

KENTUCKY HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION



SPORTS NEWS

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HYPE STUDENT LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE

The annual HYPE/KHSAA Student Leadership Conference is set for this Wed., Aug. 31, at the Lexington Convention Center. This marks the fifth year the Association has provided the free conference for student-athletes to learn teamwork exercises, sportsmanship initiatives and discuss current issues. Over 350 students and 50 adults have signed up to participate.

Former Louisville Iroquois and WNBA star Kym Hampton will be the conference opening speaker. Kym was a member of the New York Liberty of the WNBA. She currently lives in Brooklyn where she teaches and is a professional model and singer. Hampton was inducted into the Dawahares/KHSAA Hall of Fame in March.

Harvey Alston will be the closing speaker. Alston returns to the event having spoken at the first two KHSAA Conferences. He is a former successful coach and teacher in Ohio and currently is one of the more popular high-energy motivational speakers.

COACHES ASSOCIATION POLLS

Boys' and Girls' Soccer, Volleyball and Cross Country polls are posted on the KHSAA website under the non-KHSAA links.

FOOTBALL COACHING RECORD

Newport Central Catholic football coach Robert Schneider will attempt to tie North Hardin's Joe Jagers for the all-time lead in football coaching wins when NCC plays at Ryle on Friday. A 49-20 win over Newport gave Coach Schneider win No. 291, one shy of Jagers' 292 mark. Now in his 40th season coaching, Schneider owns an all-time record of 291-166-2.

KHSAA BOARD OF CONTROL MEETING

The next regularly-scheduled meeting of the Kentucky High School Athletic Association Board of control is set for Sept. 15-16, also at the Association office in Lexington. For an agenda for either meeting, contact the KHSAA.

NEXT RELEASE

The next regular release will be posted on Sept. 6, 2005.