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National High School Activities Week

The National Federation of State High School Associations, the Governor of Kentucky and the K.H.S.A.A. have declared the week of October 20-27 to be High School Activities Week.

The special commemorative dates begin with Monday, October 21, on National Officials Day jointly proclaimed by the National Federation and the National Federation Interscholastic Officials Association. National Speech and Music Day follows on Tuesday, a recognition day designed to promote those non-athletic activities for the Federation provides national services.

Wednesday, October 23, is National Chemical Awareness Day, used to emphasize state and local chemical health awareness programs pertaining to the use and abuse of chemical substances and alcohol.

National Coaches Day is celebrated on Friday, October 25, a joint effort of the National Federation Interscholastic Coaches Association and the Federation. The week concludes with the celebration of National Fund Raising Day, on Saturday October 26. This day is designed to take advantage of the emphasis and public awareness of Activities Week to help support fund raising efforts on the local level.

Again in 1985, the Kentucky High School Athletic Association has designated distinguished graduates and athletes from Kentucky high schools to publicly represent the Association in its celebration of National High School Activities Week.

Dicky Beal, a 1980 graduate of Covington Holmes High School and a standout performer for the University of Kentucky basketball Wildcats until his 1984 graduation, is one of two graduates chosen for this year. Beal led the Holmes Bulldogs to the semi-finals of the state basketball tournament during his senior year, participated in football for two years and track for one season as well as maintaining a B+ grade average in a college prep curriculum.

Upon entering the University of Kentucky, Beal majored in Public Relations receiving his degree in 1984 while helping lead the Wildcats to the NCAA Final Four in Seattle. At U.K., Beal was named the recipient of the Freshman and Senior Leadership Awards for the team, was M.V.P. of the MidEast Regional Tournament during his senior season, and maintained a high B average in his classwork.

Jeff Hall, a senior guard from the University of Louisville, is the other spokesman for Activities Week in Kentucky. Hall, a 1982 graduate of Fairview High School, is generally regarded as one of the finest outside shooters in the country, was an honorable mention All-Metro Conference Selection last season, and is 107 points away from becoming the 33rd member of the 1000 point club at Louisville.

Hall, a business major, has maintained outstanding grades throughout his high school and college playing days, and was featured last season on CBS' Academic Spotlight representing Louisville during one of their televised games. The 6'4" guard is a three year letterman for the Cardinals, and has recently become engaged to Miss Terri Hatfield.

Both Hall and Beal assisted the Association by taping Public Service Announcements to be aired statewide, and through consent for public promotion.
BOARD OF CONTROL

President-Patrick L. Crawford (1982-1986)
Lousiville, Vice President-Chester Turner (1983-1987)
Fort Thomas, Tom Buchanan (1986-1989)
Western Kentucky Region - Larry Wedman (1984-1988)
Lexington, Ray Story (1982-1986)
Ridcliff, Grant Talbott (1984-1988)
Wesmonds, Ken Tippett (1985-1989)
Brownsville, Frank Welch (1984-1988)
Hyden, Lloyd Redman-State Department of Education Representative.

The Swimming Committee met on Wednesday, September 18, 1985, at the K.H.S.A.A. office in Lexington. Assistant, Commissioner, Brigid DeVries called the meeting to order at 1:30 p.m. Committee members present included Tim Cahill, David Webb, Steve Busch, Dale Baggett, Tom Ross, Karen Vanover, Mike Daniel and Jack Thompson.

The first item on the agenda was the selection of the regional sites. The managers and sites are as follows:

- Central Kentucky Region - Tim Cahill, Model High School, Richmonon, Jefferson County Region - Jack Thompson, Crescent Hill, Louisville; Western Kentucky Region - Dale Baggett, Hopkinsville; Northern Kentucky Region - David Webb, Scott High School, Covington. The following are future sites for the Western Kentucky Region - Bowling Green, 1996-87 and Elizabethtown, 1987-88. The discussion concerning the Regional meets included adding Kentucky girls to the list of participating schools. The Regional Entry date is January 31, 1986. It was suggested that the admission price to all Regional meets be $2.00 and $1.00.

The next item for discussion was the 1985-86 State Swim Meet site. The 1985-86 meet will be held at Crescent Hill in Louisville, Kentucky, February 21-22, 1986. The time schedule has been revised for the 1986 meet. All diving will be scheduled on Friday, February 21 with the swimming preliminaries and finals on Saturday, February 22.

It was suggested there be a change in the seating arrangements with a separate area for the swimmers and one for the spectators. Admission price was discussed and may be raised in order to try to meet the cost of the meet. It was announced that there would be concession stands open during all sessions. Open warm-ups will be 4:00 - 5:30 p.m. and 7:30 - 9:00 p.m. during the warm-up for boys' and girls' diving on Friday evening. It was also discussed that a snack box will be available for the lasting. The snack packets are picked up. It was decided that there be one diving judge selected from each region and three judges selected at large.

The committee then discussed the new rule changes for the 1985-86 school year. There was a short discussion on the Swimming Section of the K.H.S.A.A. Constitution and By-Laws. No changes were made. Mr. Crawford introduced Brigid DeVries and Louis Stout and Sports Information Director Julian Tackett present. Lloyd Redman was present representing the State Department of Education. The introduction was given by Mr. Redman.

Frank Welch moved, seconded by Chester Turner, that the minutes of the July 19, 1985 and August 28, 1985 meetings of the Board be approved. Motion carried unanimously.

Tom Buchanan made a motion, seconded by Chester Turner, that all bills of the Association for the period beginning July 1, 1985, and ending September 30, 1985, be approved. Motion carried unanimously.

President Crawford called on Dr. Jon Draud who had requested to appear before the Board on behalf of his son, Scott. Dr. Draud explained that Scott had been invited to participate in the 1986 Derby Day Classic. However, if he participates in the event, he will violate By-Law 32, Post Season and All-Star Games, and will not be eligible to play spring sports. After Dr. Draud's presentation, and a discussion of this particular situation, David Webb made a motion that effective immediately, senior athletes shall be governed by N.C.A.A. rules as they pertain to post-season or all-star games. Tom Buchanan seconded the motion, which carried unanimously. Therefore, Scott is eligible to participate in the 1986 Derby Day Classic without loss of eligibility for K.H.S.A.A. sponsored spring sports.

President Crawford then called on Dr. Quin Bailey of the Kentucky Medical Association and Chairman of the Subcommittee on Athletes' Health, who had asked that he speak to the Board regarding Certification of Coaches. Following his presentation and a discussion of the 1986 Medical Symposium sites and dates, Commissioner Mills recommended that the All-Sports Committee meet and consider these recommendations. Tony Olinger made a motion that the Board approved the Commissioner's recommendation. Grant Talbott seconded the motion, which carried unanimously.

Following Commissioner Mills' recommendation to reemploy Sports Information Director Julian Tackett through June 1986, David Webb moved, seconded by Ray Story, that the Commissioner's recommendation be approved. Motion carried unanimously.

Executive Committee Vice Chairman Chester Turner led a discussion on the proposed Board of Control Handbook.
Following the discussion, Tom Buchanan moved, seconded by Frank Welch that the Handbook be adopted as presented. The motion passed unanimously.

President Crawford called on Football Committee Chairman Chester Turner to present the committee's proposal for re-alignment.

Following a lengthy discussion, Chester Turner moved, seconded by Frank Welch that the Football Committee's report be accepted and that public input from the schools be taken by Class prior to the January meeting of the Board of Control. The proposed re-alignment will be mailed to all football playing schools prior to the hearing date. The motion carried by a vote of 8 in favor, 1 opposed and 1 abstention.

President Crawford called on Principal Bill VanWinkle, Owensboro High School, who had requested a hearing before the Board to request that his school be changed from AAAA to AAA for the 1986 football season due to a large drop in enrollment. Following a discussion thereof, Grant Talbott made a motion that Owensboro High School be moved from Class AAAA to Class AAA for the 1986 season and be placed in Region 1, District 2. David Webb seconded the motion which passed by a vote of 8 in favor and 2 abstentions.

Commissioner Mills requested that the Board consider his recommendation to purchase a new computer. Following a discussion, Charlie Wilson made a motion to accept the Commissioner's recommendation. The motion was seconded by Frank Welch and carried by a vote of 8 in favor and 1 abstention.

Commissioner Mills presented to the Board a proposal from WKYT-TV to carry the final game of the 1986 Boys State High School Basketball Tournament in March. Following a discussion of the proposal, Ray Story moved, seconded by Charlie Wilson, that the Board grant the Commissioner the authority to enter into a contractual agreement with WKYT-TV to televise the game. The motion carried unanimously.

A discussion ensued with regard to whether or not ineligible and/or suspended players are covered by the K.H.S.A.A. Athletic Insurance Plan.

The next appeal on the Agenda was on behalf of Catherine Kluthe, a student who had transferred from Villa Madonna Academy to Scott High School who had participated in athletics at the former school. Mr. and Mrs. William Kluthe, parents of Catherine, presented their appeal to the Board members to waive By-Law 6, Transfer Rule. Following questions to the Kluthe's by the Board members, David Webb moved that the Commissioner's ruling be upheld in this case. Grant Talbott seconded the motion. The motion carried by a vote of 7 in favor, 2 opposed and 1 abstention.

The final appeal was presented by Mr. and Mrs. Tim Thornburg on behalf of their daughter Heather. Heather had been ruled ineligible to participate in interscholastic activities due to the fact she had transferred from Assumption High School where she was a basketball player to Shelby County High School. Following the Thornburg's presentation and there being no questions, Charlie Wilson moved that the Board uphold the decision of the Commissioner and that Heather remain ineligible to participate in athletics at Shelby County High School. Grant Talbott seconded the motion which carried unanimously.

There being no further appeals, Charlie Wilson moved that the meeting adjourn. Tony Olinger seconded the motion which carried unanimously.

APPEALS HEARINGS

The Board of Control of the Kentucky High School Athletic Association met at the K.H.S.A.A. Office Building, Lexington, Kentucky, on Friday afternoon, October 11, 1985, for the purpose of hearing appeals.

The meeting was called to order by President Patrick Crawford at 4:00 p.m. Present were all Board members: Lloyd Redman, representing the State Department of Education; Commissioner Tom Mills; Executive Assistant Billy Wise; Assistant Commissioners Brigaid DeVries and Louis Stout. The invocation was given by Lloyd Redman.

President Crawford called on Mr. and Mrs. Thomasson who had requested a hearing before the Board of Control on behalf of her nephew, Terry E. Nannie, Jr., a student at Heath High School, who had been ruled ineligible by the Commissioner under By-Law 6, Transfer Rule. Following Mrs. Thomasson's presentation and questions by the Board members, David Webb moved that the Board waive By-Law 6 in this case and declare Terry eligible to participate immediately in interscholastic athletics. Tom Buchanan seconded the motion, which carried unanimously.

The case against a student, Attorney Chris Seaman, representing Scott Adwell, a student at Barren County High School who had been declared ineligible to participate in athletics due to By-law 5, Section 1c., Enrollment. Following Mr. Seaman's presentation and questions to him by the Board members. Frank Welch made a motion, seconded by Charlie Wilson, that the ruling of the Commissioner be upheld in this case. The motion carried unanimously.
Is More Always Better?

As a new school year begins and our high school league activities get underway, I find myself reflecting on the schedule ahead. This thought often causes me to question the goals and responsibilities that I have as a teacher and coach.

With the encouragement of some and the caution of many, I feel the need to express myself and challenge others to think about how successfully we are meeting the goal of being educators first and coaches second. Over the past several years the feedback I have been getting from players, coaches, parents, and teachers has not convinced me that our priorities regarding athletics and education are in the proper order. Idealistically, I believe that we were hired first because of our ability to be effective-classroom teachers and secondly because we can coach. Realistically, I'm not sure that always happens. The message that this sends is confusing and thus I find a growing concern developing about the educational soundness of our priorities. Kids learn from our priorities and the importance that we place on them.

An encouraging statement and one that supports much of my philosophy on this issue is the Brown vs. Minnesota State High School League case in 1970: "...high schools are not obligated to prepare or train students for a career in professional athletics. We gather that they conceive their obligation to be the development of the whole person and to avoid an overemphasis in extracurricular athletic activity which may detract from the student's interest in and contribution to the total educational process. They have determined that such overemphasis on athletic activities interferes with academic goals as well as the goals and responsibilities of life for which the education system seeks to prepare our citizens." Are we as teachers/coaches making this happen?

Before going on, let me preface by saying that first of all, I am a strong supporter of the Minnesota High School League and I applaud them for their dedication toward high school athletics. Second, I am fortunate to be a volleyball coach, and third, as a former three-sport athlete, I appreciate the opportunities that I had to participate in competitive athletics. These experiences positively enriched me as a person.

There have been many changes, however, since the mid 1970's and certainly I am not against change. (Let us never regress back to the NAAF anti-competitive philosophy of 1923!) But, often I do feel an increasing pull in the direction that more is always better. More games in a season, more weekend tournaments, more practices (weekends, holidays), more out-of-season conditioning, etc. Is more always better?

Is more than one game a week necessary? It's difficult to condition and practice well with so little time in between games. More importantly, for many with long traveling distances an early-week game makes it difficult to be effective as a teacher or student the next day when the bus leaves immediately after school and returns home around midnight. Is more always better? I think not. If our goal is to help develop student-athletes and our top priority is to provide a well-rounded education, then we must allow for this to happen. Our decisions as a teacher-coach should be based on the best interests of our student-athletes. We must pay more than lip service to this.

As a coach, I naturally would like to have the best team possible and help to develop the skill potential of the team members. Carefully planned practice sessions will develop these skills and we all know that the more we practice the better we'll become. But where do we draw the line?

Is more always better?

Those who have been involved in winning programs are well aware of the increasing pressure that is put on athletes and coaches. Because we did very well one year it is often expected that each succeeding year should bring equal or better results, and if we work even harder we should be even better. Unfortunately, that doesn't happen very often and sometimes we can get caught in that pressure web. Winning is hard to let go of and its feeling is addicting.

I think we must also be aware of the need for many of us, teacher-coach, student-athlete alike, to have time for other interests and activities during the seasons. Feeling that we can book our athletes time so tightly may suffocate their chance to grow in other areas. We must also keep in mind the importance of allowing kids to be with their families: the main base of support for many young people. Would we really have less of a team if we didn't practice on a Saturday? Would we really be behind if once or twice during a season we took a day off from practice or quit early? Would the players really suffer if we gave them five succeeding days off during Christmas vacation? I am not suggesting that we turn competitive athletics into intramurals but I am convinced that sometimes we put so much emphasis on the physical preparation of our athletes that we forget the emotional and mental needs of adolescents. We work so hard on the body that we forget about the mind.

Choosing to be involved in high school athletics does require dedication of time, energy, and talents, as well as sacrifice. In addition, many of our students are involved in more than one activity during the year. We can teach many things about life through athletics and the rewards can be invaluable. Very few of our players will go on to be professionals but all will go on with life, careers, changes, and memories. Athletics can help in this lifetime preparation but certainly cannot do it all. Few of us get where we are today strictly because of how we played on a high school team and we must remember this same fact with our student-athletes. Hopefully, we are in this business for the best interest of the kids and not for our own glory.

In conclusion, there are no easy answers to all of this. This is not a reprimand to coaches, we do a good job but there are some concerns that need to be considered. The risk I take in doing this is to place myself on an island with possibly little support. I do feel some personal contradictions as I write this yet I feel strongly that it is time for us to reassess our goals in competitive high school athletics and to take an honest look at where we are headed. Our influence as educators goes far beyond the gym or playing field and we must remember the needs of all of our students, athletes or not. A strong, well-rounded education for all is the most important game we can win.

Written by Liz Ackerwold, Lake City, MN
1985-86 Baseball Districts and Regions Re-Alignment

REGION I
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 II
District 5: Christian County, Fort Campbell, Hopkinsville, Trigg County
District 6: Caldwell County, Crittenden County, Livingston Central, Lyon County
District 7: Dawson Springs, Madisonville-North Hopkins, South Hopkins, West Hopkins
District 8: Henderson County, Providence, Union County, Webster County

REGION III
District 9: Apollo, Daviess County, Owensboro, Owensboro Catholic
District 10: Bremen, Central City, Drakesboro, Graham, Greenville, Hughes-Kirk
District 11: Breckinridge County, Grayson County, Hancock County, St. Romuald
District 12: Fordsville, McLean County, Ohio County, Trinity (Whitesville)

REGION IV
District 13: Butler County, Logan County, Russellville, Todd County 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, Metcalfe County, Monroe County

REGION V
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 VI
District 21: Central, Portland Christian, Shawnee, Southwest Christian
District 22: Butler, Holy Cross, Pleasure Ridge Park, Western
District 23: Beth Haven, Doss, Fairdale, Valley
District 24: DeSales, Evangel, Iroquois, Southern

REGION VII
District 25: duPont Manual, Male, Ninth & 0, St. Xavier
District 26: Atherton, Christian Academy, Seneca, Trinity
District 27: Fern Creek, Jeffersontown, Moore, Walden
District 28: Ballard, Eastern, Kentucky Country Day, Waggener

REGION VIII
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, Oldham County, Trimble County
District 32: Grant County, Owen County, Scott County, Williamstown, Walton-Verona

REGION IX
District 33: Boone County, Conner, Lloyd, St. Henry, Simon-Kenton
District 34: Bellevue, Dayton, Holmes, Newport, Newport Central Catholic
District 35: Bishop Brossart, Campbell County, Highlands, Scott, Silver Grove
District 36: Beechwood, Covington Catholic, Dixie Heights, Holy Cross, Ludlow

REGION X
District 37: Bourbon County, Harrison County, Millersburg, Nicholas County, Paris
District 38: Augusta, Bracken County, Deming, Pendleton County
District 39: Fleming County, Mason County, Maysville, St. Patrick, Tollesboro
District 40: Bath County, Estill County, George Rogers Clark, Montgomery County

REGION XI
District 41: Frankfort, Franklin County, Western Hills, Woodford County
District 42: Bryan Station, Henry Clay, Lafayette, Lexington Catholic, Sayre, Tate's Creek
District 43: Berea, Madison, Madison Central, Model

REGION XII
District 44: Boyle County, Danville, Kentucky School f/t Deaf, Lincoln County
District 45: Burgin, Garrard County, Harrodsburg, Jessamine County, Mercer County
District 46: McCreary Central, Monticello, Russell County, Wayne County
District 47: Casey County, Laurel County, Pulaski County, Somerset

REGION XIII
District 48: Clay County, Jackson County, Oneida, Rockcastle County
District 49: Barboursville, Corbin, Knox Central, Lynn Camp, Whitley County, Williamsburg
District 50: Bell County, Middlesboro, Pineville, Red Bird
District 51: Cawood, Cumberland, Evarts, Harlan

REGION XIV
District 52: Fleming-Neon, Jenkins, Letcher, Whitesburg
District 53: Buckhorn, Dilsie Combs, Hazard, Leslie County, M.C. Napier
District 54: Breathitt County, Cordia, Jackson, Knott County, Riverside Christian
District 55: Lee County, Owsley County, Powell County, Wolfe County

REGION XV
District 56: Johnson Central, Magoffin County, Paintsville, Sheldon Clark
District 57: Allen Central, Betsy Layne, McDowell, Prestonsburg, Wheelwright
District 58: Dorton, Middlesboro, Mullins, Pikeville, Virgie
District 59: Belfry, Elkhorn City, Feds Creek, Johns Creek, Phelps

REGION XVI
District 60: Menifee County, Morgan County, Rowan County
District 61: East Carter, Elliott County, Lewis County, West Carter
District 62: Fairview, Greenup County, Raceland, Russell
District 63: Boyd County, Holy Family, Lawrence County, Paul Blazer
1985-86 Certified and Approved Football Officials

A large number of K.H.S.A.A. registered officials have qualified for the advance ratings of Certified and Approved as a result of the National Federation Part II Examination. Only officials receiving these higher ratings are eligible to work in the district and regional tournaments. Only K.H.S.A.A. approved or certified officials shall be used in games between sub-district and district winners. Only certified officials shall be used in all other playoff games.

Western Kentucky
APPROVED
Carden, Mike
Gray, Don
Hendley, Steve
Janssen, Jan
Puckett, Jeff
Searcy, Jerry

Big Eight
APPROVED
Burton, Luther
Cabbage, David Bruce
Riggs, Stan

Mid-Kentucky
APPROVED
Alford, Robert
Barbour, Lonnie
Beal, James F.
Hankins, William
Lewis, Arthur Lee
McCallum, Larry
McPeek, Michael
Matusiak, Martin
Beeler, Robert
Revis, David
Rigon, Dennis
Sanford, Ronnie
Thomas, Michael
Underhill, John
Watson, Curtis

Kentuckiana
APPROVED
Crawford, Steven
DeSensi, Dino
Kain, Michael
Melford, Bob
Riche, William
Schmitt, Jim
Schmitt, Rick
Schmitt, Roger
Schwinn, James
Trimer, Pete
Walsh, Tom

Northern Kentucky
APPROVED
Halpin, Maury
Justice, Ronald
Kordenbrock, Andy
Mang, Berry
Miller, Joseph
Rottgers, Robert
Wrobliski, Jim

Central Kentucky
APPROVED
Booth, Thomas J.
Donaldson, Mychal
Downing, Brooks
Hill, Roger
Riggs, Mark R
Ring, Frederick
Smith, Jeff
Tackett, Julian

CERTIFIED
Goble, Kenneth, Jr.
Hollingsworth, Ralph
Roby, Michael J.
Shewmaker, Wayne

Malak, Mark
Claywell, Sam
Hawkins, Stewart
Herron, Mike
Holland, James
Inman, Gary
McFalls, Garry
Miller, John W.
Molohon, Rick
Smith, Arthur
Sutherland, Fred
Thompson, David
Wildt, Jerry

Moyer, Michael F.
Treibly, Charles
Turner, Ron

Lang, Dean Edward
Smock, Edward K.
Tompkins, Barrie
Yeiser, Gerald

Region 13
APPROVED
House, Joseph
Hudson, Thomas

Region 14
APPROVED

Region 15—No Report

Region 16
APPROVED
Dixon, Ronald
Gray, Gregory
Martino, Michael
Salyers, Keith
Shield, Art

CERTIFIED
Ball, Phillip
Burgan, Curtis
Stuber, Charles
Washington, Darryl

Combs, Harold
Walker, Ernest
Craft, Robert

Barber, Oliver
Cashman, Aubrey
Edgerton, Lee
Klein, Robert
Koesters, Willi
Lynn, Peter
Malcolm, J. Vincent
Morke, James
Moghadamian, Mohammad
Robertson, Dave
Snook, Robert
Staurovsky, Ronnie
Stepler, Richard
Unland, Bruce
Wardell, Howard
Webb, William
Whyland, John

Flesch, James
Kearns, Tom
Mauntel, Tim
Piestroff, Tim
Pugh, Robert
Rademacher, John
Reinhardt, Bruce
Stepner, Don
Taybi, Kewmar
Tecklenburg, Don
Whalen, James
Williams, James A.
Yeoman, George

1985-86 Certified and Approved Soccer Officials

APPROVED
Barber, Oliver
Cashman, Aubrey
Edgerton, Lee
Klein, Robert
Koesters, Willi
Lynn, Peter
Malcolm, J. Vincent
Morke, James
Moghadamian, Mohammad
Robertson, Dave
Snook, Robert
Staurovsky, Ronnie
Stepler, Richard
Unland, Bruce
Wardell, Howard
Webb, William
Whyland, John

CERTIFIED
Bruenderson, Mary
Rice, Debra M.

Bancroft, John
Bancroft, Mary Ann
Williams, James A.

1985-86 Certified and Approved Volleyball Officials

APPROVED
Bruenderson, Mary
Rice, Debra M.

CERTIFIED
Bancroft, John
Bancroft, Mary Ann
Williams, James A.

SPECIAL NOTICES

K.H.S.A.A. Directory

The Kentucky High School Athletic Association has printed a directory for 1985-86. Included in the directory is a calendar of events, a section on general information about the K.H.S.A.A. and a listing of member schools and their personnel.

The Directory is available to coaches, officials and other interested persons at a fee of $2.00 plus postage of 70¢ for one Directory. Please send check or money order to Directory, K.H.S.A.A., P.O. Box 22280, Lexington, Kentucky 40522.
FORMAT CHANGED FOR THE ATHLETE MAGAZINE. . .

The Athlete, the official publication of the Kentucky High School Athletic Association has undergone a facelift recently, with changes designed to help not only its appearance, but to keep better in touch with our member schools. In the spring of 1985, a newsletter, "Notes and Quotes" was distributed to the schools. The response was very good, but the Board of Control felt that by highlighting the news some other way, we could insure that all schools were informed.

Therefore, this is the first of the Commissioner's Corner. Each month, we hope to print important deadlines and news, open dates for scheduling, etc. If you have a suggestion, open date, staff or student congratulations, or just a funny story, please send it to me at the office.

The Association is beginning to assemble a handbook on dealing with the media. Please send any suggestions to the office. Lastly, it is very important that you take a good black and white picture of each of your teams. These pictures are very important should your team qualify for the K.H.S.A.A. Playoffs or tournaments. --Julian Tackett, Sports Information

IMPORTANT NOTICE CONCERNING CATASTROPHIC INSURANCE. . .

As we brought out at the Board of Control meeting in October, the catastrophic insurance plan for K.H.S.A.A. athletes is not in effect for ineligible participants practicing with the team. That includes academic ineligibility, transfer waiting period, etc. Further interpretation is being sought from the Doug Reudlinger Insurance Company and the Federation Insurance Committee, but until such an interpretation is received and distributed, keep this important liability fact in mind and inform all of your coaches of the pitfalls of an injury to an uninsured player.

PICTURES SOUGHT FOR COVER OF ATHLETE. . .

Pictures are being sought for the cover of the Athlete magazine. It is hoped to highlight a different sport each month, and not necessarily an All-State participant or state champion. If you have any good black and white pictures, please forward them to this office immediately. If the Association uses the picture in the magazine, full credit will be given to the photographer (if known) and the providing school.

REMINDER TO CALL IN SCORES. . .

Schools playing all sports sanctioned by the K.H.S.A.A., but particularly those playing football are reminded to contact either the Associated Press, the Lexington Herald or the Courier Journal with your results immediately following each game. Those phone numbers are:
Lexington Herald Leader (606) 231-3225 (call collect); Louisville Courier Journal (800) 292-3570, (502) 582-4361 (call collect if 800 number is busy); Associated Press (800) 292-3560.

It is very important that you contact these outlets as this Association relies heavily on these mediums to keep us up to date on standings and scores. Please do not depend on your local paper to contact the wire service. The call costs you nothing and generally takes less than 60 seconds.

WHAT ABOUT POST SEASON ALL STAR GAMES?

One of the most common questions asked for me to interpret is the By-Law 32 provision for post-season All-Star games. The by-law states that from the end of a sports season to the end of the school year, eligible participants from different schools may participate on a team together only with Board of Control approval. The penalty for underclassman violation is a one year suspension, while the penalty for a senior is stated to be ineligibility for participation in spring sports during the senior season.

At the October meeting of the Board of Control, the Board voted unanimously to waive the rule for all senior participants to allow them to participate in up to two post-season All-Star games without spring sports penalty. The Board felt that N.C.A.A. regulations allowing two games for these participants was enough restraint and that these few athletes should not be penalized for multi-sport talent.

Please feel free to call or write this office anytime with your questions. I must tell you that no rulings can be made by phone, that in accordance with the Constitution and By-Laws, all rulings must be made in writing. --Tom Mills, Commissioner
ADDITION TO YOUR SCHOOL DIRECTORY...

Please add the following to your list of member schools:

Central Kentucky Christian School
710 Perryville Road
Harrowburg, KY 40330
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Superintendent: William Weigle, Jr.
Bd. Rep.: Darryl Duer
Colors: Blue and Green
Sports: Cross Country (B&G)

CORRECTION...

For those of you who have not mailed in your state tournament ticket order for basketball, the postage and handling should be $2.00 per order. This was inadvertently left off of the application. Also, as many have pointed out, Diddle Arena in Bowling Green is the site of the Girls’ Basketball Tournament, not Lexington as was erroneously placed on Purchase Order Form E.

SPECIAL NOTICE TO SCHOOLS AND OFFICIALS

Based on a request from the National Federation of State High School Associations and the Kentucky High School Athletic Association Board of Control, I am writing this with regard to the enforcement of Basketball Rule 10-4 and 10-5.

Rule 10-4 states that Bench Personnel shall not:
1. Commit an unsportsmanlike foul. This includes, but is not limited to, acts or conduct such as:
   a. Disrespectfully addressing an official;
   b. Attempting to influence an official's decisions;
   c. Using profanity;
   d. Disrespectfully addressing or baiting an opponent;
   e. Objecting to an official's decision by rising from the bench or using gestures;
   f. Inciting undesirable crowd reactions;
   g. Squad number(s) not remaining seated on the bench while the clock is running unless sponta-
      neously reacting to an outstanding play by a member of their team and immediately returning to
      their seats, or reporting to the scorer's table.
2. Enter the court unless by permission of an official to attend an injured player.

Penalty: (Articles 1, 2) 2 free throws. The foul is charged to the offender and to the head coach. If flagrant, the offender is disqualified. Squad numbers or student bench personnel so disqualified are banished from the vicinity of the bench. Adult bench personnel so disqualified shall go to their team's locker room or leave the building.

Note: The 3rd technical on any bench personnel is considered flagrant.

Rule 10-5 states that Coach(es) must remain seated on the bench at all times while the clock is running or is stopped except to:
Art 1. Confer with bench personnel and players within the confines of the bench area during a charged
time-out or the intermission between quarters and extra periods;
Art. 2. Rise and stand in front of their seat to signal players to request a charged time-out;
Art. 3. Confer with personnel at the scorer's table to request a time-out for a correctable error, as in 2-10;
Art. 4. Attend an injured player when beckoned onto the court by an official;
Art. 5. Replace or remove a disqualified or injured player within the confines of his or her bench:

Coaches may rise from their seats to spontaneously react to an outstanding play by a member of their team, but must immediately return to their seat.

Art. 6. The coach shall replace a disqualified or injured player in 30 seconds when a substitute is available.

All assigning secretaries and basketball officials have been notified to enforce Rule 10-4 and Rule 10-5, during the 1985-86 basketball season. Officials that refuse to enforce this rule as written by the National Federation of State High Schools shall be suspended for an indefinite period to be decided by the Commissioner. It is the responsibility of the assigning secretary to report to the K.H.S.A.A. immediately the name of any official under his supervision who fails to enforce the above stated rule.
This study will be conducted through the use of a simple questionnaire which is to be mailed out at the conclusion of the season. In order to obtain accurate data we ask that a coach or trainer be in charge of injury records. We offer the following as a sample form for the injury form:

**UNIVERSITY OF KENTUCKY**

**Athletic Injury Record**

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The following is a sample of the questionnaire to help you familiarize yourself with the data we will be requesting. Thank you in advance for your help and cooperation.

**KENTUCKY HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION**

**Football Injury Study**

1. Number of football players on your squad?

2. In which class does your school participate?

3. Do you have a National Athletic Trainers Association certified trainer?

4. Do you have a state licenced Athletic Trainer?

5. Do you have a separate training room?

6. How many student trainers do you have?

7. Have they attended any camps or have any training in athletic training?  Yes  No

8. Have they attended any camps or have any training in athletic training?  Yes  No

9. Is there an ambulance present for your games?

10. How many players required dental treatment due to an injury at practice?

11. How many players required dental treatment due to an injury during a game?

12. Was the athlete wearing a mouth piece when the dental injury occurred?

   Games No.

   Practice No.
13. Were any of your players hospitalized due to a heat related problem?  
   If so, how many?

14. How many players had a head injury this year? (concussion, knocked out, etc.)
   Games  
   Practice

15. How many players were hospitalized due to a head injury?
   Games  
   Practice

16. How many players had a neck injury this year?
   Games  
   Practice

17. How many knee injuries did you have this year?

18. How many players had knee surgery?
   Open surgery  
   Orthroscopic surgery

19. How many players wear a knee brace(s)?

20. Did any sustain a knee injury?  
   How many?

21. How many fractured bones did your players have?  
   List area(s):

22. List all surgeries (other than above) that your player under went.

23. Did you have any catastrophic injuries (paralysis/death)?  
   Please describe.

DON'T FORGET THESE ACT TEST DATES--

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NEW EQUIPMENT CAN HELP WITH YOUR ALTERNATING POSSESSION...

With the recent ruling concerning the alternating possession on all jump ball situations, many schools will be needing some form of indicator to show which team is due to get possession. The Association has received a catalog from Daktronics, Inc., which has several of the devices available. If you would like further information, please write to the office.
The following rankings have been submitted to the K.H.S.A.A. by the Assigning Secretary from each Region for the 1984-85 basketball season.

**REGION I**
Carter, Mike; Jr., McGinty, L.V.; Green, Don; Finley, Howard; Brewer, Preston; Cash, Charles; Latham, Billy; Higdon, Sam; Jackson, Dennis; Featherstone, Jerry; DeRosa, Joe; Henson, Don; Morris, Bobby; Miller, Harold; Harper, James; Paitsel, James.

**REGION II**
Holt, Robert; Beshears, Jim; Browning, Wayne; Davis, Jay; Boisture, Roy; Holmes, Eddie; Vaughn, Ron; East, Bill; Holt, Ronnie; Carlton, Rob; Bugg, James; Crick, Dwaine; Stone, Sidney; Cates, Bill; Creasey, Mike; Holt, Steve; Rogers, Mike; Pierce, Frank; Malak, Mark; Woosley, Travis; Colley, Lynn; Hughes, Roy; Day, Roy; Griffith, Mike; Haynes, Billy; Kluepfel, Joe; Dossett, Mac; Frazier, Tom; Roe; Franklin, John; Dillingham, Kent; East, Tim; Decker, Neil; Allen, Mickey; Gilmore, Donald; Clark, Greg; Kelley, Jeff; Crick, James; Crowell, Joe.

**REGION III**
Long, James; Barnes, Barry; Divine, Wayne; Hill, James; Montgomery, Chester; King, Curtis; McClure, Willis; Wilson, Ken; Everly, Phyllis; Everly, Randy; Estes, Walter; Thomson, Cecil; Mullins, Jay; Mattingly, Terry; Hardin, Ronnie; Peterson, Steve; Peckenaugh, Terry; Fox, Joanna; Thomas, Durward; Davis, Harold; Kemp, Jim; Jones, Spurgeon; Barnes, Roger; Haynes, Steve; Askin, Ray; Fields, Paul; Quisenberry, David; Mefford, Marty; Childress, Jeff; Dotson, Scott; Weeden, Dorman; Nanzt, Mike; Lowrey, Bart; Quiggins, Marsha; Singleton, Ronnie; Morris, Jim; Duncan, Les; Clardy, Barry; Hightower, Edward; Gadiis, Gerald.

**REGION IV**
Burkeen, Phil; Curry, Randy; Murrell, Al; Long, Bill; Hamm, Ritchie; Curry, Mark; Anderson, Ralph; Sims, Russ; Lamastus, Randy; James, Janice; Proffitt, Carlie; Perkins, Mel; Vance, Hunter; Williams, Jim; Harlow, Doug; Hamm, Gerald; Edwards, Ken; Appling, James; Barnhill, Carl; Nylin, Bob; Taylor, S.; Whittaker, Wally; Goad, Tom; Houchnes, Joe.

**REGION V**
Brasfield, loy; Downs, Joe; Myers, Ron; Williams, Bob; Spalding, Randall; Wilson, Paul; Durbin, Hade; Crutcher, Paul; Thompson, B.D.; Cross, Roger; Hilton, Billy; Morse, Richard; Gaddie, Gary; Gupton, Lawrence; Bartley, Joe; Crutcher, Marion; Beard, Dusty; Reif, Harry; Wright, Gay; Skagg, Bobby; Stikeleather, Clyde; Gupton, George; Hawkins, Don; Frazier, Mac; Thomas, Matusiak, Marty; Elliott, Mike; Percei, Danny; McLane, Albert; Rigon, Dennis; Revis, David; Pursifull, Larry; Hawkins; Stewart; Strain, Dick; Hundley, Finis; Bagby, Gary; Girvin, Jay; Wheeler, Milton; Upchurch, Mark; Spalding, Glenn.

**REGION VI & VII**
Hatfield, Rip; Hayes, Pete; Newton, Dennis; Gatterdam, Ed; Monks, Ron; Bryant, Jimmy; Brothers, Dottie; Redle, Joel; Coffman, Steve; Baker, Jan; Hourigan, Tim; Bell, Clarence; Duvall, Tom; Stovall, Cathy; Weihe, Bob; Singleton, Bobby; Eaves, Jimmy; Smith, Ron; Hatfield, Dan; McAnnally, Tom; Reader, Bob; Latkovski, Andy; Driskell, Earl; Weber, Tom; Clark, Ken; Taylor, Don; Tindall, Cliff; Pavlic, Chris; Decker, Jim; Brown, Judy; Hickey, Tom; Jansen, Jean; Meredith, Billy; Hlipp, Gerald; Brewer, Charles; Henry, Dennis; Wright, Nancy; Mallory, Jim; Wychulis, Beth; Cooper, Fred; Heckel, Richard; Marquette, Ralph; Heckel, Charles; Szpyer, Dick; Compton, Al; Atzinger, Phyllis; Kazunas, Gerald; Woosley, Donald; Pear, George; Ramsey, Dale; White, Curtis; Fox, Russ; James, Bob; Ritchie, Bill; Baldwin, Dennis; Donohue, Sarge; Peak, Barbara; Mattingly, Gary; Cecil; Ron; Shackle, Ken; Hauber, Cheri; Stuedie, Ray; Kistner, Gary; Stephenson, Joe; Green, Steve; Gibson, Gary; Gillespie, Vickie; Nall, Ken; Holt, Tim; Bell, Ron; Dunn, Chris; Bush, Jerry; O'Brien, Jim; Hilpp, Terry; Bergstrom, Ed; Hash, Jeff; Carpenter, Al; Conkin, Gary; Stewart, Steve; Bell, Sharon; Nickerson, Bruce; Maddox, Art; Shepherd, Larry; Smith, Art; Gornet, Mary Pat; Morris, Larry; Ramsom, Ken; Hamilton, Joe; Etheridge, Ricky; Beck, Bob; Ray, Buddy; Featherstone, John; Yann, Gerald; George, Gary; Gibson, Al; McGavic, Ron; Jennette, Tony; Bland, Chuck; Russell, Clem; Miller, Robert; Abell, Pettaway, L.; Stober, Missy; Cox, Buddy; Saylor, Hank; Yeoman, George; Lasky, Barbara; Parker, J.; Cromer, Dan; King, Ken; White, Bob; Griffin, Dennis; Turner, Ron; McIntosh; Abott, Randy; Fryrear; Elliott; Clayton; Burns, Nall, Tony; Newton, J.; King, Mike; Johnson, S.; Smith, Doug; Showalter, C.; Gatwood, Bob.

**REGION VIII**
Stethen, Jim; Taylor, Bill; Dyke, Dean; Gordon, roy; Jones, John; Mefford, Gran; Camacho, Marcus; Peyton, William; Mullins, Ray; Williams, Gary; Lawrence, Gary; Holmes, Lois; Doll, Allen; Wagner, Jim; Johnson, Steve; Gibbons, Mike; Prather, Turk; Williams, Don; Goin, Tom; Boyd, Tom; Watkins, David; Dant, Joe; Goodlett, Mike; Yaeger, John; Teague, Gary; Thornberry, Gary; Reinle, Billy; Grey, Don; Puckett, Jim; Pearson, William; Hawkins, Tom; Goodlett, Randy; Miller, Jerry; Emily, Steve; Caudill, Roy; Adamson, Buford; Skagg, Nate; Knight, David; Wiley, James; Caudill, Charlene; Holland, Jay; Gosnell, Mike; Tindle, Lester.

**REGION IX**
Liggett, Ernie; Sullivan, Dan; Moore, Franklin; Hummel, Tom; Roesel, Joe; Weyer, Jim; Thompson, Tom; Moore, Bob; Delaney, Bill; Wolfe, Dennis; Burkat, Bob; Smith, Bill; Shields, Don; Freppon, Tom; Haas, Tom; Gabbard, Ray; Arnold, Jim; Swope, Tom; Buerger, Tim; Vories, Kent; Wright, Bob; Johnson, Jack J.; Fitzter, Carl; Brown, Steve; McDowell, Benny; Vories, Gary; Sullivan, Danny; Ponchoiu, Joseph; Bond, Terry; Schneider, Don; Chappie, Charles; Brownfield, Claude; Meyer, Dave; Flesch, Jerry; Brockman, Tom; Bauman, Michael; Heilman, Glenn; Morris, Edward “Doc”; Penick, Dave; Morris, Tom; McCarthy, Steve; Bishop, Paul; Newhous, Doug; Brausch, David; Mason, Kip; Bertsch, Ron; Wilson, Larry; Washnach, Richard; Grefar, Tom; Crittenden, Glenn; Antrobus, Randy; Rees, J.B.; Strong, Terry; Robbins, Mike; Ryan, Roger; Dunhoft, Kenny; Cunningham, Steve; Douthwaite, Don; Haskell, Dan; Hamilton, Tom; Maybog, Glenn; Watson, Lloyd; Mertles, Jenny; Brady, Ron; Kristof, Dave; Schneider, Jeff; Smith, John W.; Woolum, Larry; Whalen, James J.; Berns, Tom; Scott, Emmanuel; Bennett, Joe; Obel, Dave; Catron, Michael; Serrell, Tom; Willman, Glenn; Rose, Larry; Buerger, Anthony; Gosney, Donna J.; Williams, Ted M.; Benton, Jeff; Renchen, Bill; Gall, Greg;
Basketball Officials Continued

Eilers, Don L.; Hamilton, William; Zaleta, Mary; Gall, Greg; Wells, James D.; Hargrove, David L.; Scheibly, Dave; Myers, Donald R.; Gent, Richard; Wilkerson, Janice; Sammons, Terry; Smith, Dennis; Robinson, Scott; Trauth, Rick; Whalen, James F.; Goe, Robert; Loither, Jeff.

REGION X & XI
Radjunas, John; Jenkins, Burney; Thompson, Joe; Chasteen, Rick; Byars, Don; Buis, Mike; Boucher, Larry; Middleton, John; Catron, Ken; Wade, Kent; Kemper, Nancy; Morgan, Chuck; Pickrell, Jerry; Sellier, Ed; Catron, Mike; McNulty, Bob; Summer, Carl; Thompson, Gary; Bell, Henry; Brown, Barry; Shuck, Tommy; Whitaker, Mac; Williams, Roger; Ratliff, Larry; Story, John; Johnson, Jerry; Eads, Ron; McClure, Jerry; Clark, Eddie; Lusby, Georgia; Simmons, Ron; Johns, Jim; Peter, Fred; Angelucci, Mondo; Fritz, John; Turpin, Don; Shields, Don; Lashley, Dan; Turpin, Ron; Read, Ray; Basler, Mel; Walker, Keith; Lyles, Larry; Lerner, Larry; Overstreet, Walt; Kolpek, David; Madison, Tex; Owens, Bruce; Lane, Bob; Hunt, William; Rutledge, Mark; Akins, Clyde; Brock, Jack; Wilson, Todd; Riddell, Joe; Wilkie, Cragi; Brown, Glenn; Lentry, Rick; McDaniel, Bill; Young, Wayne; Owsey, Bob; Turley, Roy; Hostetler, Bill; Metzger, Larry; Straus, Bill; Eckler, Jim; Fannin, Bob; Spencer, Lonnie; Thomas, Ben; Thompson, Mark; Mitchell, Brad; Damron, Adam; Denham, Ed; Griffith, David; Hughes, Brenda; Hitted, Mark; Clark, James; Clarke, Kathy; Hawkins, Anthony; Harrod, Ron; Philpot, Tim; Campbell, Tom; Young, Ben; Travis, William; Snively, Chip; Adkins, Butch; Goble, Jim; Dotson, Ed; Martin, Donna; Foster, Don; Asher, Jay; Gardner, Richard; Durbin, Gary; Doak, Lee; Smith, John; Owens, Pete; Ringo, Frederick; Jackson, Sherron; Higgins, Jason; Spark, Tyrone; Frederick, Jamie; Kannon, Otis; Padgett, Timothy; Payne, Trina; Jones, Charles: Cunningham, Kevin.

REGION XII
Gordon, Dwight; Center, Mike; Devary, Bill; Wilson, Bruce; Rousey, James; Adams, Jim; Drake, John; Harkleroad, Tom; Turner, Keenan; Taylor, Dale; Keeney, Jack; Maxey, Richard; Hargis, Noel; Sargent, Danny; Haste, Fred; Sanders, John; Hale, Harold; Vaught, Marvin; Knight, William; Wallace, John; Russell, Lynn; Cash, Clayton; Bullock, Larry; Brown, Ronnie; Roy, Dale; Compton, Jerry; Wallace, David; Combs, John; Adams, Denver; Farley, Jim; Larkin, Allen; McKinney, Dexter; Short, John; Cheney, Dean; Cummins, Wayne; McFall, Rod; Morrison, Ron; McFall, Ronnie; Miller, Mike; Rogers, Kenneth; Talbott, Gene; Floyd, Joe; Murphy, David; Baker, Darrell; Carr, David; Fudge, Mark; Ault, Delbert; Johnson, Jim.

REGION XIV
Allen, Yvon; Francis, Frank; Feltner, Danny; Hall, Tommy; Combs, Henry; Campbell, Dexter; Mullins, Harold; Dixon, Bill; Smallwood, Talmadge; Bailey, Harrison; McIntosh, Carl; Vanover, J.W.; Gabbard, John; Hall, Don; Williams, Frank; Brewer, Lloyd; Poppas, Stephen; Thornsberry, Larry; Stone, Carson; Brown, Stanley; Whitaker, Ricky; Fields, Roger; Smiley, James; Rollins, George; Tolliver, Jerry; Cantrell, William; Vest, Ben; Terry, James; Thomas, Bobby; Seals, Harlan; Couch, Eibert; Adams, Richard; Trucker, Larry; Perry, Mike; Phillips, Coeburn.

REGION XV
Casey, Ancie; Collier, Burnard; Combs, Sherman; Hall, Bill; Tucker, Phillips; Copley, Sid; Bogar, Darrell; Diamond, Rufus; Smith, Jerry; Vanhorn, Mike; Kessinger, Mike; Mickey, Steve; Spears, Ronnie; May, Paul; Bishop, Henry; Varney, Greg; Spears, Terry; Hall, Keith; Stacy, David; Spears, Bobby; Kelly, Dolph; Combs, Clinton; Bell, Greg; Hamilton, Paul; Thompson, Robbie; Looney, James; Scott, Greg; Powell, Billy; Scott, Paul; Runyon, Donald.

REGION XVI
Moore, Marvin; Cundiff, Curt; McKenzie, Dwight; Kouns, Bob; Dixon, Ron; Ramey, Gary; Hall, Dick; Hale, David; Hall, Ted; Collins, Hubert; Belcher, Scott; Vance, Scott; Jackson, Bob; Simpson, Jim; Hobbs, Charles; Johnson, Lynn; Branham, George; Hardin, Phil; Hyland, Dick; Russell, Allen; Thomas, Leonard; Asher, Ralph; Artrip, Larry; Greene, Bert; Clevenger, Mike; Plummer, Bill; Woody, Darren; Craft, Bob; Cook, Edwin; Evans, Ron; Newman, Bill; Loperfido, Rick; Spaulding, Alton; Wells, John; Johnson, Ken; Maynard, Walter.

“KENTUCKY ATHLETIC DIRECTIONS”
KHSADA CALIFORNIA BOUND

The National Conference of High School Directors of Athletics will be held in Anaheim, California on December 14-18, 1985. The headquarters will be at the Marriott Hotel in Anaheim. This will be the 16th Annual Conference which will feature John Wooden, Former UCLA Basketball Coach and optional tours to Disneyland and Universal Studios.

We encourage you to support your State Association and the National Conference. Also, make plans to visit the Kentucky Hospitality Room.

For further information on the Conference or travel arrangements contact:

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Southern High School
8620 Preston Highway
Louisville, KY 40219
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1985 NATIONAL FEDERATION FOOTBALL
RULE INTERPRETATIONS
PART II

These interpretations of the National Federation Rules do not set aside nor modify any rule.

**PUBLICATION CORRECTIONS**

Meeting Folder

Question 15 — Answer is "backward" pass.

Case Book

Play 10.3-1. 7th line—Change "10-yard line" to "30-yard line."

**SITUATION #18:** A1’s forward pass is intercepted in B1’s end zone by B1. B1 attempts to run the ball out, but he is hit and fumbles. The ball bounces to the 3-yard line. (a) The ball bounces back into the end zone, or (b) A2 muffes the ball and it rolls into the end zone. In all three cases the ball is recovered by B1 and becomes dead in the end zone.

**RULING:** In case (a) the ball would be out of bounds since the ball was fumbled in the end zone. If (b) a new no force was applied by the out of bounds, it is a touchback as in (a). 30-yard line. A1 attempts to run the ball and scores a touchdown. A1 is not penalized. If (c) B1 muffes the ball and it then runs into the end zone, it would be a touchdown.

**COMMENT:** In play 6, Interpretations Part I, a similar situation as in (a) was identified. The ruling indicated it was a touchback as "team possession" had not been established in the field of play. More accurately, it is a touchback as no new force was applied and the fumble occurred in the end zone and not in the field of play.

**SITUATION #19:** Quarterback A1 comes to the line and steps one step behind the center. A1 checks the defensive alignment and begins to call out signals. A1 then steps forward and places his hands under center. A2 starts in motion at the same time A1 moves under center. The ball is snapped after A1 has been set for one second and with A2 moving parallel with the line.

**RULING:** Illegal signal. Since A1’s move to a new position was a shift, A2 would have to be stationary, along with the other Team A players for, at least one second before starting in motion. (7-2-5)

**SITUATION #20:** K1 punts the ball very high and only a short distance beyond the line. R1 signals for a fair catch. A strong wind blows the ball behind K1’s line where R1 catches it.

**RULING:** It is not a fair catch since the catch was made behind the line. The ball becomes dead when the catch is made because R1 gave a valid fair catch signal. (4-2-20, 6-5-1)

**SITUATION #21:** Team A is on its field goal formation with 4 seconds to play in the 4th period and trailing 18-10. The snap is caught and placed by holder K1. K2 kicks the ball but it is fumbled by R1. The ball is rolling loose near R1’s 30-yard line when the R coach, thinking the game is over, runs onto the field and picks up the ball. The covering official then declares the ball dead. How is the situation administered?

**RULING:** If the referee judges that the action of the coach did not influence the play, it is a nonplayer foul which cannot be penalized as the game is over. Nonplayer fouls are enforced from the succeeding play and do not extend a period. If the coach’s action is judged to have influenced the play, it would be penalized as an unfair act and the period continued with an untimed down.

**SITUATION #22:** An incoming substitute is detected not wearing hip pads. How does the referee handle this situation?

**RULING:** The substitute is not allowed to participate. The substitute is ordered to go to his team box and not return until he is legally equipped. There is no four or penalty. If he were to become a player, a 15-yard penalty would be assessed against the coach. (1-5-4, 3-1-5, 3-9-11)

**SITUATION #23:** A1 throws a forward pass downfield toward A2. The pass is thrown in an area between 2 officials. A2 dives for the ball and neither official is able to see if the ball was caught or trapped.

**RULING:** Incomplete pass. An official must see the catch in order for it to be ruled a completed pass.

**SITUATION #24:** A1 and B1 both jump high in the air to catch a forward pass. Both players grab the ball while they are still in the air. A1 lands inbounds and B1 touches out-of-bounds. A1 and B1 are in joint possession.

**RULING:** This is an incomplete pass. On a simultaneous catch, both players must be inbounds. If it had been a completed pass, the ball would belong to A (2.3-1. 6.7.5-3)

**SITUATION #25:** The Team A coach asks the umpire to examine the removable cleats on his team’s shoes. The cleats are mounted on raised platforms extending out from the sole of the shoe. The platforms are just a little wider than the base of the cleats. The umpire finds that (a) each platform is less than 5-1/2 inch in height, or (b) each platform is more than 5-1/2 inch high.

**RULING:** The shoes in (a) are legal, but those in (b) are not. The shoes in (b) cannot be worn. If legal shoes cannot be secured, the game could not be played. (1-5-3-2d. 4.5)

**SITUATION #26:** At the snap, K1 is on one knee in position to hold and K2 is in position to kick a field goal. K1 muffes the snap and the ball rolls out of reach. K1 runs and recovers the loose ball. K1 then (a) drops to a knee and holds for the kick, or (b) bends over and places the ball for a kick without touching the ground with any but his feet.

**RULING:** Since K1 has lost his knee off the ground when he recovers in (a), the ball is dead immediately when he returns a knee to the ground while in possession. In (b), the ball remains alive as nothing has happened to cause it to become dead. (4-2-3 Exp. and Notes)

**SITUATION #27:** K1 is in place where holder position at the snap and K2 is in kicking position. The snap is high and K2 catches it. K2, (a) takes several steps and then drops to his knees; or (b) immediately drops to his knees to hold for a kick.

**RULING:** The ball is dead immediately in both (a) and (b) when K2 goes to his knees while in possession of the ball. The dead ball exception is allowed only for the placekicker holder. (4-2-2 Exp. and Notes)

**SITUATION #28:** Placekicker holder K1 raises to catch a high snap. He muffes the snap, but drops to his knees and then catches it. The ball alive and what options does K1 have?

**RULING:** The ball is alive since K1 did catch the snap. He may hold for a kick or again rise up to run, pass, etc. (4-2-2a Note)

**SITUATION #29:** R1 is in position to catch K1’s kickoff on his own 15-yard line. K2 is downfield to cover the kick and interfere with R1’s opportunity to make the catch. The kick hits the ground and bounces out-of-bounds untouched.

**RULING:** This is a multiple foul on K1. It is fair catch interference on K2 and also a foul for free kicking out-of-bounds. R has several options. R may decline both penalties and take the ball at the inbounds spot. R may also choose to have either penalty enforced. If R accepts the penalty for the out-of-bounds kick, the free kick down will be repeated following the administration of the 5-yard penalty. If R accepts the penalty for fair catch interference, the 5-yard penalty may be enforced from the previous spot followed by a rekick or the penalty may be enforced from the spot of the foul. In this case, it would be R’s ball. (6-2-1, 6-5-5 Pass., 10-1-2-5)

**SITUATION #30:** A1 is the eleventh player on the field but thinking he is the twelfth, he runs off the wrong side of the field and just stands there during the entire play.

**RULING:** No penalty since he is not a substitute or replaced player and he didn’t come back in and participate. (3-7-3)

**SITUATION #31:** K1 punts the ball toward R’s end zone. R1 touched the kick on his 5-yard line before the ball is recovered by K2 in R’s end zone. The officials erroneously award a touchdown to K and they kick the extra point. The coach of R questions the touchdown interpretation before the kickoff.

**RULING:** It is too late to correct the official’s error. The touchdown must stand because the error was not questioned before the try for point. (3-5-8)

**SITUATION #32:** Team A has seven players with tape on their hands. The coach of Team A gives the umpire a letter from their team doctor indicating that all seven players can be taped because of existing injuries.

**RULING:** The doctor’s letter is not acceptable. The umpire must sanction that team as noncompliant and necessary to protect an existing injury. The umpire must examine before the players are taped so he can determine if there is an injury. (1-5-3e)

**SITUATION #33:** Substitute K12 comes onto the field following a touchdown. K12 is wearing only one shoe. (a) The official immediately recognizes that K12 has only one shoe. or (b) K12 becomes a player and kicks the extra point.

**RULING:** In (a) the official directs K12 to go to his team box and not return until he is legally equipped. In (b), the point is counted. The unsportsmanlike conduct foul against the coach is enforced from the succeeding spot on the kickoff. (1-5-1h, 5.9-8-1b, 10-4-1)

**SITUATION #34:** Team A leading 14 to 12 late in the 4th period and has no time-outs remaining. A1 informs the referee his coach wants a time-out to discuss misapplication of a rule. The coach informs the referee he wants to discuss a foul that occurred early in the period.

**RULING:** The coach is charged with an unsportsmanlike foul as he was not questioning possible misapplication of a rule that occurred during the previous play. The referee will start the clock with the ready-for-play signal after administration of the penalty. (3-5-5, 3-6-3, 9-8-1c)
Page 77: 9-3-18 RULING: (a) illegal, (b) legal.

SITUATION #1: A suspended game has been rescheduled and is ready to resume when it is discovered that the RB on Team B is ill and unable to resume her normal position in the lineup.

RULING: The player may be replaced through regular substitution procedure (1-5-3).

SITUATION #2: Team A's second volley is hit into an adjacent court which is more than 6 feet away and on which another match is in progress.

RULING: Point or side-out

COMMENT: Adjacent courts where play is in progress or are scheduled for play at the same time.

SITUATION #3: Team A's second volley hits an obstruction directly over the net and reflects back to Team A's side. Team A then plays the ball back into Team B's court.

RULING: Legal (2-3-1)

SITUATION #4: A player from Team B plays a ball off the side of a scoreboard that extends only 6 inches from the wall over the gym floor.

RULING: Legal

COMMENT: The obstruction is over a playable surface.

SITUATION #5: The referee arrives at the match and discovers the net measured at the ends exceeds the net height of 7'/4" by 1 inch.

RULING: Illegal. The host school should adjust the net to meet the net height specifications before the match begins (3-1-1).

SITUATION #6: The home team fails to provide an official scorekeeper. There is no room for the visiting scorer at the official's table. The visiting scorer insists that she/he be the official scorer.

RULING: No penalties. The referee has the authority to designate the official scorer, traditionally the home team scorer. However, the official may replace an incompetent scorer.

COMMENT: The host school should make every effort to provide enough space at the official's table for 2 scorers. The visiting team scorer traditionally serves as the assistant scorer (3-3-1, 5-3-1).

SITUATION #7: A player enters the game wearing (a) a soft cast on the forearm, (b) a hard cast on the ankle, (c) a hard cast on the ankle and the foot, (d) a cast on the ankle and the foot with 1/2" foam rubber, (e) a cast on the ankle and the foot with at least 3/4" foam rubber.

RULING: (a), (b), (c), (d) and (e) are legal (4-1-1, 4-1-2).

SITUATION #8: A player enters the game with her hand taped for a thumb and finger injury. The thumb is taped separately then attached to the index and middle fingers by several strips of tape. b) two, three or four fingers are taped together.

RULING: (a) and (b) legal, no advantage gained. (4-1-1)

SITUATION #9: One player on Team A is wearing (a) long green pants; (b) green cleats. Her teammates are wearing green shorts.

RULING: Legal (4-1-1)

SITUATION #10: The referee detects overlapping on the receiving team but it is not called by the umpire.

RULING: The referee may make the call (5-2-3a)

SITUATION #11: Prior to game, the umpire checks the lineup. The umpire finds a discrepancy (a) the players are not in the same order as the written lineup; (b) the numbers of the players are not the same as those on the written lineup.

RULING: Inaccurate lineup submitted.

COMMENT: Ask coach which lineup she wants. Corrections and changes are then made. If any written changes are made, penalize with one point or side-out. If no written changes are made, there is no penalty unless the changes cause an unnecessary delay. This procedure is used prior to the game only and is appropriate regardless of who discovers the discrepancy (5-4-3c).

SITUATION #12: Number 14 on Team A, an illegal server, has scored 2 points. Team A's coach realizes the error, calls time-out and when the teams return to the court, number 15, the correct server, prepares to serve. Number 15 serves and aces the serve. Number 16, the substitute on Team A. The scorekeeper sounds the horn and informs the umpire that number 14 was out of serving order.

RULING: Side-out awarded. All 3 points shall be canceled.

COMMENT: Although the coach called a time-out to replace the incorrect server, this does not interrupt the term of service (5-5-3a) (4-6-3-PEN #3)

SITUATION #13: Player positioning at the time of service is such that the LF has 1 foot touching the floor above the sideline than the CF and the other foot closer to the right sideline than CF.

RULING: Illegal (6-3-2b)

SITUATION #14: The CF is positioned at the moment of service so that her hand is touching the floor closer to the right sideline than the RF.

SITUATION #15: The CF on serving team A stands upright with her arms clearly over her head. The served ball passes a) directly over her head b) over the empty space beside her.

RULING: a) Screwing, sideline; b) Legal; play continues (6-4-1a)

SITUATION #16: The RF on the serving team is jumping and serving her arms after the referee signals for the serve, and the umpire notes that the receiving team is overlapping.

RULING: Double foul

COMMENT: This type of screwing is called immediately, therefore the two fouls occurred simultaneously (6-4-1a)(2). 9-9-2)

SITUATION #17: The RF, CF. LF on the serving team are grouped close to the net in order to switch positions after the serve. a) all players are standing upright, b) all are standing upright but the RF and LF have their arms clearly above their heads. The served ball passes directly over the CF.

RULING: a) Screwing, sideline; b) Legal, play continues (6-4-1b)

SITUATION #18: The RF on the serving team is standing upright with her arms clearly over her head after the referee signals for the serve. The umpire notes the receiving team is overlapping. The flight of the serve passes directly over the CF on the serving team.

RULING: The overlapping occurred before the serve, therefore the call is against the receiving team, point is awarded (6-4-11), 8-3-2b)

SITUATION #19: The server hits the ball before the referee signals for service. a) There was a whistle blow for substitution or time-out. b) the crowd noise has made it difficult to hear the whistle during the game. c) the server was confused or excited.

RULING: In (a), (b), (c) and (d) a replay will be called (8-2-6)

SITUATION #20: After the ball is dead, the referee notices that a back row player on Team B, the receiving team, participates in a block.

RULING: Point for Team A. (9-3-3a)

SITUATION #21: A front row player from Team A approaches the net in an attempt to spike a wide set: a) She completes the play, but grasps the referee's stand to keep from falling, b) brushes the support cable of the standard, c) crashes into the referee's stand.

RULING: a) and (c) are illegal, point or side-out; b) is legal. (9-6-3, 9-8-1b)

SITUATION #22: There are simultaneous whistles when the referee signals for the serve and the umpire signals for a substitute.

RULING: Replay. (9-10-1)

SITUATION #23: The coach signals for substitution: a) 2 players immediately report to the sideline and the coach sits down; b) 1 player immediately reports, but the coach has difficulty deciding on a second substitute; c) the coach walks to the end of the bench are to choose a substitute.

RULING: a) Legal; b) and c) Unnecessary delay (9-11-1)

SITUATION #24: The coach of Team A requests a substitution giving no indication of how many substitutes; a) one player reports to the sideline, b) two players report to the sideline.

RULING: (a) and (b) Legal.

COMMENT: The coach no longer indicates the number of substitutions desired.

SITUATION #25: During a time-out a player on Team A, the receiving team, reports to the umpire that she will substitute for player number 12. The umpire allows the substitution. After Team B has served 1 point, it is discovered that the previous substitute reported her number incorrectly to the umpire.

RULING: The correct number is recorded in the scorebook and play continues (10-5-1)
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SITUATION #20: The RF on the serving team runs to the center of the net after the serve is contacted with her arms clearly above her head. The served ball passes directly over her head.
RULING: Legal.
COMMENT: Movement after the contact for serve is not limited by the scoring rule. (6-3-2b)

SITUATION #36: Team A's server contacts the ball for a serve while her foot touches the mark indicating the service area.
RULING: Sideout. (6-3-PEN #2: 8-2-5)

SITUATION #37: Three players on the serving team are positioned close to each other and all are standing upright. Each player has one arm raised overhead and close to the other players' arms.
RULING: Screening, side-out awarded. (6-4-1)

SITUATION #38: A player on the serving team is making distracting movements after the signal to serve. The player stops making these movements just before the serve.
RULING: Screening, sideout awarded. (6-4-1a)(2)

SITUATION #39: Immediately following the first game, the coach verbally notifies the scorekeeper that the lineup is the same. Then 1 minute before the game, the coach tells the scorekeeper that the lineup will be different.
RULING: Incorrect procedure: point or sideout is awarded to the opponent. (7-2-2a)

SITUATION #40: At the end of the 3 minutes between games, the coach is trying to finish tapping one of his starters. The referee directs the team to go to the floor for play to begin. Then the coach requests one of his time-outs.
RULING: The coach is granted a time-out. (7-3-11; 11-2-2)

SITUATION #41: After the referee's signal, the server runs up to the line, jumps into the air, contacts the ball while over the court and lands 10 feet inside the court.
RULING: Legal. (8-2-5)

SITUATION #42: The coach for Team A is squating in front of the bench during play.
RULING: Illegal point or side-out awarded Team B. (9-1-1; 12-2-3)

SITUATION #43: A back row player on Team A, in front of the spiking line, in trying to set the ball contacts the ball when it is higher than the top of the net and accidentally sends it across the net to Team B.
RULING: Illegal. (9-3-3b)

SITUATION #44: A player, in an attempt to make a legal play on the ball; a) steps completely across the center line, b) places a hand on the floor across the center line; c) dives to the floor keeping all of her body on her side of the center line except her hair touches the floor across the center line.
RULING: a) and b) are illegal, point or side-out, c) is legal. (8-7-3)

SITUATION #45: A player is injured during a play in which her teammate sends the ball out-of-bounds.
RULING: Side-out or point is awarded.
COMMENT: Play for injury during play is called only when the referee determines the play was affected or play must be stopped for the injury before the ball is dead. (5-1-1)

SITUATION #46: Player number 4 from Team A has been in and out of the game 3 times. The score is Team A-13, Team B-14 and Team B is serving. The coach of Team A requests a time-out for substitution and number 4 reports to the umpire to enter the game.
RULING: Illegal Point awarded Team B. The game is over 15-13. (10-4-1)

CORRECTIONS
First installment of Rule Interpretations
#17 ruling should read, "both (a) and (b) are legal."

SITUATION #26: Team A has won the first game 15-13. During the second game, with Team B leading 6-3, a power failure is caused by an electrical storm. Play cannot be resumed.
RULING: The match may be continued by mutual consent of 2 schools involved from the point of suspension at a later time unless the State Association determines otherwise. If resumed, the same lineup shall be used and the game will continue from the point of interruption. The official shall verify accuracy of scorebook from the point of suspension (1-5-3)

SITUATION #27: The referee arrives at the school and finds the standards (including crank) and referee's stand are not padded with a minimum of 1" soft, flexible material.
RULING: The home school should pad the equipment. The match shall be played.
COMMENT: Such padding will be required beginning with the 1986-87 season and it is strongly recommended that the rule be complied with immediately. (3-1-3)

SITUATION #28: A player is wearing a prescribed knee brace having metal hinges and hard plastic supports.
RULING: Legal, provided it is padded with 1/2" foam rubber. (4-1-9)

SITUATION #29: A player enters the game wearing solid one-color shorts and shurt while the rest of the team is wearing a uniform of the same color but with contrasting strip down the side.
RULING: Legal, the uniforms are of like color. (4-2-1)

SITUATION #30: A coach from Team A comes to the referee 25 minutes before the match begins. There has been disagreement concerning warm-up procedure, (the amount of time where, whether music may be used, etc.) The coach wants the referee to make rulings on these matters.
RULING: Warm-up procedure is not part of the rules and therefore is left to state association and school administration. The referee has no authority regarding warm-up procedures unless unsportsmanlike conduct has occurred.

SITUATION #31: During play, the umpire, who is crouched under the net, interferes with an outside attacker's attempt to spike the ball. The referee directs a replay.
RULING: Correct procedure.
COMMENT: There are 2 correct positions for the umpire's coverage of the net. The umpire may need to take the position standing on either side of the net. (5-2-4, Volleyball Case Book and Officials Manual)

SITUATION #32: Team A begins a match with 6 players on the roster. During the second game a player is injured.
RULING: Legal, play continues. (6-1-2)

SITUATION #33: Team A substitutes for the team captain. The coach fails to designate a captain on the court.
RULING: No penalty. However, no request for serving order, time-out, etc., may come from the players on the court.
COMMENT: If the umpire realizes the captain is being substituted, she/he may ask the coach for the new captain's number. (6-2-2)

SITUATION #34: Player positioning at the time of service is such that the CF has 1 foot touching the floor closer to the center line than the CB, and has the other foot touching the floor closer to the back line than the CB.
RULING: Legal.
COMMENT: The only line considered for front to back overlap is the center line. (6-3-2b)
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PUBLICATION CORRECTIONS
Rule Book
Page 14-4-6-2—Now reads, "championship meets and other meets using dual confirmation.
Page 48-8-2-10—Change "hps" to "shoulders" (Also in 8-2-1A on p. 53).
Page 42-2-3-4A—Now reads, "water after all swimmers have completed the race.

SITUATION #1: Starting platforms, numbered from right to left as the pool is viewed from the starting end are correct; however, permanently titled numbers are also visible and numbered in an incorrect manner.
RULING: Incorrect numbers should be covered (1-4-3).

SITUATION #2: A swimmer places a foot brace on the top of the starting platform.
RULING: Illegal, must be removed (1-7-1).

SITUATION #3: The event is called and the referee turns the swimmers over to the starter without realizing that the swimmers assigned to lanes 2 and 4 are in the wrong lanes. (a) The race is started, there is a false start, and before the redistribution mistake is discovered. (b) The race is complete, but the mistake is noticed before the start of the next event. (c) The mistake is not discovered until after the next event has started.
RULING: (a) and (b) Swimmers assigned to lanes 2 and 4 are disqualified from the event and the remainder of the meet except for events in subsequent rounds for which they have previously qualified. (c) Swimmer is not disqualified (2-2-5, 4-2-3, 10-2-1 (11)).

SITUATION #4: An entry card is submitted which is incomplete. The swimmer completes the race but the incomplete entry card is discovered prior to the start of the next race.
RULING: The swimmer is disqualified from that race (2-3-5, 10-1-1).

SITUATION #5: In a backstroke race, at the starting command, the swimmer pulls up completely out of the water. The starter starts the race and neither the starter nor the referee sound the recall signal. The swimmer completes the race and there is a protest.
RULING: The protest must be resolved prior to the start of the next event (2-3-5, 4-2-21).

SITUATION #6: After the announcement of the results of the 200 I M., the referee calls for 50-yard freestyle entries. Team A's coach, located on the opposite side of the pool, in surliness to deliver his entry card immediately. The referee refuses to allow Team A's entries in the 50-yard freestyle to compete.
RULING: Incorrect procedure.
COMMENT: The coach should be given enough time to get across the pool, but must be told to get future entries in more quickly (3-2-3).

SITUATION #7: A coach complains about the jewelry worn by a swimmer from the opposing team.
RULING: Jewelry is not specifically prohibited. The referee may require a swimmer to remove objectionable or unsafe jewelry. (Comments on 3-3-3).

SITUATION #8: The lap counter in lane 4 is maintaining the correct count but is not showing it to the swimmer.
RULING: Legal. But the count must be visible (3-4-1).

SITUATION #9: The visiting team is over 1 hour late for a dual meet. The referee rules that the visiting team forfeits the meet.
RULING: Correct procedure.

SITUATION #10: Swimmers in lane 1, 3, 5 and 6 get off to an unfair advantage during the 50-yard freestyle race. The recall device is activated but not in time to stop the race. The referee has the race reumed.
RULING: Correct procedure. (4-2-2).

SITUATION #11: When a coach returns home after a meet and reviews the scoresheet, he discoveres that it is incorrect and his team actually won the meet.
RULING: The score cannot be changed. The scoresheet becomes official when signed by the refreee 1 hour after the meet (4-2-3).

SITUATION #12: A breaststroke pushes off the wall after a turn and appears to execute a dolphin kick. The turn judge at the end of the pool signals a disqualification, the assigned stroke inspector asserts that there is no violation.
RULING: The turn judge's disqualification stands. (4-5-2a, 4-4-2b).

SITUATION #13: In a meet requiring dual confirmation conducted in a 6-lane pool, the coaches request that the starter and referee serve as the only relay take-off judges. The officials turn down the request.
RULING: Correct procedure. Dual confirmation requires 8 officials for a 6-lane pool (4-5-2).

SITUATION #14: A team has a meet with junior varsity and varsity competition going on at the same time. The junior varsity teams swim shorter races than the varsity.
RULING: Legal. State associations may allow modifications for junior varsity and invitational meets. (5-1-1).

SITUATION #15: Diving is conducted as the first event with the 200 medley relay starting as the pool is ready after the completion of the diving event. After the 50 freestyle, there is a 15-minute break before the 100 butterfly.
RULING: Correct procedure.
COMMENT: There could also be a warm-up break after the diving event. (5-1-2).

SITUATION #16: Qualifying for finals, swimmers A and B have identical times but swimmer A is judged to have finished ahead of swimmer B in that heat. Swimmer A is positioned ahead of swimmer B in the finals.
RULING: Incorrect procedure. The swimmers shall be positioned successively in finals by draw (5-4-1, 5-4-3).

SITUATION #17: In the final heat of the 50-yard freestyle, the automatic timing system malfunctions for lane 5. The back-up system of timing shall be used for lane 5 only. The back-up time shall be integrated into the finish order.
RULING: Correct procedure.
COMMENT: Because the relative order of finish cannot be changed during the integrations of times, it is imperative that officials pick the finish order for all races (6-3-3).

SITUATION #18: Under modified bailout computation, finish judges disagree on the order of finish for just 2 or 6 lanes involved in a race.
RULING: The order of finish is determined by adding the numerical value of the place given by each judge and the numerical value of the official time. (6-4-5).

SITUATION #19: A starter, in giving the starting command, does so without a distinct pause between the word "swimmers" and "take your mark.
RULING: Incorrect procedure.

COMMENT: There should be a noticeable pause after the word "swimmers," and, in fact, the starter should not allow the swimmers to get to their starting position until the command "take your mark." (8-1-1, Points of Emphasis).

SITUATION #20: During the turn in a backstroke race the official observes the hps breaking the vertical plane before the hard touch. The swimmer is disqualified.
RULING: Incorrect procedure, the shoulders are not the reference point. (8-2-10).

SITUATION #21: A swimmer in the individual medley begins the last quarter of the race swimming the sidestroke.
RULING: Illegal, the final quarter must be swum with the crawl stroke. (8-2-5).

SITUATION #22: The second swimmer in the freestyle relay becomes confused at the end of his portion of the relay, executes a turn and pushes off the wall to continue swimming. As he surfaces, he realizes his mistake, stops and promptly leaves the pool.
RULING: No disqualification if there was no interference with other swimmers or the electronic equipment. (8-3-4).

SITUATION #23: The visiting coach refuses to compete in the diving event because the home team's pool is only 8 feet deep at the end of the one-meter board.
RULING: Legal. (9-1-11, 1-1-1).

SITUATION #24: When the diver hands his diving scoresheet into the official for review, it is discovered that he is diving (toe number 54 instead of 51, twist, lack position, degree of difficulty = 1 9).
RULING: Legal. (1-meter diving table).

SITUATION #25: Following the diving competition, the diving scoresheets are distributed to all teams.
RULING: Improper procedure.
COMMENT: The diving score sheet is not final and is subject to change until the overall meet scoresheet is signed by the meet referee. (6-6-1).

SITUATION #26: A stroke inspector fails to raise his hand overhead when he observes an infraction.
RULING: If the referee agrees with the inspector's evaluation, the swimmer is disqualified (10-2-1b).

SITUATION #27: After a dive start which is confirmed by referee and starter in the 50-yard freestyle, one swimmer stops after 2 strokes and returns to the starting end of the pool. He states that he heard a recall whistle.
RULING: Swimmer is disqualified in that event for an illegal start. (10-2-1f).

SITUATION #28: A backstroker following his third turn comes up in an opponent's lane, takes 1 stroke and then returns to his assigned lane.
RULING: Swimmer is disqualified in that event for swimming under the wrong lane. (10-2-1k).

SITUATION #29: A diver attempts a dive 2 times but balks on both attempts. The referee disqualifies the diver.
RULING: Correct procedure. (10-2-3).
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