# ATHLETIC DIRECTOR'S NOVEMBER REMINDERS

#### MIDDLE SCHOOL ATHLETIC DIRECTOR'S VIRTUAL MEETING

The OSSAA will host a Middle School AD's Zoom meeting.

The link will be on the Athletic Director's page at ossaa.com

The meeting will be on Thursday, November 16 at 10 am.

Please review the 2023-2024 OSSAA Junior High Eligibility Workshop before the meeting. (You can find it at OSSAA.COM, click on the Athletic Director's page and then scroll down to workshop)

The virtual meeting will go over the workshop and allow for a questions and answer session.

HIGH SCHOOL AD'S ZOOM MEETING FRIDAY NOVEMBER 17, 2023

Q	8:00 am	Class 4A, 5A and 6A	Athletic Director's Zoom Meeting
	9:00 am	Class 2A and 3A	Athletic Director's
			Zoom Meeting
<b>_</b> n	10:00 am	Class A and B	Athletic Director's Zoom Meeting

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Please review this PowerPoint slide( NOVEMBER AD'S REMINDER) before the meeting.

- If you need assistance with your play-off passes, go to ossaapromocode.com
- Directions on entering promo codes
  - "How to" Video on redeeming promo codes (link)
  - After entering PROMO CODE, how to use it (link)
  - Gate workers HOW TO REDEEMVIDEO (link)

(Make sure that your gate workers redeem all passes and tickets)

## ASSISTANCE WITH PLAY-OFF PASSES

# BASKETBALL

FACILITY

HOST

 The Basketball Facility Form was due November 1 st, but we are still looking for some neutral sites. Please go to ossaarankings.com, click on ON-LINE & FACILITY FORMS, and fill it out.

OR

FORM

Contact Brian Lester at blester@ossaa.com

#### WRESTLING INFORMATION

If any coaches are having issues with access to the Trackwrestling OPC (body fat testing mechanism), please contact Wes Ruth at <u>wruth@ossaa.com</u>.

Any sites that would like to host a regional tournament, please send a request on school letterhead with admin signature.

#### **SPORTSMANSHIP**

- As we prepare to go inside for the winter sports, please remind coaches, athletes, and parents to promote sportsmanship.
- If you have witnessed an act of sportsmanship, please share it with us so we can accent studentathletes and programs from across the state.
- Please talk to your coaches, athletes, and parents about our "egregious" policy. We see more egregious acts take place during indoor activities.



### ENTRY DEADLINES

- Slow-Pitch Softball
- Tennis
- Spring Baseball
- Golf

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#### UPCOMING AD'S MEETINGS

NOVEMBER 15	NEOADA	OWASSO	I0 AM
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NOVEMBER 29	SEOADA	ADA	10:30 AM

#### **GOLF UPDATE**

*Digital Scoring* - The OSSAA will officially use a digital platform for scoring all events. All teams must utilize this program throughout the season. Each player will keep their score on a paper scorecard, as a backup. Details and training dates to come.

(Pending board approval in December)

#### 2024-2025 CALENDAR WILL FALL BACK

When you start working on next year's calendar make sure you note that all dates will fall back several days.

For example

**Football Limited Practice** 

(Current year) 2023 Start date August 7, 2023

(Next year) 2024 Start date August 12, 2023

All dates have been adjusted on the 2-year calendar link at ossaa.com.

	Make	Please make sure your membership web page is updated with information regarding your superintendent, principal, and athletic director.
OSSAA MEMBERSHIP WEBSITE AND	Make	Please make sure your ossaaranking page is updated with all head coaches and coaches are familiar with the page.
OSSAA RANKINGS WEBSITE	Put	When filling out entry forms, please put "yes" participating or "no" not participating on all activities.

STUDENT ADVISORY COUNCIL (SAC) OR SUPERINTENDENT ADVISORY COUNCIL

If you currently have a Student Advisory Council or a Superintendent Advisory Council at your school, please email Mike Clark at mclark@ossaa.com

We are wanting to start an SAC at the state level.

(This is not the same as the Student Council)

#### SURVEY RESULTS

**Residence Rule** 

	One Additional Transfer		104 votes
	Sending and Receiving Sc	hool decides	22 votes
	Leave as is		46 votes
Link Rule			
	Favor	108 votes	
	Opposed	59 votes	

## SURVEY RESULTS (CONT'D)

Updating Selection of Officials

Favor	129 votes	
Opposed	49 votes	
End of Season Rule (Soccer)		
Favor	63 votes	
Opposed	II votes	

#### SURVEY RESULTS (CONT'D)

Rule 19. All-Star Contest at School Sites

Favor64 votesOpposed112 votes

Rule 4. Sit Out Time for Football Ejection

Remainder of game plus one3 votes4 quarters beginning with succeeding quarter154 votesLeave as is14 votes

### SENATE BILL 26 AMENDMENT

If a suitable meeting room or area is not available, a coach may enter a locker room before, during, or after a school-sponsored athletic activity, provided:

a. All students present are fully clothed,

b.The coach shall be accompanied by at least one additional adult at all times,

c. If the coach is the opposite sex of the students present, the coach shall be accompanied by at least one adult of the same sex as the students present. The adult shall not be a current high school student.

#### **IDEASTO MEET SB 26 REGULATIONS**

Let's use the example of a male coach who coaches a female team.

If they go into a locker room, they must have a female adult (non-student) with them. Here are the options that one AD suggested.

- 1. Have a female on staff
- 2. Have a female administrator available
- 3. Have the coach's wife be in the meeting
- 4. Have the mother of a player in the meeting.

#### WEARE CONSIDERING UPDATING RULE I I

#### RULE II CURRENT GUIDELINES

- At least 10 days before each contest the home school must submit a sufficient and feasible list of officials to the visiting school.
- Visiting school accepts a list and can strike more than half the list.
- When a question arises, the OSSAA Board or the Executive Director shall resolve it.

For more details see Rule 11 Section 1.

# THANKS FOR ALL YOU DO!!!