



## 2019 NFHS Section 2 Meeting

The Brown Hotel  
Sept. 23-25  
Louisville, KY, presented by  
Varsity Brands



### GPS Address

The Brown Hotel, 335 West Broadway Louisville, KY 40202

### Event Schedule

#### MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 23

- 3:00 – 4:00 p.m. NFHS Section 2 Registration/Check-in, 16<sup>th</sup> Floor, Gallery Ballroom Foyer  
3:30 – 4:20 p.m. Executive Directors, Committees, Etc., 16<sup>th</sup> Floor, Gallery Ballroom  
4:30 - 6:00 p.m. Session 1, Gallery Ballroom, 16<sup>th</sup> Floor
- Panel Discussion - Lombardi/Tackett/Black - Independent Contractor Official Concerns, PIAA Briefing and Update (4:30 to 5:00)
  - Reports of Section 2 NFHS Committees on activity, discussions, and actions of prior meetings
  - Submitted Topics Part 1 (as time permits)
- 6:00 – 6:30 p.m. Adjourn to go to Muhammad Ali Museum (est. 20-minute walk)  
6:30 – 7:00 p.m. Hospitality Reception (cash-only function)  
7:00 p.m. Dinner sponsored by meeting sponsors, Muhammad Ali Center  
9:30 p.m. Optional Activities

#### TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 24

- 7:00 – 8 a.m. Breakfast, Joint Breakfast w/Midwest Officials Summit Attendees, Citation A&B, 1st Floor  
8 – 11:45 a.m. Session 2 - Section 2 Meeting jointly with Midwest Officials Summit Attendees, - Gallery Ballroom, 16<sup>th</sup> Floor
- NFHS Update – Dr. Karissa Niehoff, Executive Director, NFHS; Davis Whitfield, Chief Operating Officer, NFHS; NFHS President Mark Beckman, Executive Director, Montana High School Association
  - NFHS Network Update Including PlayVS Information, CEO Mark Koski; Kealy Hartman, Director of Partner Development
  - PIAA Legal and Legislative Matters Update, General Discussion-Independent Contractors, including group discussion
  - Submitted Topics Part 2 (as time permits)
- 12:00 p.m. – 5:30 p.m. Lunch (on your own) followed by off-site meetings  
5:45 p.m. Depart Hotel for Dinner at The Sports and Social Club - 4th Street Live! (est. 10-minute walk)  
6:00 – 7:00 p.m. Reception, Sponsored by Varsity Brands  
7:00 – 9:00 p.m. Dinner, Sponsored by Varsity Brands & Arbiter Sports

#### WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 25

- 7:15 – 8 a.m. Breakfast - Citation A&B, 1st Floor  
7:30 – 8:00 a.m. Executive Directors Session (if necessary to complete, location TBA)  
8:15 – Conclusion Session 3 - Gallery Ballroom, 16<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Submitted Topics.Part 3





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### SUBMITTED TOPICS

- Other NFHS Issues
  - Completion of Committee Member Reports as Needed
  - NCAA June Events
  - Status of Video Snippets
- Officials and Officiating
  - Registered sports officials union case & FLSA case
  - Registered sports officials registration fees per state
  - Development of Officials in Lacrosse (best practices)
- Eligibility
  - McKinney-Vento
  - International students and eligibility
  - Transfer rules – post –season sit out after grade 10
- Operations
  - Marketing Initiatives and Strategies
  - Office structure for generating partnerships/sponsorships
  - All-Sports Awards in Section 2, anyone doing it?
  - Other Recognition Awards, Sponsor Fulfillment Ideas
  - How Associations approve schools for play
  - Foundation – If you have one, how did you get it started?
  - Innovations since we last met: Tell us something you are doing differently or a philosophy change in some facet of operations. KY, DE, DC, MD, OH, PA, VA, WV
- Sports and Sport-Activities
  - Who is doing electronic scoring in wrestling and are you hiring contractor and costs
  - Unified. Who has it and growing pains
  - Esports, etc., Trials and Tribulations
  - Basketball Shot Clock Discussion
  - FB Play Clock Discussion
  - Status of Use of Video Replay in Section 2
  - Dance - Who has, and Potential Game Day division
  - Development of Lacrosse Team for new schools (best practices)
  - Field hockey & girls lacrosse – goggles – eye protection
  - Football – tinted visor
  - Wrestling weight classes
- Miscellaneous

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