John Fontana to learn about the most important things in life.

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NATIONAL TEST DATES

1992-1993

Test Date*

October 24, 1992
December 12, 1992
February 6, 1993
April 3, 1993
June 12, 1993

Regular Registration Postmark Deadline (regular fee)**

September 25, 1992
November 13, 1992
January 8, 1993
March 5, 1993
May 14, 1993

Late Registration Postmark Deadline (additional fee required)

October 9, 1992
November 30, 1992
January 25, 1993
March 22, 1993
May 28, 1993

1993-1994

Test Date*

October 23, 1993
December 11, 1993
February 5, 1994
April 9, 1994
June 11, 1994

Regular Registration Postmark Deadline (regular fee)**

September 24, 1993
November 12, 1993
January 7, 1994
March 11, 1994
May 13, 1994

Late Registration Postmark Deadline (additional fee required)

October 8, 1993
November 29, 1993
January 24, 1994
March 28, 1994
May 27, 1994

Please advise students of the ACT Assessment Test Date Schedule through your catalogs, brochures, and other publications.

*Due to the special requirements of legislation in effect in New York, a February 1993 test is not scheduled in that state, and the basic fee is higher on all 1992-93 test dates. This test date restriction and higher fee may continue for the 1993-94 testing year.

**Due to special services provided in Florida, the basic fee is higher in Florida on all 1992-93 and 1993-94 test dates.

Association Appendix

Job Openings

South Oldham High School seeks Boys Basketball Coach. Send letter of application with resume' to Larry Phillips, Box 549, Crestwood, KY 40014 (phone 502 222-8880).

North Laurel High School seeks Boys and Girls Head Basketball Coach. Interested parties should send letter of application with resume' and references to Walter Hulett, Laurel County Board of Education, 275 South Laurel Road, London, KY 40741.

Oldham County High School seeks Girls Basketball Coach. Interested parties should send letter of application with resume' and references to Tom Peterson, P.O. Box 187, Buckner, KY 40010.

South Oldham High School seeks Head Football Coach. Send letter of application with resume' to Larry Phillips, Box 549, Crestwood, KY 40014.

Boyle County High School seeks Head Football Coach. Interested parties should send letter of application with resume' and references to Tom Mills, Boyle County High School, 1637 Perryville Road, Danville, KY 40422-9775.

Johnson Central High School seeks Head Football Coach Interested parties should send letter of application with resume' and references to Steve Butcher, Johnson Central High School, Rt. 276 Box 202, Paintsville, KY 41240.

Pineville High School seeks Head Football Coach. Send letter of application with resume' to Mike White, 401 Virginia Avenue, Pineville, KY 40977.

"NEW" North Laurel High School seeks Head Football Coach. Send letter of application with resume' to Laurel County Board of Education, 275 South Laurel Road, London, KY 40741. (Head Coaching Experience Preferred.)

NOTICE

If your school has filled an open date or coaching vacancy, please notify the KHSAA. We strive to keep this section current and depend on you to help us avoid any confusion. Thanks!

STUDENT TRAINERS CAMP

A camp for high school student trainers is being held by the University of Kentucky July 9-12. For information on the camp contact: Student Trainer Camp, E.J. Nutter Training Facility, Sports Center Drive, Lexington, 40506, phone (606) 257-6521

Track and Field Revisions

The Class A Region 7 track meet has been reassigned to Pikeville High and will be managed by Joe Mahan.

The State Track Meet will be held on Saturday, May 30, 1992 at The University of Kentucky.



**KHSAA State Baseball Championships
June 11, 12 & 13**

Association Appendix

1992 Football Open Dates

August 28

- Wayne County Contact: Joe Shearer (606) 348-8710
- Cawood High Contact: Tim Saylor (606) 573-2424
- Breathitt County Contact: Mike Holcomb (606) 666-8406
- Cumberland Contact: Randy Frazier (606) 589-4625
- Scott High Contact: Mrs. Reimer (606) 356-3146

August 29

- Clay County Contact Eugene Hensley (606) 598-3737

September 4

- Trigg County Contact: Dixie Jones (502) 522-6071
- M. C. Napier Contact: Bill Dixon (606) 439-1519
- Bardstown Contact: Joey Downs (502) 348-1694
- Proctorville, Ohio Contact: John Lemley (614) 886-5347

September 11

- Muhlenburg N. Contact: Steve Hart (502) 338-0040
- Middlesboro Contact: Wayne Wilson (606) 248-9435

September 18

- Fleming County Contact: Wendell Johnson (606) 845-6601
- Breathitt County Contact: Mike Holcomb (606) 666-8406
- Raceland Contact: Bill T. Ross (606) 836-8221

September 25

- Green County Contact: Nelson Moore (502) 932-7481
- Clay County Contact: Eugene Hensley (606) 598-3737

October 2

- Portsmouth, Ohio Contact: John Little
- Marion County Contact: Sam Simpson (502) 692-6066

October 9

- Knox Central Contact: Robert Messer (606) 546-9323
- Franklin-Simpson Contact: Walt Heath (502) 586-3273
- Montgomery Co. Contact: Lowell King (606) 498-8768
- Fort Campbell Contact: Marshall Patterson (615) 431-5056
- Knott Co. Central Contact: Maurice Dixon (606) 785-3166
- Cumberland Contact: Randy Frazier (606) 589-4625

October 16

- Muhlenburg N. Contact: Steve Hart (502) 338-0040
- Knott Co. Central Contact: Maurice Dixon (606) 785-3166
- Clay County Contact: Eugene Hensley (606) 598 3737
- Marion County Contact: Sam Simpson (502) 692-6066

October 23

- Massac High School, Metropolis, Illinois
- Size: Compare to Kentucky A school
- Contact: Steve Woodward, A.D.

1992 Football Open Dates

Continued

- West Carter Contact: Terry Osborne (606) 286-2481
- Elkhorn City Contact: Jerry Childers (606) 754-9098
- Raceland Contact: Bill T. Ross (606) 836-8221

October 30

- Muhlenburg N. Contact: Steve Hart (502) 338-0040
- Ironton High School, Ironton, Ohio
- Contact: Mike Burcham (614) 532-5235

1993 Football Open Dates

September 3, September 24 and November 5, 1993

- South Dearborn, Indiana
- Contact: Bill Slayback (812) 926-3772

1994 Football Open Dates

September 23 and November 4, 1994

- Ironton High School, Ironton, Ohio
- Contact: Mike Burcham (614) 532-5235

Basketball Open Dates

December 18, 19, 21 & 22

- Lake Cumberland Classic -- Needs one team, three game guarantee. Contact: Dave Fraley (606) 670-5507 or Bob Tucker (606) 679-4241

February 4 & 11 GIRLS

- Meade County -- Contact Jim DeVries

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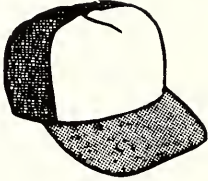
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