

## Memorandum

**To:** State Association Executive Directors/Commissioners

From: Dr. Karissa Niehoff/Davis Whitfield

**Subject:** Electronic Nomination System for NFHS Committee

Vacancies - 2020

**Date:** August 22, 2019

As we approach the upcoming Section meetings, one of our typical agenda items in each Section is to discuss future committee nominations - in this case, our 2020 committee nominations.

This communication is to inform you that the committee nomination process will again be completely electronic.

Attached is a list of vacancies for committee chairpersons as well as the committee vacancies for your particular Section. Please remember that the NFHS and its member state associations promote diversity in regard to gender and ethnic representation on all sports and activities committees. In most cases, three nominations are requested a minority, a female and a male.

Attached are detailed instructions to submit your nominations, and we will be happy to answer any questions you may have at the Section meetings.

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## **TERMS FOR THE FOLLOWING CHAIRPERSONS WILL EXPIRE IN 2020**

<u>Committee</u> <u>Retiring Member</u>

Field Hockey Rules Committee Sherry Bryant (MA)

\*Football Rules Committee Todd Tharp (IA)

(Will be replaced by Richard McWhirter (TN))

\*Football Rules Committee (Vice Chair) Richard McWhirter (TN)

Hall of Fame Screening Committee Jerome Singleton (SC)

Middle School Committee New Appointment

Sports Medicine Advisory Committee Michael Koester, MD (OR)

Volleyball Rules Committee Denise Ainsworth (AL)

Nominations for Chair vacancies should be submitted by the state's Executive Director to Davis Whitfield of the NFHS.

Sports Medicine Advisory At Large Philip Hurley, MD (KY)

Yvette Rooks, MD (MD)

Verle Valentine, MD (SD)

<sup>\*</sup>Football Vice Chair, Richard McWhirter (TN) becomes the Football Chair in 2020-21. The football rules committee position of Vice-Chair is in need of a nomination (this appointment is an 8 year commitment).



## **2020 VACANCIES FOR SECTION 2**

<u>Committee</u> <u>Retiring Member</u>

Boys Lacrosse Rules Committee John Titus (VA)

Education Committee Jerry Snodgrass (OH)

\*Field Hockey Rules Committee Anna Saccoccio (RI)

Girls Lacrosse Rules Committee Lissa Fickert (OH)

Hall of Fame Screening Committee Charles Breithaupt (TX)

Middle School Committee Sarah Bridenbaugh (KY)

\*\*National Records Committee Joe Angolia (KY)

(Reappoint for 4-year term)

Speech Advisory Committee Duane Hyland (VA)

Student Services Committee Steve Neil (OH)

Field Hockey Rules Committee

Anna Saccoccio (RI)

Recommend for a full 4-year term

National Records Committee Joe Angolia (KY)

<sup>\*</sup> A vacancy for the NFHS Coaches Association Representative exists. The Nominee must be a member of the NFHS Coaches Association.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Joe Angolia finished out Tommie Neubauer's term on the National Records Committee.