

TITLE IX FINAL AUDIT REPORT

(For schools visited during the 1999-2000 school year)

School: Muhlenberg South High School

Reviewed By: Danny C. Reeves

Date of Visit: December 7, 1999

Telephone Number of Reviewer: (859) 288- 4664

(Please direct questions to reviewer at the above number during normal business hours.)

1. Completed Required Forms

GE-19 Yes No

Survey Student Interest Form Yes No

Summary Forms T-1 Thru T-41 Yes No

Corrective Action Plan (Form T-60) Yes No

2. Opportunities Component of Title IX Compliance

Areas of Compliance (check at least one):

<input type="checkbox"/>	A	Substantial Proportionality
<input type="checkbox"/>	B	History and Continuing Practice Of Program Expansion
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	C	Full and Effective Accommodation of Interest and Abilities

A.) If Substantial Proportionality is chosen, does it appear that the school has performed the calculation correctly?

Yes No

(If No, include in comments section and analysis of what is incorrect in the calculation.)

Comment:
N/A

B.) If History and Continuing Practice Of Program Expansion is chosen, does it appear that the school has performed the calculation correctly?

Yes No

Comment:
N/A

C.) If Full and Effective Accommodation of Interest and Abilities is chosen, does it appear that the school provides opportunities in areas of students' interest?

Yes No

Comment:
Unable to determine from summary of student surveys whether school is providing opportunities in areas of students' interest.

3. Has the school properly surveyed its student body to accurately assess the interests and abilities of its students?

Yes No

Comment:
It appears that surveys were conducted properly. The school is continuing to assess whether there is enough interest to add volleyball. However, it would appear enough interest has been expressed from a "numbers" standpoint.

4. Checklist of the Title IX Components of the Interscholastic Program

Benefit to Students	Satisfactory	Deficient	Comments
Accommodation of Interests and Abilities	X		School is approximately five students short of meeting the numbers test (44.35% of total participants = 118 students). Also, there appears to be sufficient interest to add volleyball.
Equipment and Supplies	X		
Scheduling of Games and Practice Time		X	The school has identified scheduling of games as an issue to be addressed but has not submitted an adequate plan for dealing with this matter. Boys' teams start practice before season earlier than girls. No reason given for this difference.
Travel and Per Diem Allowances	X		
Coaching	X		More assistant coaches available for boys' soccer. No explanation given for difference.
Locker Rooms, Practice and Competitive Facilities	X		The school is addressing facilities issues (upgrading softball field).
Medical and Training Facilities and Services	X		
Publicity	X		
Support Services	X		
Athletic Scholarships**	X		N/A
Tutoring**	X		
Housing and Dining Facilities and Services **	X		N/A

Recruitment of Student Athletes**	X		N/A
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5. Brief Summary/Analysis of The Corrective Action Plan (T-60)

The school is upgrading softball dugouts. In addition, the school is studying whether to increase sports offerings for female students beginning in 2001-2002. Finally, the school is "looking" for ways to increase the number of prime time events for girls.

6. Observed Deficiencies in Overall Girls and Boys Athletics Programs

No deficiencies observed. However, insufficient information has been submitted to determine compliance with the opportunities component of Title IX.

7. Facility Recommendations or Concerns

None observed.

8. Recommended Action To Be Taken by KHSAA

- Recommend Additional Steps For Title IX Compliance
- Probation For _____
- Fine In The Amount of _____
- Prohibition From Post Season Play
- Suspension From the Association
- Notify Equity Division and KBE of Potential Title IX Violations
- Notify Office Of Civil Rights and Request Federal Investigation of Possible Violations

9. KHSAA To Follow-Up Regarding Corrective Action If Necessary On The Following:

- On or before **December 15, 2000**, the school shall submit the following information to the KHSAA:
- A schedule of games (girls' sports) which will be played during "prime times" during the 2000/2001 season and during the 2001-2002 season.

- An explanation concerning the differences in starting times for girls and boys' teams (Five weeks vs. six weeks of practice before season begins).
- Any steps taken to increase the number of coaches available for girls' teams (specifically, soccer).
- An explanation whether different quality cheerleaders and other support groups (i.e., "A" team vs. "B" team cheerleaders and pep bands) perform at boys' vs. girls' games.
- A final determination regarding whether the school intends to add volleyball as an additional interscholastic sport in response to student surveys.

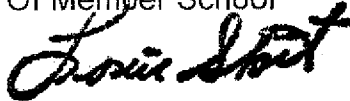
Kentucky High School Athletic Association

November 17, 2000

Memorandum

To: Superintendent & Principal Of Member School

From: Louis Stout, Commissioner



Date: November 17, 2000

Subject: KHSAA Title IX Final Audit Report
1999-2000 School Year

Enclosed please find a copy of your school's final Title IX KHSAA Audit Report for the 1999-2000 school year. As you review the report, please pay particular attention to the fact that the reviewer may have requested, by a certain date, additional information to properly assess your athletics program. In addition, fines and/or penalties may also be imposed.

While exact reporting procedures and all of the required documents for the 2000-2001 school year have not been determined at this time, an annual update of your Corrective Action Plan will be required. In light of that probability, you should expect to include in your 2000-2001 Title IX Corrective Action Plan how you intend to address issues that have been raised in this 1999-2000 Final Audit Report.

Should you have specific questions regarding the content of your 1999-2000 final report, please contact the person who reviewed your Audit Document.

Thank you for your work in this very important project.