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Journal



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Eligibility Rulings

All official eligibility opinions shall be in writing and shall bear the signature of the executive director. Verbal rulings are not official. Principals are reminded that correspondence concerning eligibility rulings, annual eligibility lists, applications for waiver of the transfer rule, hardship transfers and sanction forms, must be signed by the principal for consideration by the MSHSAA.

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Mission Statement

"The MSHSAA promotes the value of participation, sportsmanship, team play, and personal excellence to develop citizens who make positive contributions to their community and support the democratic principles of our state and nation."

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Email Policy: Due to the high volume of email messages received by the Association, an expedited personal response may not always be possible. The MSHSAA staff will respond first to more traditional means of communication such as telephone calls, written correspondence and faxes. The MSHSAA office can be reached at (573) 875-4880 during regular office hours. As time permits, staff will reply to email messages that include the sender's complete name, address and phone number. Questions regarding student eligibility or specific MSHSAA by-laws should first be directed to your local school administrator. By Board policy, our staff is not permitted to answer specific eligibility inquiries via email, and any follow-up questions to the MSHSAA should be done via telephone or written correspondence.



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2013 NFHS Coaches Association Coaches of the Year

Annually, the NFHS Coaches Association, recognizes by sport outstanding coaches within each state. These individuals have been selected based upon their knowledge and dedication to their sports. They have made numerous contributions to their sport within our state. The NFHS Coaches Association recognizes the importance of addressing coaching in the interscholastic arena in a professional manner and benefits from membership in the largest coaches association in the United States.

The MSHSAA is proud to congratulate the following coaches and to say thank you for your effort and contribution to secondary school sports in our state.

| Sport | Coach | School |
|---------------------------|-----------------|-------------------------------|
| Baseball | Mitchell Wood+ | Oran HS |
| Boys Basketball | Kenny Wyatt+ | Salisbury HS |
| Girls Basketball | Jill Nagel | Rock Bridge HS |
| Boys Cross Country | Rodney Baldrige | Lamar HS |
| Girls Cross Country | Nate Tower | Francis Howell HS |
| Football | Matthew Irvin | Kirkwood HS |
| Boys Golf | Kyle Lindquist | Timberland HS |
| Girls Golf | Steven Bradley+ | Westminster Christian Academy |
| Boys Soccer | Thomas Guinn | Springfield Catholic HS |
| Girls Soccer | Bill Goggin | Eureka HS |
| Softball | Jim Flora | Pleasant Hope HS |
| Boys Swimming and Diving | Paul Winkeler+ | Rockhurst HS |
| Girls Swimming and Diving | Steve Boyce | Glendale HS |
| Boys Tennis | Zachary Frisch | Rockhurst HS |
| Girls Tennis | Tom O'Brien+ | Barstow HS |
| Boys Track and Field | Rich Copenhaver | Hazelwood Central HS |
| Girls Track and Field | Robert Carter+ | Lutheran (St. Peters) HS |
| Volleyball | George Creason+ | Pleasant Hill HS |
| Wrestling | Bobbe Lowe | Oak Grove HS |

+ - Also named NFHS Coaches Association Section 5 Coach of the Year

- Also named NFHS Coaches Association National Coach of the Year

Coach Defined

A coach is one who provides any type of instruction specific to a sport or activity. All coaches, paid or not paid, must be submitted online. Such person shall, therefore, meet the standards for coaching in the interscholastic program as provided in By-Laws 3.1 through 3.1.10. A coach must be "approved" by the MSHSAA office prior to instructing students. An egregious or intentional violation of the MSHSAA by-laws or the rules/regulations of the sport may cause the Board of Directors to withhold "approved" status.

Online Rules Review Requirement

Each school shall be responsible for requiring all coaches (as defined in By-Laws 3.1 through 3.1.10) to complete a MSHSAA Rules Review, except for those coaching an emerging sport. When a coach does not complete the rules review, the school shall justify the deficiency in writing to the MSHSAA office. There will be a \$50 fine per coach to open the review once it has been closed.

Athletic Directors Advisory Committee Meeting Summary

February 12, 2014

1. Recommended playing the basketball Class 4 Sectional games on Tuesday and Class 5 games on Wednesday of Week 36 of the Standardized Calendar.
2. Recommended adding language to the MSHSAA By-Laws stating that ejections may not be appealed.
Amended: Refer this topic to the Area Meetings.
3. Went on record that no additional games be added to the current limitations for junior high sports programs.

All items approved

Appeals Committee Summary

Held March 18, 2014

Five cases were reviewed and decided on the basis of documentation presented by the assistant executive director to the Appeals Committee:

- a. Denied appeals to grant unrestricted eligibility under provisions contained in MSHSAA By-Law 3.10.4.h, Hardship Transfer Applications and granted restricted eligibility under Transfer Waiver, By-Law 3.10.4.i:
 1. Otterville HS
 2. St. Mary's (St. Louis) HS
 3. Trinity Catholic HS
 4. Green Ridge HS
- b. Granted eligibility to the following school's student under provisions of Article IV, Section 6-p, Hardship Provision of the MSHSAA Constitution:

1. St. Charles HS
The Appeals Committee heard six cases and ruled as follows:

- a. Granted unrestricted eligibility to the following schools' students under provisions contained in MSHSAA By-Law 3.10.4.h,

Hardship Application Transfers:

1. Whitfield HS
 2. Sheldon HS
 3. Summit Christian Academy
- b. Granted unrestricted eligibility to the following school's student under provisions contained in MSHSAA By-Law 3.10.4.a, Corresponding Full-of-Family Change of Residence Transfer:
1. Lincoln College Prep
- c. Denied appeal to grant unrestricted eligibility to the following school's student under provisions contained in MSHSAA By-Law 3.10.4.h, Hardship Application Transfers and granted restricted eligibility under Transfer Waiver, By-Law 3.10.4.i:
1. St. Louis University HS
- d. Denied eligibility to the following schools' students under provisions of Article IV, Section 6-p, Hardship Provision of the MSHSAA Constitution:
1. Rockwood Summit HS

Sports Medicine Advisory Committee Meeting Summary

Held December 11, 2013

1. Recommend that all coaches must be certified in First Aid and CPR/AED.
NOTE: This would currently mean being recertified every two years.
This item went to the Annual Ballot for vote by member schools
2. Recommend that the 2012-13 Interscholastic Youth Sports Brain Injury Report be approved as written.

3. Recommend that the Lamar High School basketball play be allowed to use the prosthetic blade as long as it is padded and secured to where there is no risk to him or other athletes.

* Denied
** Tabled for further study
*** Approved as amended
**** No Action
All others approved

QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

The following are questions and answers pertaining to the MSHSAA Constitution and By-Laws and/or MSHSAA Board of Directors policy. These are provided as an aid in interpreting the rules and regulations which MSHSAA member schools have adopted. If you have a specific area and/or question which you would like explained, contact Dr. Kerwin Urhahn, MSHSAA executive director. Your attention is called to the fact questions and answers regarding interpretations of the MSHSAA Constitution and By-Laws appear following the Constitution Article or By-Law they relate to in the MSHSAA Official Handbook.

Question: Our school district supports three high schools. Our Board of Education will permit and grant requests from students to attend a high school in which their parents' residence is not located in that high school's established geographic attendance area. The family does, however, reside in the school district. Would this scenario fall within the requirements of residence in MSHSAA By-Law 3.10.2?

Answer: No. The by-laws carefully define residence as being within the established geographic attendance area for the individual member school and not an entire school district of multiple schools at the same level. In the situation described, the students would have restricted eligibility in all sports if freshmen or restricted eligibility by sport if transferring high schools after the ninth grade.

Question: Our school encourages our students to use our weight room for out of season conditioning. Our athletic coaches take roll of their student athletes and expect them to participate in this program. If the students do not attend the coaches counsel with them that they should be there for the good of the team. Is this appropriate action by our coaches?

Answer: No. Participation in an out-of-season conditioning program is completely voluntary and must be open to any student who desires to attend. Taking roll for team attendance is signaling to the students a record of team member attendance is being kept even though the activity is voluntary. The follow-up with the students and so called "counseling" to attend has definitely tied participation with team responsibility outside of the season. The adults have implied to the students they are expected to attend and this is a responsibility to the team.

Because there is a fine line that can be crossed, school administrators must educate their coaches of what is appropriate and must monitor carefully the out-of-season conditioning programs.

Five Year Tally of Advisory Committee Recommendations

The MSHSAA receives input from the membership in a variety of different methods. One of the most long standing and most productive methods is through the many advisory and special study committees. To illustrate the involvement of your Board of Directors with the needs and interests of our member schools, a five year listing of advisory committee recommendations is being provided for the membership's information.

Advisory Committee Recommendations

| Year | Approved | Tabled* | Denied | Total Committee Recmds | % Approved |
|-----------|----------|---------|--------|------------------------|------------|
| 2008-2009 | 106 | 8 | 17 | 131 | 81 |
| 2009-2010 | 113 | 10 | 14 | 137 | 82 |
| 2010-2011 | 99 | 5 | 10 | 114 | 87 |
| 2011-2012 | 83 | 6 | 10 | 99 | 84 |
| 2012-2013 | 83 | 9 | 8 | 100 | 83 |
| TOTALS | 484 | 38 | 59 | 581 | 84 |

* These items were later acted upon or placed into a "no action" category.

Question: Our football coaches have worked out a schedule for the summer and have divided up the duties to give them some time off at home with their families. The head coach is going to work with the team on Mondays and Wednesdays and play seven-on-seven on Saturdays. Our assistant coaches are going to open up the weight room on Tuesdays and Thursdays. We would also like to host our own full contact camp the fourth week in July for four days. a) Do we have to count all of these days as contact days? b) Can our assistant coaches go to the games on Saturdays? and c) when does the summer period end?

Answer: A) the days that the coach or any coach from that sport is giving instruction will be counted as a contact day therefore; the head coach would have to count his days as contact days. If the assistant coaches are following By-Law 3.15 for out-of-sport conditioning they will not be counted towards the contact days. However, if sport specific instruction takes place they will count as contact days. Example: Weight training is over and the kickers go and get a couple of balls and practice kicking out on the field ;contact has occurred for that sport. B) Your assistants can attend any function. The school must keep track of sport specific contact. Any football contact, with instruction is considered one day of contact. You can have three coaches with three different sets of students from the same school doing different things on the same day and that is one day of contact. C) for fall sports the summer ends July 31. For all other sports the summer ends with the Sunday of week six of the standardized calendar.

Question: Who cannot coach a nonschool team during the school year outside a particular sport's school season?

Answer: No member of the coaching staff of any sport (not just the sport in question) from any school that any student on the nonschool team currently attends or will attend the following year can coach this particular nonschool team during the school outside the specific sport's school season (MSHSAA By-Law 3.14.2.e).

Question: Is there a difference to the rule mentioned in the question above if the nonschool competition occurs in the summer after school is dismissed for the summer:

Answer: Yes, during the summer months, the nonschool team participants in any sport may be coached by a member of the schools coaching staff of the school the nonschool participant has attended the previous school year or will attend the next school year (MSHSAA By-Law 3.15.3 Editor's Note).

Summer Questions & Answers

Summer School Questions

Summer school courses and credit earned may count toward academic eligibility if specific requirements are met. The individual school district must first adopt an official position that summer school credit shall be accepted. The policy on summer school credit should be placed in writing and readily provided for informational purposes to parents and students. It should be made clear that correspondence school courses and electives do not meet this requirement.

The following questions and answers should be helpful and shared with your school counselors.

Question: Will students be able to count summer school credit toward meeting the academic eligibility requirements for the first semester of the 2013-2014 school year?

Answer: Yes. By-Law 2.3 provides students may count up to 1 unit of credit from summer school toward establishing their eligibility for the fall semester. Only classes, which are required for graduation from the local school, may be counted toward meeting the academic requirement. Electives are not accepted.

Question: Should we have some type of a form that our counselors may want to use to advise the student and parents if the class(es) being taken in summer school will or will not count toward regaining academic eligibility?

Answer: Absolutely. The counseling department and the school athletic and activities directors must all work together to be certain students are advised properly before taking the class. If any questions arise the MSHSAA office should be contacted. (573-875-4880)

Question: If a student needs 1 unit of credit in physical education and has earned that credit by the end of the sophomore year, may the student take physical education during the summer after the junior year as an elective and count this credit toward re-establishing his academic eligibility?

Answer: No. Only classes required for graduation as set form by the Department of Elementary and Secondary Education (DESE) and/or the local school may be counted in summer school. Electives would not count toward regaining eligibility.

Question: May one of our students take summer school in another district and count the credit earned towards eligibility?

Answer: Yes, provided the class is required for graduation and your school is going to accept the credit and place on the student's transcript.

Question: If one of our student's fails Algebra I must that student take Algebra I in summer school or could the student take a required science class if Algebra I is not being offered?

Answer: A student is not required to take the same class failed during the school year. The student may retake the class during summer school, but it is not required. The only requirement for a summer school class to be counted towards academic eligibility is that the class is a graduation requirement for the school and cannot be an elective.

Question: Is it mandatory that our school accept summer school credit for determining academic eligibility for the fall semester?

Answer: No. This like all other requirements of student eligibility are the minimum essential requirements and each local Board of Education/Governing Body has the right to establish more stringent requirements.

Question: What is meant by the core classes required for graduation by DESE?

Answer: In order for all students across the state to meet a minimal curricular program it was adopted by the schools to rely upon core courses and required credits for graduation as required by the Department of Elementary and Secondary Education. Currently these minimum requirements are as follows: Practical Arts = 1 credit; Fine Arts = 1 credit; Physical Education = 1 credit; Science = 2 credits; Mathematics = 2 credits; Communication Arts = 3 credits; and Social Studies = 2 credits. In addition a student may also count other required classes.

Warning Labels on Football Helmet Required

Each player's football helmet, by rule, must have a visible exterior warning label regarding the risk of injury. The label is part of the National Operating Committee on Standards for Athletic Equipment (NOCSAE) standard and indicates that players have been instructed and understand the risks involved in the game of football. Football helmet manufacturers, helmet reconditioning, sporting goods dealers and individual salesmen, in most cases, will provide free exterior warning labels to the schools.

How Do Students and Parents Learn the Eligibility Requirements?

An incoming seventh grader or ninth grader enters your school with anticipation of activity participation. It is her first opportunity to be a part of an interscholastic program. The student and the parents are unaware of academic requirements, semesters of participation, age requirements, nonschool competition requirements, amateur and awards standards, etc. How are our young people and their parents to learn of the eligibility requirements necessary to earn and maintain student eligibility? How do they learn about the interscholastic program, its purpose and philosophy? This is essential.

It is the responsibility of the staff of each member school to properly advise and educate the students and their parents of the eligibility requirements. The youngsters in our programs are placed in a vulnerable position when the school administration and activities staff do not review and clarify the eligibility rules and the purpose and philosophy of our programs.

Member schools should make certain that students expecting to compete in their school's athletic and activity programs clearly understand the standards of eligibility. As an aid in properly informing students, the MSHSAA annually publishes a brochure entitled "How to Protect Your High School Eligibility." A copy of this brochure is sent to all member schools in the August packet each year and with the sport rule book mailings. Member schools may make copies or order a supply from the MSHSAA office at a minimal cost per copy to cover the costs of printing and postage. The information can also be found at www.mshsaa.org.

All students participating in athletics and activities should be given one of these brochures as standard procedure. In addition, coaches and directors should take time to review the pamphlet with members of their sports squads and activities groups to explain all eligibility requirements. Eligibility requirements and school policies for participation should be provided in writing to all students and parents. The purpose and philosophy of the school program should be reviewed with all parties involved.

Posters on How to Protect Your Eligibility shall be distributed to all member schools in August. Please post these in prominent locations. Extra copies are available from the MSHSAA office.

Check ACT & SAT Dates to Avoid Conflicts

High school counselors, principals, coaches and directors are urged to remind all high school students of the dates on which the ACT and SAT tests will be administered, as well as the dates of MSHSAA district and state events. MSHSAA event dates are contained in MSHSAA sport and activity manuals, the MSHSAA wall calendar and inside the back cover of the MSHSAA Handbook.

High school students participating in interscholastic activities often find conflicts between interscholastic events and the ACT and SAT test dates. Students can avoid this problem by arranging for a test date that does not conflict with an interscholastic event in which they will be participating.

Following are the test dates for 2014-2015:

| 2014-15 ACT Test Dates | 2014-15 ACT Registration Dates | 2014-15 SAT Test Dates | 2014-15 SAT Registration Dates |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| September 13 October 25 December 13 February 7 April 18 June 13 | August 8 September 19 November 7 January 9 March 13 May 8 | October 11 November 8 December 6 January 24 March 14 May 2 June 6 | (Check SAT college board web site at www.collegeboard.com in late May for registration deadline and test dates) |

The Preliminary Scholastic Aptitude Test/National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test (PSAT/NMSQT) dates are October 15 and October 18, 2014.

Projected Events Calendar for 2014-15 Thru 2017-18

| Sport/Activity | Level of Competition | Day | Week No. | 2014-15 | 2015-16 | 2016-17 | 2017-18 |
|------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------|-----------|-----------------|-----------------|----------------|----------------|
| LABOR DAY | | Mon. | | Sept. 1 | Sept. 7 | Sept. 5 | Sept. 4 |
| GIRLS GOLF | District championships | Mon.-Wed. | 13 | Sept. 29-Oct. 1 | Sept. 28-30 | Sept. 26-28 | Sept. 25-27 |
| | Sectionals | Mon. | 14 | Oct. 6 | Oct. 5 | Oct. 3 | Oct. 2 |
| | MSHSAA Championships | Mon.-Tues. | 15 | Oct. 13-14 | Oct. 12-13 | Oct. 10-11 | Oct. 9-10 |
| GIRLS TENNIS | Team Districts | Mon.-Fri. | 13 | Sept. 29-Oct. 3 | Sept. 28-Oct. 2 | Sept. 26-30 | Sept. 25-29 |
| | Close of Individual Districts | Sat. | 13 | Oct. 4 | Oct. 3 | Oct. 1 | Sept. 30 |
| | Individual Sectionals | Mon.-Wed. | 14 | Oct. 6-8 | Oct. 5-7 | Oct. 3-5 | Oct. 2-4 |
| | Team Sectionals | Sat. | 14 | Oct. 11 | Oct. 10 | Oct. 8 | Oct. 7 |
| | MSHSAA Team Championships | Thurs. | 15 | Oct. 16 | Oct. 15 | Oct. 13 | Oct. 12 |
| | MSHSAA Individual Championships | Fri.-Sat. | 15 | Oct. 17-18 | Oct. 16-17 | Oct. 14-15 | Oct. 13-14 |
| FALL SOFTBALL | District championships | Wed.-Sat. | 14 | Oct. 8-11 | Oct. 7-10 | Oct. 5-8 | Oct. 4-7 |
| | Sectional games | Wed. | 15 | Oct. 15 | Oct. 14 | Oct. 12 | Oct. 11 |
| | Quarterfinal games | Sat. | 15 | Oct. 18 | Oct. 17 | Oct. 15 | Oct. 14 |
| | MSHSAA Championships | Fri.-Sat. | 16 | Oct. 24-25 | Oct. 23-24 | Oct. 21-22 | Oct. 20-21 |
| VOLLEYBALL | District championships | Mon.-Thurs. | 16 | Oct. 20-23 | Oct. 19-22 | Oct. 17-20 | Oct. 16-19 |
| | Sectionals | Sat. | 16 | Oct. 25 | Oct. 24 | Oct. 22 | Oct. 21 |
| | MSHSAA Championships | Fri.-Sat. | 17 | Oct. 31-Nov. 1 | Oct. 30-31 | Oct. 28-29 | Nov. 3-4 |
| CROSS COUNTRY | Class 4 Districts | Sat. | 16 | Oct. 25 | Oct. 24 | Oct. 22 | Oct. 21 |
| | Classes 1, 2, 3 Districts | Sat. | 17 | Nov. 1 | Oct. 31 | Oct. 29 | Oct. 28 |
| | Class 4 Sectionals | Sat. | 17 | Nov. 1 | Oct. 31 | Oct. 29 | Oct. 28 |
| | MSHSAA Championships | Sat. | 18 | Nov. 8 | Nov. 7 | Nov. 5 | Nov. 4 |
| BOYS SWIMMING & DIVING | MSHSAA Championships | Fri.-Sat. | 18 | Nov. 7-8 | Nov. 6-7 | Nov. 4-5 | Nov. 3-4 |
| BOYS SOCCER | Classes 1, 2, 3 Districts | Sat.-Sat. | 16-17 | Oct. 25-Nov. 1 | Oct. 24-31 | Oct. 22-29 | Oct. 21-28 |
| | Classes 1, 2, 3 Sectionals | Tues. | 18 | Nov. 4 | Nov. 3 | Nov. 1 | Oct. 31 |
| | Classes 1, 2, 3 Quarterfinals | Sat. | 18 | Nov. 8 | Nov. 7 | Nov. 5 | Nov. 4 |
| | Classes 1-3 MSHSAA Championships | Fri.-Sat. | 19 | Nov. 14-15 | Nov. 13-14 | Nov. 11-12 | Nov. 10-11 |
| FOOTBALL | All Classes - Districts 1st Rd | Fri./Sat. | 16 | Oct. 30-31 | Oct. 23-24 | Oct. 21-22 | Oct. 20-21 |
| | All Classes - Districts 2nd Rd | Fri./Sat. | 17 | Oct. 31-Nov. 1 | Oct. 30-31 | Oct. 28-29 | Oct. 27-28 |
| | All Classes - Districts Championships | Fri./Sat. | 18 | Nov. 7-8 | Nov. 6-7 | Nov. 4-5 | Nov. 3-4 |
| | Classes 1-5 Quarterfinals | Fri./Sat. | 19 | Nov. 14-15 | Nov. 13-14 | Nov. 11-12 | Nov. 10-11 |
| | Classes 6/8-man Semifinals | Fri./Sat. | 19 | Nov. 14-15 | Nov. 13-14 | Nov. 11-12 | Nov. 10-11 |
| | Classes 1-5 Semifinals | Fri./Sat. | 20 | Nov. 21-22 | Nov. 20-21 | Nov. 18-19 | Nov. 17-18 |
| | 8-Man Show-Me Bowl | Fri. | 21 | Nov. 28 | Nov. 27 | Nov. 25 | Nov. 24 |
| | Classes 1-6 Show-Me Bowl | Fri.-Sat. | 21 | Nov. 28-29 | Nov. 27-28 | Nov. 25-26 | Nov. 24-25 |
| THANKSGIVING | | Thurs. | 21 | Nov. 27 | Nov. 26 | Nov. 24 | Nov. 23 |
| WRESTLING | District Championships | Fri.-Sat. | 32 | Feb. 13-14 | Feb. 12-13 | Feb. 10-11 | Feb. 9-10 |
| | MSHSAA Championships | Thurs.-Sat. | 33 | Feb. 19-21 | Feb. 18-20 | Feb. 16-18 | Feb. 15-17 |
| GIRLS SWIMMING & DIVING | MSHSAA Championships | Fri.-Sat. | 33 | Feb. 20-21 | Feb. 19-20 | Feb. 17-18 | Feb. 16-17 |
| BASKETBALL | Classes 1, 2, 3 Districts | Sat.-Sat. | 33-34 | Feb. 21-28 | Feb. 20-27 | Feb. 18-25 | Feb. 17-24 |
| | Class 1 Sectionals | Tues. | 35 | Mar. 3 | Mar. 1 | Feb. 28 | Feb. 27 |
| | Classes 2, 3 Sectionals | Wed. | 35 | Mar. 4 | Mar. 2 | Mar. 1 | Feb. 28 |
| | Classes 1, 2, 3 Quarterfinals | Sat. | 35 | Mar. 7 | Mar. 5 | Mar. 4 | Mar. 3 |
| | Show-Me Showdown I | Thurs.-Sat. | 36 | Mar. 12-14 | Mar. 10-12 | Mar. 9-11 | Mar. 8-10 |
| | Classes 4, 5 Districts | Sat.-Sat. | 34-35 | Feb. 28-Mar. 7 | Feb. 27-Mar. 5 | Feb. 25-Mar. 4 | Feb. 24-Mar. 3 |
| | Classes 4, 5 Sectionals | Wed. | 36 | Mar. 11 | Mar. 9 | Mar. 8 | Mar. 7 |
| | Classes 4, 5 Quarterfinals | Sat. | 36 | Mar. 14 | Mar. 12 | Mar. 11 | Mar. 10 |
| | Show-Me Showdown II | Thurs.-Sat. | 37 | Mar. 19-21 | Mar. 17-19 | Mar. 16-18 | Mar. 15-17 |

Projected Events Calendar for 2014-15 Thru 2017-18

| Sport/Activity | Level of Competition | Day | Week No. | 2014-15 | 2015-16 | 2016-17 | 2017-18 |
|----------------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|
| SPEECH & DEBATE | Close of District Tournaments | <i>Fri.-Sat.</i> | 37 | Mar. 20-21 | Mar. 18-19 | Mar. 17-18 | Mar. 16-17 |
| | MSHSAA Championships | <i>Fri.-Sat.</i> | 42 | Apr. 24-25 | Apr. 22-23 | Apr. 21-22 | Apr. 20-21 |
| MUSIC | Close of District Festivals | <i>Fri.-Sat.</i> | 39 | Mar. 27-28* | Apr. 1-2 | Mar. 31-Apr. 1 | Mar. 23-24* |
| | MSHSAA State Festival | <i>Thurs.-Sat.</i> | 43 | Apr. 30-May 2 | Apr. 28-30 | Apr. 27-29 | Apr. 26-28 |
| SCHOLAR BOWL | District championships | <i>Sat.</i> | 41 | Apr. 18 | Apr. 16 | Apr. 8* | Apr. 14 |
| | Sectionals | <i>Thurs.</i> | 43 | Apr. 29 | Apr. 27 | Apr. 25 | Apr. 25 |
| | Classes 1, 2 MSHSAA Championships | <i>Fri.</i> | 44 | May 8 | May 6 | May 5 | May 5 |
| | Classes 3, 4 MSHSAA Championships | <i>Sat.</i> | 44 | May 9 | May 7 | May 6 | May 6 |
| SPRING SOFTBALL | District championships | <i>Mon.-Thurs.</i> | 44 | May 4-7 | May 2-5 | May 1-4 | Apr. 30-May 5 |
| | Sectional games | <i>Mon.</i> | 45 | May 11 | May 9 | May 8 | May 7 |
| | Quarterfinal games | <i>Thurs.</i> | 45 | May 14 | May 12 | May 11 | May 10 |
| | MSHSAA Championships | <i>Fri.-Sat.</i> | 46 | May 22-23 | May 20-21 | May 19-20 | May 18-19 |
| BOYS GOLF | District championships | <i>Wed.-Fri.</i> | 44 | May 4-6 | May 2-4 | May 1-3 | April 30-May 2 |
| | Sectionals | <i>Wed.-Fri.</i> | 45 | May 11 | May 9 | May 8 | May 7 |
| | MSHSAA Championships | <i>Mon.-Tues.</i> | 46 | May 18-19 | May 16-17 | May 15-16 | May 14-15 |
| TRACK and FIELD | Class 1, 2 Districts | <i>Sat.</i> | 44 | May 9 | May 7 | May 6 | May 5 |
| | Class 3, 4, 5 Districts | <i>Sat.</i> | 45 | May 16 | May 14 | May 13 | May 12 |
| | Class 1, 2 Sectionals | <i>Sat.</i> | 45 | May 16 | May 14 | May 13 | May 12 |
| | Classes 1, 2 MSHSAA Championships | <i>Fri.-Sat.</i> | 46 | May 22-23 | May 20-21 | May 19-20 | May 18-19 |
| | Classes 3, 4, 5 Sectionals | <i>Sat.</i> | 46 | May 23 | May 21 | May 20 | May 19 |
| | Classes 3, 4, 5 MSHSAA Championships | <i>Fri.-Sat.</i> | 47 | May 29-30 | May 27-28 | May 26-27 | May 25-26 |
| BOYS TENNIS | Team Districts | <i>Mon.-Fri.</i> | 45 | May 11-15 | May 9-13 | May 8-12 | May 7-11 |
| | Close of Individual Districts | <i>Sat.</i> | 45 | May 16 | May 14 | May 13 | May 12 |
| | Individual Sectionals | <i>Mon.-Wed.</i> | 46 | May 18-20 | May 16-18 | May 15-17 | May 14-16 |
| | Team Sectionals | <i>Sat.</i> | 46 | May 23 | May 21 | May 20 | May 19 |
| | MSHSAA Team Championships | <i>Thurs.</i> | 47 | May 28 | May 26 | May 25 | May 24 |
| | MSHSAA Individual Championships | <i>Fri.-Sat.</i> | 47 | May 29-30 | May 27-28 | May 26-27 | May 25-26 |
| BASEBALL | District Championships | <i>Wed.-Sat.</i> | 45-46 | May 15-23 | May 13-21 | May 12-20 | May 11-19 |
| | Classes 1, 2, 3 Sectional games | <i>Mon.</i> | 47 | May 25 | May 23 | May 22 | May 21 |
| | Classes 4, 5 Sectional games | <i>Tues.</i> | 47 | May 26 | May 24 | May 23 | May 22 |
| | Classes 1, 2, 3 Quarterfinal games | <i>Wed.</i> | 47 | May 27 | May 25 | May 24 | May 23 |
| | Classes 4, 5 Quarterfinal games | <i>Thurs.</i> | 47 | May 28 | May 26 | May 25 | May 24 |
| | Class 1-3 MSHSAA Championships | <i>Mon.-Thurs.</i> | 48 | June 1-4 | May 30-June 2 | May 29-June 1 | May 28-31 |
| | MSHSAA Championships | <i>Thurs.-Fri.</i> | 48 | June 4-6 | June 2-4 | June 1-3 | May 31-June 2 |
| GIRLS SOCCER | District championships | <i>Sat.-Sat.</i> | 45-46 | May 16-23 | May 14-21 | May 13-20 | May 12-19 |
| | Classes 1, 2, 3 Sectional games | <i>Tues.</i> | 47 | May 26 | May 24 | May 23 | May 22 |
| | Classes 1, 2, 3 Quarterfinal games | <i>Sat.</i> | 47 | May 30 | May 28 | May 27 | May 26 |
| | Classes 1-3 MSHSAA Championships | <i>Fri.-Sat.</i> | 48 | June 5-6 | June 3-4 | June 2-3 | June 1-2 |
| MEMORIAL DAY | | Mon. | 47-48 | May 25 | May 30 | May 29 | May 28 |
| CHEERLEADER CLINICS | One-day clinics | <i>Mon.-Thurs.</i> | 50 | June 15-18 | June 13-16 | June 12-15 | June 11-14 |

*Not held on regular standardized calendar week.

2014 Area Meeting Report

The MSHSAA staff conducted eight Area Meetings during the month of January. Information gathered at these meetings was presented to the MSHSAA Board of Directors at the January, 2014 meeting of the Board. Consideration was given for further action on the topics discussed. Below is a brief summary of discussion and overall opinions on the topics gathered at each of the eight sites.

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| 1. | <i>Should the Constitution be amended to prevent a redshirt year at an Affiliate Registered School?</i> | |
| | North Andrew (Northwest District): | Two semesters of eligibility at each grade level - 15 in favor, 0 opposed, Several - no votes. |
| | Mexico (Northeast District): | Nobody in the area plays affiliate registered schools. |
| | Smith-Cotton (Central District): | A few schools play against them (maybe 2). No concerns. 100% in favor. |
| | Blue Springs South (Kansas City District): | Very few in attendance are or play affiliate schools. Widespread approval. |
| | Waynesville (South Central District): | One school is affiliate at the junior high level. 98% in favor of no red shirt year, 2% opposed. |
| | McCluer South-Berkeley (St. Louis District): | Very few members at junior high level. |
| | Republic - (Southwest District): | Some discussion on gaining a competitive advantage. All in favor. |
| | Dexter (Southeast District): | 100% in favor of no red shirt year. |
| 2. | <i>Should there be exceptions for two non-school competitions in all individual sports?</i> | |
| | North Andrew (Northwest District): | Individual should all be equal. Will we have more requests for additional non-school competition? Would the student be able to miss school time or practices? How many kids participated in wrestling during season? 99% in favor, 1 % opposed. |
| | Mexico (Northeast District): | 100% in favor of the change. |
| | Smith-Cotton (Central District): | No concerns. 100% in favor. |
| | Blue Springs South (Kansas City District): | Non-school competition - opening up a can of worms with wrestling. We let the other sports do it, the coaches should put restriction in. Fifty matches now, no need to pen it up. Ask sports separately. 98% in favor, 2% opposed. |
| | Waynesville (South Central District): | Would be in favor to allow because of community benefit runs. 98% in favor, 2% opposed. If it starts with two does it expand? It is difficult to monitor. I can see where the track coaches would be concerned with this. Many of these are family runs and just for fun not competition. |
| | McCluer South-Berkeley (St. Louis District): | What opportunities are there for wrestling athletes? All-Star Meets. Would outside wrestling groups add events? 100% in favor. |
| | Republic - (Southwest District): | In favor of allowing it because he has a daughter and doesn't see an issue with her participating. Would probably be opposed to it because they may want to run on a weekend when they need to rest. It could be an issue in wrestling with weight management. 70% in favor of allowing, 30% opposed. What about the consistency across the individual sports? |
| | Dexter (Southeast District): | 99% in favor, 1% opposed. |
| 3. | <i>Should the Sportsmanship Summit date and location be adjusted to insure better attendance?</i> | |
| | North Andrew (Northwest District): | If the Sportsmanship Summit was at a different time about 15-20 schools would come, now only three schools participate. Hold it during the breaks between the seasons. |
| | Mexico (Northeast District): | Rotate location and time of the year. Fall and Spring. Six schools in attendance have attended. |
| | Smith-Cotton (Central District): | Centralized location would be nice. Fall sports cannot attend. The date is an issue, could move it from beginning of fall. Rotation allowed more schools to be involved. Most football coaches have something on Saturday. Central Location - 100%, Two summits - 99%, One summit - 1%, During dead period - 80%, Not during dead period - 20%. |
| | Blue Springs South (Kansas City District): | The date makes it impossible to attend with practice and staff in-service. 50% centralized, 20% rotation, 30% don't care. Beneficial with doing it during non-contact between fall and winter. The non-contact period before fall allow all athletes to be able to participate. Could there be two summits? |
| | Waynesville (South Central District): | Does not matter on the rotation, but would make it nicer if it was centrally located. Because of location it can add expense because of hotels and food. Because it is a Saturday and fall athletes cannot miss practice. Benefit during the summer would allow the kids to use what they learn throughout the entire year. No consensus on when to have it. |
| | McCluer South-Berkeley (St. Louis District): | Central location is better. Would it be during the school year? Central - 99%. Were in favor of having two sportsmanship summits. |
| | Republic - (Southwest District): | How about a simulcast? Don't think it matters on location. not sure the location is an issue as much as the date it is held. Hard to get fall sports students involved. Is it possible to have multiple locations? Time period during the Winter Non-Contact Period. The kids in fall sports may not be able to miss practice. A central location, many people could go and come back in same day. Before the school year, gets the focus for the year. Schedule it on a Wednesday. |
| | Dexter (Southeast District): | When is the summit? What location has the best attendance? The timing of the summit makes it difficult to attend. How about the summit during dead period with least number of schools? The week prior to fall season beginning. Waive the dead period for this event. Majority prefer last dead period and not affect the dead period rule. |

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| 4. Should officials be able to rate schools on the sportsmanship of their players, coaches and fans? | | |
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| | North Andrew (Northwest District): | Validity was an issue. Need immediate feedback would help. Trouble getting it back. will it be public? 100% in favor, 0% opposed. |
| | Mexico (Northeast District): | Is there a penalty if you get a bad report? Some would like the input - maybe just from the lead official. See it broken down by adult fans, student fans, coaches, administration. This would be good information - but only as good as what you do with it. |
| | Smith-Cotton (Central District): | Fans would be hard to rate. You may be opening a door with the coach and officials and the kids in the middle. We already have process in place. End of the year report? It needs to be mandatory if it happens. Three different ratings for coach/fans/players. We have a hard time getting officials now. Why pay attention to the crowd! Rating both schools. Can we just do coaches/players? No intent to do anything with a school who has bad report (information only). One AD wanted them after the game so he could use the information. Schools give parameters and send it back to the Officials Advisory Committee. It is tit for tat its nonsense. 90% opposed. |
| | Blue Springs South (Kansas City District): | How is that different than special report? Fill out a special report, and many officials are wanting to rate schools because they want to be get back at schools. Special reports can be filled out. Schools don't want to be compared to other schools. As an official, I don't want to have to add to what I do. 100% opposed. |
| | Waynesville (South Central District): | They do already - cards, special reports. Use the other avenues or give the technical. Let the assignors know about the sportsmanship. Could be a lot of negativity. Officials should call it closer. Coaches are probably not the best to do the ratings. Special reports are valuable. |
| | McCluer South-Berkeley (St. Louis District): | Think it is a good idea. May get more positive coaches. Don't think it is necessary they have that ability now. Hard enough to do their job now. No penalty. This would be required (yes). Is there a way to keep it objective vs. subjective (no)? What is the reason behind this - we already do this. Rating on both schools home/away. Three separate ratings - fans/coaches/players. Everybody already has their rosters. It is a local school issue. |
| | Republic - (Southwest District): | Concern would be with others seeing the ratings and would not want to play them. What type of training would MSHSAA provide on how to evaluate sportsmanship? Is this coming from all the officials' associations or just a few? Does this create more animosity? It has some benefit, all officials should rate the teams, also should we ask who won the game for coaches ratings of officials? the southwest officials' group did use an evaluation and it benefitted the school, but has discontinued it. Do you think there would be consequence for coaches for low ratings? 80% in favor, 20 % opposed. |
| | Dexter (Southeast District): | Can they not use Special Report? Other options? Criteria they come up with? Could be a positive tool but don't think all officials would want to do it. 60% no opinion, 40% opposed. |
| 5. Should we evaluate the certification process for all coaches and directors? | | |
| | North Andrew (Northwest District): | Streamline Faculty/Nonfaculty Coaches - Majority in favor, None opposed. Additional Courses for Coaches - None in favor, majority opposed. It should be a local school decision. Seems like the majority of nonfaculty coaches are not around that long. |
| | Mexico (Northeast District): | Faculty or nonfaculty no longer matters. No problem with first aid every two years. Yes, good for college credit. What is the incentive to become level 2 or 3? Concerned about it costing money. OK with Fundamentals of Coaching. |
| | Smith-Cotton (Central District): | 100% would like to do away with the faculty/nonfaculty designation. Can we purchase coaching principles as a state? Costly and embarrassing to go to a person to ask them to coach, then pay \$100. Is this retroactive? 100% in favor of bundle and moving forward. |
| | Blue Springs South (Kansas City District): | To update system - most in favor. Some opposed - budget issue. We feel comfortable with our choices or we wouldn't do it - budget issue. Other local issues - blood path test, concussion test, sex predators. Cost an issue. Someone that doesn't want to take these tests shouldn't coach. |
| | Waynesville (South Central District): | Yes to supporting the streamlining the Level 1 coach requirements. Concerns with timeline in trying to get all the requirements completed in the fall. Volunteer/unpaid coaches - concern with financial impact for assistant. Only for each coaches. Why is the number of nonfaculty coaches on the rise? Are the requirements now part of the increase in the number of nonfaculty coaches? Will this change help or hurt this issue? |
| | McCluer South-Berkeley (St. Louis District): | Getting harder to find coaches and by putting more requirement in place will complicate it even more. 99% in favor of bundle, 1% opposed. In favor of the bundle, but cost is an issue. How many pay for additional classes for coaches. Is there some way we can offer fundamentals of coaching at a lower cost? Would like to see by-law test removed from coaching requirements. Why don't we incorporate character education of coaches instead of coaching principles? |
| | Republic - (Southwest District): | Most were in favor of simplifying the process. Why is it required to have a four-year degree to be a head coach? Schools voted for this and want some rules. All in favor. |
| | Dexter (Southeast District): | It would be helpful to simplify. 90% in favor. |

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| 6. <i>Should scores for all varsity contests be mandated to be placed on the MSHSAA website?</i> | | |
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| | North Andrew (Northwest District): | All sports? Tournaments would need to input. 95% in favor, 5% opposed. |
| | Mexico (Northeast District): | 60% in favor, three opposed. Concerned about getting fined. Mandate scores - 25%, Opposed - 75%. |
| | Smith-Cotton (Central District): | Would the schools be able to text the scores? People aren't doing it because they are not required to. Frustrating when schools don't post. 100% in favor. |
| | Blue Springs South (Kansas City District): | Who is responsible for putting in the score - home or away? One more mandate - not in favor. How many are actually putting in scores? Mobile app available. Forty-eight hours to put it in, and people are looking at it. Would this be for all sports? MaxPreps could give stats, coaches quotes, automatic reminder. They want box score for the Star. |
| | Waynesville (South Central District): | Don't put in any other requirements for coaches - they have enough to do without it being mandated. Multiple computer systems should communicate. Want people to go to their own school website. It takes 30 seconds to put a score in the system. 10% if favor, 40% opposed, 50% don't care. |
| | McCluer South-Berkeley (St. Louis District): | I like that idea and a portal for statistics. I would be OK to that so I don't have to do it on StL. As long as they can do one central location. Would the media be able to have access? What sports? What kind of time frame? This is about changing habits and would need to be mandated. Would there be fines? 90% in favor, 10% opposed. Different schools gather different stats and a program that is user friendly. |
| | Republic - (Southwest District): | What is the time line? Can we mandate reporters look on the website? Just adds something for coaches to have to do. Media outlets could sign-up for scores to be sent to them automatically. Think it is a great thing, other states do this. Simplify the process for coaches to input score. Cancellation of games is a concern. If this is something we are supposed to do, put it on the home supervisor, not the coach. The tournament, the home supervisor for each game. 30% in favor, 70% opposed. |
| | Dexter (Southeast District): | Have issue with the web site because of glitches and shouldn't fine because of it. See the importance of football, but don't want to deal with other sports. If you have the capability to remind people to put the score in. When you have the schedule in and have to reschedule, don't want to be fined. Takes about 30 seconds, think it is a good idea. Forty-eight hours make more sense. 1% in favor, 99% opposed. |
| 7. <i>If there was more accountability for home school students, would you consider allowing them to participate on a team at their school of residence?</i> | | |
| | North Andrew (Northwest District): | Favor of further discussion? 50% in favor, 50% opposed. Requirements that would be needed. You could never put in place enough accountability. Home school kids would have to be in attendance a ½ day. If home school parents do not want their children around during the day, why do they want them around us tonight. Schools should say we will listen, that will force the home school parents to prove more accountability and they won't do it so they will shoot themselves in the foot. |
| | Mexico (Northeast District): | Must follow the school's grading policy. Willing to continue discussion - 70% in favor. More and more hoops and more work - just say "NO." Would like to look at opening it up to the arts. |
| | Smith-Cotton (Central District): | Mainly educating the administrators about what is going on right now. One person favoring homeschooling if there was a component for accountability. If EOC exams not connected to the school. |
| | Blue Springs South (Kansas City District): | Lack of accountability. Being a part of student body is important - not just academics at home. How widespread are requests from Kansas City? Kids would leave to be homeschooled. How would it affect membership count? Solution is enrollment. Seniors second semester become homeschooled. Prom policies. Schools are accountable - kids should be too. Citizenship policy. |
| | Waynesville (South Central District): | Home school students need some type of accountability just like public schools/member schools have now. If school programs are not good enough to send their child to school then the sports/activities program are not good either. There are other options for sports for home school students to participate. 100% in favor of accountability. |
| | McCluer South-Berkeley (St. Louis District): | What do we have to hold over their heads to return equipment/books/other things? HB1347 - Home School can participate. Policy check of a home schooler. |
| | Republic - (Southwest District): | Home School Students - HB1347. What kind of standards are in place for home school curriculum? Current students are bona fide and state money helps pay for those activities. Will homeschool numbers count in your enrollment? |
| | Dexter (Southeast District): | Avoid rules and regulations - home schools. Drug testing avoided by home schools. Financial - no state aid. Very adamant about finance. Kids who represent the school wear uniform and attend the school. How to adjust enrollment breaks. Could school board at local level keep from participating? Not interested in time consuming verifying accountability. No accountability can they play where they want. home school can play non-school teams. Home School Association teams already allow them to play. |

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| 8. | <i>The Public/Nonpublic Advisory Committee proposal, which was amended but approved by the Board of Directors, for discussion in response to the petition for Separate Championships for non-public schools.</i> | |
| | North Andrew (Northwest District): | Stay with the current multiplier - 100%. Continue discussion of Public/Nonpublic Proposal - 0%. Would our number of students from a K-8 district be multiplied? Is the current multiplier system broke? We do not need to separate public/nonpublic so that DESE is not an option to govern sports. |
| | Mexico (Northeast District): | Keep 1.35 in boundary and 1.5 outside. Some didn't agree with one or two year restriction. Small nonpublic schools may need freshmen just to have a team. How would we check the residency of nonpublic. Seems just like more rules. |
| | Smith-Cotton (Central District): | K-8 (student goes to a schools in the 9th grade then changes in year two). In favor to continue with looking at a change in enrollment. About 50/50 maybe more to go forward. How many years for restriction - 1 or 2 years? Helias brought up 2 years. Is it worth it for the student to do it? |
| | Blue Springs South (Kansas City District): | Boarding schools - how would you deal with them enrollment wise? If some nonpublic schools go up and some go down with new boundaries how is this solving anything? Double whammy - nonresidential kid changing systems causes my enrollment to be multiplied and I may not be able to use them for two years? Almost none of my students come from their public district - will affect us and may not be able to offer a softball team. More of a St. Louis issue and they don't have junior high sports. Another way to not punish kids - success factor for winning better? This is a longstanding issue - won't go away - but don't throw the baby out with the bathwater. If someone cheats - punish them, not everybody. Harsher penalty - death penalty for rule breakers instead of changing system for everybody. |
| | Waynesville (South Central District): | Larger attendance area creates undue advantage. Should be public high school attendance area for nonpublic school. Transfer issue from 8th to 9th grade. People will still work the system. Who is going to keep track of this? Nonpublic will have to submit to MSHSAA office. Public school comes from Core Data report field with DESE. New multiplier would only be applied to each student not school as a whole. Will this lower the enrollment classification for nonpublic schools? |
| | McCluer South-Berkeley (St. Louis District): | This has and will create geographic inequality. Example - Valle - Ste. Genevieve, Festus - Crystal City. Consideration for kids who have been K-8 private all the way through high school. Small schools ninth graders are needed to fill a varsity team. Restricting school choice of the parents. So much is revolving around winning. How many freshmen will play varsity. Have to give parents a moment of pause. K-8 Public - Private. If your choice is education how should sports be any consideration? Could they enroll as an 8th grader private then go 9-12 private? (Yes) Only way to make it level playing field - Separate Championship - No restrictions. Undue influence - how do we prove it - Public going to a private school? Major frustration (undue influence). Need to start having better communication between private and public schools (Don't be afraid). Create a liaison between private and public. Get rid of the 25 mile and no restrictions. Scholarship to kid not a part of that religion. Normandy let them go but did not look at undue influence. Playing with enrollment beyond MSHSAA rules. Recourse - Don't schedule them. Instead of restriction - add to multiplier. We are going into a new two-year cycle. At least two years out. |
| | Republic - (Southwest District): | Could MSHSAA address just St. Louis and Kansas City as this is the issue area? Could the 25 mile radius be reduced and have a similar effect. Keep it the way it is - paperwork nightmare. What about a teacher living outside the area and child goes to nonpublic grade school? School indicated it would kill their athletics as they do not have JV. |
| | Dexter (Southeast District): | The Ranch School = resident student. Elementary private then to private school. Co-op - why do you have to claim all enrollments? |
| 9. | <i>Petitions - 1) Separate Championships – Public/Nonpublic; 2) Four classes of soccer</i> | |
| | North Andrew (Northwest District): | Separate Championships - Should a restriction be 1 year or 2 years if a public school 8th grader goes to a nonpublic high school? No response - status quo continue with current system. Soccer Petition - Four classes of soccer via a petition will be on the ballot for voting. |
| | Mexico (Northeast District): | No comments. |
| | Smith-Cotton (Central District): | No comments. |
| | Blue Springs South (Kansas City District): | Four classes of soccer will be on ballot. Financial Impact Committee. No feedback on this topic. |
| | Waynesville (South Central District): | No comments. |
| | McCluer South-Berkeley (St. Louis District): | Soccer - four classes will appear on the Annual Ballot. |
| | Republic - (Southwest District): | No comments. |
| | Dexter (Southeast District): | No comments. |

TOTAL ATTENDANCE TALLY FOR ALL DISTRICT MEETINGS

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| Number of People in Attendance | 887 | Number of Superintendents Attending | 35 | Number of Athletic Directors Attending ... | 498 |
| Number of Schools in Attendance | 590 | Number of Principals Attending | 303 | Others in Attendance | 22 |
| | | Number of Assistant Principals Attending. | 29 | | |

2014 Annual Questionnaire Results

The MSHSAA Board of Directors circulates the Annual Questionnaire each year to all member schools. This instrument is utilized to obtain a consensus from member schools on key issues which will aid the Board of Directors in determining changes that are desired by the majority of member schools. Listed below are the results of this year's Annual Questionnaire.

Topic 1: Affiliate Registered Schools – Repeating a Grade in Junior High (Question 1)

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| 1.1 | Should the Constitution be amended to limit students at an Affiliate Registered School to a maximum of two semesters of eligibility as a seventh grader and two semesters of eligibility as an eighth grader, which is the limit for students attending MSHSAA member schools? YES - 485 NO - 56 |
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Topic 2: Non-School Competition Rule – During Interscholastic Season (Questions 2-5)

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| 2.1 | Should two non-school competitions be allowed during the season in ALL INDIVIDUAL SPORTS? YES - 350 NO - 191 |
| 3.2 | Should two non-school competitions be allowed during the season in CROSS-COUNTRY? YES - 273 NO - 95 |
| 4.3 | Should two non-school competitions be allowed during the season in TRACK AND FIELD? YES - 339 NO - 137 |
| 5.4 | Should two non-school competitions be allowed during the season in WRESTLING? YES - 105 NO - 119 |

Topic 3: MSHSAA Sportsmanship Summit – Date and Location (Questions 6-7)

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| 6.1 | Which statement best represents your preference regarding the location of the Summit? |
| 182 - | a) The Summit should continue to rotate to different areas of the state every year (Columbia, Kansas City, Springfield and St. Louis). |
| 359 - | b) The Summit should be held in a central location (Columbia or Jefferson City) each year. |
| 7.1 | What time of the year is best for your school to send students/faculty to the Sportsmanship Summit? |
| 266 - | a) Early or mid-summer |
| 223 - | b) During Fall non-contact period (week prior to fall practice start date) |
| 52 - | c) Sometime during the first two weeks of Fall practice |

Topic 4: Sports officials - Rating Schools on Sportsmanship (Questions 8-10)

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| 8.1 | Should officials be able to rate schools on the sportsmanship of their players, coaches and fans? YES - 191 NO - 350 |
| 9.1 | If the membership supports this concept, should rating the schools after a game be mandated or optional for the official? REQUIRED - 235 OPTIONAL - 306 |
| 10.1 | Do you think such a rating would assist you in working with your community or fans on sportsmanship? YES - 221 NO - 320 |

Topic 5: Coaches Requirements (Questions 11-17)

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| 11.1 | Would you support an amendment to the coaching by-laws that would require the following basic preparations for any coach before coaching a sport, and before being renewed? Basic Requirements: First Aid with CPR and AED (Every two years for renewal); NFHS Fundamentals of Coaching (one-time completion); MSHSAA By-Laws Course (one-time completion); Background Check (one-time completion); NFHS Concussion in Sports – What You Need to Know (Yearly); Sport-specific Online Rules Review (Yearly); Local School Board Approval (Yearly) YES - 376 NO - 165 |
| 12.1 | Would the incentive of offering college level credit for various aspects of this training make the requirements more positive for the coaches? YES - 276 NO - 265 |
| 13.1 | Would you favor the concept of continuing education requirements for coaches, where they would be required to take a coaching class (see options in #15 below) of some sort every three years or every five years? YES - 136 NO - 405 |
| 14.1 | Would additional optional certification levels be something some of your coaches would be interested in (additional optional classes, college credit, a coaching "designation" such as Level 2 coach)? YES - 200 NO - 341 |
| 15.1 | What subject matter would be of MOST assistance to your sport coaches? |
| 16 - | a) Nutrition and Wellness |
| 38 - | b) Conflict Resolution |
| 110 - | c) Dealing with Parents |
| 47 - | d) Program and Team Management |
| 86 - | e) Legal issues in Sports Programs |

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| 128 - | f) Coaching and Communications |
| 38 - | g) Strength and Conditioning |
| 68 - | h) Sport Specific Instruction - drills and training modules |
| 16.1 | Which would be your BIGGEST concern with requiring all coaches to become better educated and meet additional requirements prior to being approved to coach a sport? |
| 223 - | a) additional cost to school or coach |
| 200 - | b) additional time for the coaches to meet the requirements |
| 80 - | c) unwillingness of coaches to go through the process to meet requirements |
| 38 - | d) none of the above; the benefits outweigh the concerns |
| 17.1 | Would you support the elimination of the one-year grace period for assistant sport coaches to meet the coaching requirements so they are better prepared their first year? YES - 148 NO - 393 |

Topic 6: Placing Scores on the MSHSAA website (Questions 18-20)

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| 18.1 | Should the reporting of scores on the MSHSAA website during the regular season for varsity contests be required? YES - 324 NO - 217 |
| 19.1 | How much time is appropriate for reporting a score following a game? |
| 183 - | a) within 24 hours after completion of the contest |
| 184 - | b) within 48 hours after completion of the contest |
| 174 - | c) within 72 hours after completion of the contest |
| 20.1 | Should there be a fine or a penalty for not posting scores on the MSHSAA website for regular season games? YES - 191 NO - 350 |

Topic 7: Homeschooled Students Representing a Member School (Questions 21-23)

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| 21.1 | Are you in favor of homeschooled students (no enrollment at school) being allowed to represent a MSHSAA member school in interscholastic activities? YES - 25 NO - 516 |
| 22.1 | What is the main reason you oppose homeschooled students representing MSHSAA member schools? |
| 24 - | a) Not applicable – I support homeschooled students being allowed to participate at member schools. |

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| 299 - | b) We have no way to oversee their adherence to our local requirements or standards, and this is inequitable when compared to our enrolled students who are monitored constantly and sometimes lose the privilege to participate due to behavior, attendance, academics, citizenship, etc. |
| 95 - | c) These students do not believe our school is adequate for them educationally or academically, therefore, they should not have access to the programs that are the sought-after privileges and educational benefits for our enrolled students. |
| 30 - | d) These are school versus school activities; it is not appropriate for students who are not enrolled and do not attend our school to represent our school. |
| 93 - | e) Lack of academic accountability – we have no way of knowing if these students are performing adequately academically and/or making progress toward achieving credits toward a diploma or graduation and would not feel comfortable allowing them to participate without evidence of academic success. |
| 23.1 | Would changes in current Missouri state statutes (not MSHSAA by-laws) to require further accountability and record-keeping for homeschooled students cause you to favor allowing interscholastic participation of such students? YES - 43 NO - 393 UNDECIDED - 105 |

Topic 8: Public-Nonpublic Advisory Committee – Requests for Feedback (Questions 24-35)

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| 24.1 | The proposal for the current 1.35 enrollment multiplier for nonpublic and selective schools was submitted by petition and passed on the 2002 Annual Ballot. Do you believe that the 1.35 multiplier has been an effective tool over the past twelve years in moderating the perceived advantages of nonpublic schools? YES - 287 NO - 254 |
| 25.1 | Which statement best represents your opinion of the multiplier for nonpublic/selective schools? |
| 213 - | a) The 1.35 multiplier has been effective in addressing concerns regarding competitive equity between public and nonpublic schools. |
| 279 - | b) The 1.35 multiplier has not done enough to equalize competition between public and nonpublic schools during the post season. |
| 49 - | c) The 1.35 multiplier has detrimentally affected some public and nonpublic schools and should be eliminated. |

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2014 Annual Questionnaire Results (Cont'd)

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| 26. ¹ | The Public-Nonpublic Advisory Committee is reviewing an enrollment “subtractor” which would reduce the enrollment of public schools based on various objective statistics, such as the number of free and reduced lunch account students, special needs students, socio-economic percentages of population, per pupil spending for the school/district, etc. Do you think an enrollment “subtractor” would be more effective than a multiplier? YES - 144 NO - 397 |
| 27. ¹ | In some states, a “championship” factor is used, which moves a school (public and nonpublic) into a larger classification after qualifying for the state championships for a certain number of years in a row. Would you support the use of a “championship” factor in Missouri? YES - 160 NO - 381 |
| 28. ¹ | Of the options listed below, which number of years of state qualification would be most appropriate on which to base the use of a “championship factor” to raise a school’s classification? |
| 50 - | a) Qualifying for the state final four TWO years in a row. |
| 113 - | b) Qualifying for the state final four FOUR years in a row. |
| 14 - | c) Qualifying for the state final four SIX years in a row. |
| 364 - | d) We would not support a “championship” factor. |
| 29. ¹ | Currently, the MSHSAA by-laws allow for an area “Investigative Committee” to be utilized for allegations of Undue Influence. The Public-Nonpublic Advisory Committee has suggested that such committees be replaced with area “Peer Review” committees that could function similarly to an accreditation peer-review committee, and assist a school in working through and correcting an issue or allegation of undue influence. Would you support the concept of a “Peer Review” committee for dealing with issues of Undue Influence? YES - 322 NO - 219 |
| 30. ¹ | Would you support an amendment to By-Law 2.6, Undue Influence, to include “the attempt to influence” as a violation, regardless of whether the student transfers as a result of the influence? YES - 382 NO - 159 |
| 31. ¹ | Would you support a school being suspended from membership in a situation where a coach has been found in violation of By-Law 2.6, Undue Influence? YES - 277 NO - 264 |

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| 32. ¹ | Would you support an amendment to the “Promotion” transfer exception, which would restrict eligibility (sub-varsity) to freshmen who are changing educational systems (going from public to non-public or vice versa) upon entry into the ninth grade? YES - 164 NO - 377 |
| 33. ¹ | Would you support an amendment to the “Promotion” transfer exception, which would restrict eligibility (sub-varsity) to freshmen who are changing educational systems (going from public to non-public or vice versa) upon entry into the ninth grade ONLY IF the student is a “non-resident” of the school (lives outside the attendance boundary of the school)? YES - 270 NO - 271 |
| 34. ¹ | How many years should a freshman student who changes educational systems (transfers from public to non-public or vice versa) at the time of promotion be restricted (sub-varsity eligibility) in sports? |
| 344 - | a) Zero; keep the promotion standard the way it is and allow all freshmen to begin high school with full eligibility. |
| 163 - | b) One year with a sub-varsity restriction in all sports. |
| 34 - | c) Two years with a sub-varsity restriction in all sports. |
| 35. ¹ | Which procedure to define the attendance boundary of a non-public school do you support? |
| 248 - | a) Current procedure: maximum of 25-mile radius from the principal’s office – using actual roads/rivers/landmarks. |
| 63 - | b) Reduce the current procedure to a 10-mile radius from the principal’s office – using actual roads/rivers/landmarks. |
| 230 - | c) Utilize the boundaries of the public school where the nonpublic school sits as its attendance boundaries for eligibility. |
| Topic 9: Non-School Competition Rule – School Administrator Approval (Question 36) | |
| 36. ¹ | Do you believe that students should be required to get prior approval by an administrator to utilize any of the non-school competition allowances within the by-laws, such as continuing their summer non-school team practice or competition after fall practice has started (only until Labor Day) or participating in a club-team try-out one time during the school sport season? YES - 331 NO - 210 |

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2014 Annual Questionnaire Results (Cont'd)

| Topic 10: Ejections – Sportsmanship Training (Question 37) | |
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| 37. ¹ | Do you believe it would be appropriate for a coach who has been ejected from a contest to be required to complete the free, online NFHS Sportsmanship course? YES - 373 NO - 168 |
| Topic 11: Volleyball – Individual Player Limitations (Questions 38-39) | |
| 38. ⁵ | Would you be in favor of increasing the volleyball daily set limitations for individual players in dual competition (non-tournament matches) to four sets per day? [A description of the current limit is described in the background information.] YES - 328 NO - 87 |
| 39. ⁵ | Which seasonal set limitation would you favor? |
| 155 - | a) In a season: no more than the number of sets that equal THREE times the number of matches (excluding tournament matches) played by the higher team on which the individual plays. [Example: Varsity selects schedule of 16 duals and 3 tournaments. Players are limited to 16x3 sets (48 sets) plus participation in three tournaments.] This option would also allow an additional set for teams playing any “three out of five” set matches |
| 260 - | b) In a season: no more than the number of sets that equal FOUR times the number of matches (excluding tournament matches) played by the higher team on which the individual plays. [Example: Varsity selects schedule of 16 duals and 3 tournaments. Players are limited to 16x4 sets (64 sets) plus participation in three tournaments.] This option would NOT allow additional sets for teams playing any “three out of five” set matches. Due to matches that are completed in two sets, players would have more than enough sets available under this procedure to complete the season. |
| Topic 12: Petitions – Signature Requirements (Questions 40-44) | |
| 40. ¹ | The requirement for signatures on an initiative petition for placement of a proposal on the Annual Ballot is currently 10% of the member schools, or 10% of the schools registered for a particular activity if there is no fiscal impact on the membership and only that activity/level is being affected. Please mark the response that best represents your opinion of this requirement. |
| 285 - | a) Signatures from 10% of the membership is an appropriate requirement |

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| 256 - | b) 10% is too low to confirm membership support for a proposal; the percentage should be raised. |
| 41. ¹ | As a general concept, would you support a requirement for petitions that would necessitate representation, within the signatures received, from a certain number of the eight geographic MSHSAA Board districts, in order to confirm statewide support for a proposal and certify the petition? YES - 370 NO - 171 |
| 42. ¹ | If the membership was to support the concept described in the question above (representation among the signatures), what number of Board districts should be represented among the signatures on the petition? |
| 124 - | a) 3 of the 8 Board Districts should be represented. |
| 159 - | b) 4 of the 8 Board Districts should be represented. |
| 181 - | c) 5 of the 8 Board Districts should be represented. |
| 76 - | d) 6 of the 8 Board Districts should be represented. |
| 43. ¹ | If a proposal to increase the signature percentage requirement was offered to the membership on the Ballot, what percentage requirement would you support for the proposal? |
| 271 - | a) I support the current requirement of 10% |
| 135 - | b) The requirement should be increased to 20% |
| 135 - | c) The requirement should be increased to 25% |
| 44. ¹ | Would you support an amendment to the MSHSAA Constitution that would increase the number of required signatures for a petition, AND which would include a requirement for geographic statewide representation among those signatures? |
| 258 - | a) Yes, I would support such an amendment |
| 141 - | b) No, I would not support such an amendment |
| 142 - | c) Undecided/No opinion |

Key:

- 1- Voted on by all member schools.
- 2- Voted on by high schools and junior high schools registered in boys or girls cross country.
- 3- Voted on by high schools and junior high schools registered in boys or girls track and field.
- 4- Voted on by high schools and junior high schools registered in wrestling.
- 5- Voted on by all high schools and junior high schools registered for volleyball.

2014 Annual Ballot Results

The MSHSAA Board of Directors circulates the Annual Questionnaire each year to all member schools. This instrument is utilized to obtain a consensus from member schools on key issues which will aid the Board of Directors in determining changes that are desired by the majority of member schools. Listed below are the results of this year's Annual Questionnaire.

- PROPOSAL 1 -

(Affiliate Registered Schools - Jr. High Students Repeating a Grade)
(PASSED) - 477 FOR, 95 AGAINST
(2/3 majority needed for passage)

Amends Article III, Section 6, Affiliate Registered School, by disallowing students at Affiliate Registered Schools who are repeating a grade at the junior high level from participating in competitions against MSHSAA full member schools.

- PROPOSAL 2 -

(Petition Requirements)
(PASSED) - 443 FOR, 129 AGAINST
(2/3 majority needed for passage)

Amends Article VI, Section 3, How Amendments May Be Proposed, by requiring a petition include signatures from ten percent of the entire MSHSAA membership, and that this total include signatures from at least ten percent of the member schools in at least five of the eight geographic Board districts, in order for the petition to be certified.

- PROPOSAL 3 -

(Balloting Requirements)
(PASSED) - 472 FOR, 100 AGAINST
(2/3 majority needed for passage)

Amends Article VI, Section 4, Limitation on Balloting, by clarifying within the language that only schools that are controlled or restrained by the standing wording of the specific Constitution section(s) or by-law(s) that the amendment is addressing at the time of balloting may vote on the proposal.

- PROPOSAL 4 -

(Heat Acclimatization - Junior High Schools)
(PASSED) - 300 FOR, 41 AGAINST

Amends By-Law 1.7.2, Heat Acclimatization Requirements, to define "fall sport" for junior high schools as a sport with a first practice date prior to Monday of Week 11 (September 15, 2014).

- PROPOSAL 5 -

(Citizenship Standards)
(PASSED) - 533 FOR, 39 AGAINST

Amends By-Law 2.2.3, Citizenship Requirements, by specifically defining an expulsion and the accompanying period of ineligibility.

- PROPOSAL 6 -

(Undue Influence)
(PASSED) - 431 FOR, 141 AGAINST

Amends By-Law 2.6, Undue Influence, by including "the attempt" to influence a student to enroll or transfer as a violation, regardless of whether the student transfers as a result of the influence, and expands the language in the by-law describing the individuals/groups that must refrain from undue influence.

- PROPOSAL 7 -

(Coaching Requirements - Reorganization of By-Law)
(PASSED) - 433 FOR, 139 AGAINST

Amends By-Law 3.1, Requirements for Athletic Coaches, by 1) more clearly outlining the requirements for head coaches, assistant coaches, student coaches and hardship coaches, and 2) including concussion, CPR and AED training within the by-law.

- PROPOSAL 8 -

(Coaching Requirements - Fundamentals of Coaching Course) -
(FAILED) - 268 FOR, 304 AGAINST

Would have amended By-Law 3.1, Requirements for Athletic Coaches, by requiring all coaches to complete the NFHS Fundamentals of Coaching course.

- PROPOSAL 9 -

(Coaching Requirements - Sports First Aid / CPR / AED Requirement) -
(PASSED) - 418 FOR, 154 AGAINST

Amends By-Laws 3.1, Requirements for Athletic Coaches, and 4.5.3, Spirit Coaches First Aid Requirement, by requiring that First Aid training be renewed every two years, and that CPR and AED training be required and renewed every two years.

- PROPOSAL 10 -

(Permission for Non-School Competition During Season)
(PASSED) - 377 FOR, 195 AGAINST

Amends By-Law 3.13.2, Organized Non-School Competition, by requiring prior administrator approval before a student could utilize any of the non-school competition allowances within the by-laws, such as continuing his/her summer non-school team practice or competition after fall practice has started (only until Labor Day) or participating in a club-team try-out one time during the school sport season.

- PROPOSAL 11-a -

(Allowance for Non-School Competitions During Season for Cross Country)
(PASSED) - 461 FOR, 111 AGAINST

Amends By-Law 3.13.2, Organized Non-School Competition, by expanding the allowance for athletes to participate in two non-school competitions during the school sport season, as is currently allowed in golf and tennis, to the sport of cross-country.

- PROPOSAL 11-b -

(Allowance for Non-School Competitions During Season for Track and Field)
(PASSED) - 452 FOR, 120 AGAINST

Amends By-Law 3.13.2, Organized Non-School Competition, by expanding the allowance for athletes to participate in two non-school competitions during the school sport season, as is currently allowed in golf and tennis, to the sport of track and field.

- PROPOSAL 11-c -

(Allowance for Non-School Competitions During Season for Wrestling)
(PASSED) - 352 FOR, 220 AGAINST

Amends By-Law 3.13.2, Organized Non-School Competition, by expanding the allowance for athletes to participate in two non-school competitions during the school sport season, as is currently allowed in golf and tennis, to the sport of wrestling.

2014 Annual Ballot Results (cont'd)

- PROPOSAL 12 - (Football - Heat Acclimatization) (PASSED) - 385 FOR, 17 AGAINST

Amends By-Law 3.15.6, Football Activities, and deletes By-Law 3.23.4, Required Conditioning (football), correcting conflicts with language passed last year regarding required Heat Acclimatization.

- PROPOSAL 13 - (Volleyball Individual Player Limits) (PASSED) - 363 FOR, 78 AGAINST

Amends By-Law 3.25.1, Individual Player Limits, by increasing: 1) the volleyball daily set limitations for individual players in dual competition (non-tournament matches) to four sets per day, and increasing 2) the volleyball season set limitations for individual players to a number of sets that equals four times the number of duals played by the higher team on which the individual plays plus the corresponding number of tournaments.

- PROPOSAL 14 - (Wrestling - Individual Wrestler Limits) (PASSED) - 200 FOR, 48 AGAINST

Amends By-Law 3.26.1, Individual Wrestler Limits, by excluding forfeits from being counted toward the season maximum of 50 matches prior to Districts.

- PROPOSAL 15 - (Winter Season - First Allowable Contest) (PASSED) - 351 FOR, 158 AGAINST

Amends By-Law 3.28.3 a and b, Winter Sports Season - Standardized Dates, by changing the first allowable contest date for the sports of wrestling and basketball, from a Monday to a Friday (three days earlier).

- PROPOSAL 16 - (Girls Swimming and Diving - First Allowable Practice Date and First Allowable Contest Date) (PASSED) - 96 FOR, 34 AGAINST

Amends By-Law 3.28.3.c, Winter Sports Season - Standardized Dates, by moving the first allowable practice date for Girls Swimming and Diving one week earlier (to the Monday following the Boys State Championships), and moving the first allowable contest date one week earlier and also changing it from a Monday to a Friday.

- PROPOSAL 17 - (Peer Review Committee) (PASSED) - 405 FOR, 167 AGAINST

Adds By-Law 5.3, Peer Review Committee and Membership, by adding language authorizing the Board of Directors to form a local Peer Review Committee as an option in a situation where an official complaint has been received and evidence supports that a school violation has taken place, in order to intervene and/or assist in corrective action with the offending school.

- PROPOSAL 18 - (Penalty for Ejected Coach) (PASSED) - 370 FOR, 202 AGAINST

Amends By-Law 5.5, Conduct, by requiring a coach who has been ejected from a contest to complete an approved online sportsmanship training course prior to being reinstated.

- PROPOSAL 19 - (Submitted by Petition: Four Classes for Boys and Girls Soccer) (PASSED) - 277 FOR, 235 AGAINST

Amends By-Law 5.1.4, Classifications, by excluding, the sport of soccer from the requirement of having 257 schools registered for the sport in order to qualify for four classifications, and adds a new By-Law 5.1.14 mandating four classifications for soccer despite the number of schools registered.

2014 Board of Directors Election Results

Following are the official results of the 2014 Board of Directors election as certified by the Committee appointed to canvass the ballots. The Committee to tally the Board nomination ballots was comprised of Mr. Brad Strobel, Principal, Chamois High School; Mr. Doug Mirts, Athletic Director, Hickman High School; and Dr. Kerwin Urhahn, Executive Director, MSHSAA.

Primary Election Results

| Kansas City District * | South Central District ** | Southwest District *** **** |
|------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Todd White (31) | Bill Deckelman (1) | Mark Fisher (60) |
| | Steve Guffey (1) | |
| | Jennifer Schmidt (4) | |

- * Four nominations void as the nominations were signed by the athletic director
- ** One nomination received for an athletic director who is not a CAA
- *** Two nominations received for an athletic director who is not a CAA
- **** Three nominations void as candidates withdrew names from nomination

Final Election Results

| Kansas City District * | South Central District * | Southwest District * |
|------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------|
| Todd White (41) | Bill Deckelman (5) | Mark Fisher (94) |
| | Steve Guffey (5) | |
| | Jennifer Schmidt (21) | |

- * Todd White, Superintendent, North Kansas City School District and Jennifer Schmidt, Principal, Sullivan High School were elected to serve four year terms on the Board representing the Kansas City and South Central districts respectively. Mark Fisher, Athletic Director (CAA), Springfield Public Schools was elected to fill a one year vacancy on the Board representing the Southwest District.

| Voting Breakdown on 2014 Annual Ballot by Board District | | #1 Southeast | | #2 Southwest | |
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| <i>Title</i> | | <i>(Yes)</i> | <i>(No)</i> | <i>(Yes)</i> | <i>(No)</i> |
| PROPOSAL 1: Affiliate Registered Schools –junior high students repeating a grade | | 80 | 10 | 96 | 10 |
| PROPOSAL 2: Petition Requirements | | 58 | 32 | 86 | 20 |
| PROPOSAL 3: Balloting Requirements | | 73 | 17 | 75 | 31 |
| PROPOSAL 4: Heat Acclimatization – Junior High Schools | | 42 | 13 | 62 | 5 |
| PROPOSAL 5: Citizenship Standards - Expulsion | | 83 | 7 | 99 | 7 |
| PROPOSAL 6: Undue Influence | | 68 | 22 | 84 | 22 |
| PROPOSAL 7: Coaching Requirements – Reorganization of By-Law | | 70 | 20 | 87 | 19 |
| PROPOSAL 8: Coaching Requirements – Fundamentals of Coaching Course | | 47 | 43 | 56 | 50 |
| PROPOSAL 9: Coaching Requirements – Sports First Aid / CPR / AED Requirement | | 63 | 27 | 83 | 23 |
| PROPOSAL 10: Permission for Non-School Competition During Season | | 61 | 29 | 73 | 33 |
| PROPOSAL 11-A: Allowance For Non-School Competitions During Season for Cross Country | | 72 | 18 | 84 | 22 |
| PROPOSAL 11-B: Allowance For Non-School Competitions During Season for Track and Field | | 75 | 15 | 84 | 22 |
| PROPOSAL 11-C: Allowance For Non-School Competitions During Season for Wrestling | | 61 | 29 | 73 | 33 |
| PROPOSAL 12: Football – Heat Acclimatization | | 46 | 0 | 63 | 3 |
| PROPOSAL 13: Volleyball Individual Player Limits | | 63 | 18 | 86 | 8 |
| PROPOSAL 14: Wrestling – Individual Wrestler Limits | | 24 | 2 | 33 | 2 |
| PROPOSAL 15: Winter Season – First Allowable Contest | | 61 | 17 | 70 | 24 |
| PROPOSAL 16: Girls Swimming and Diving – First Allowable Practice Date and First Allowable Contest Date | | 6 | 1 | 16 | 3 |
| PROPOSAL 17: Peer Review Committees | | 67 | 23 | 78 | 28 |
| PROPOSAL 18: Penalty for Ejected Coach | | 57 | 33 | 71 | 35 |
| PROPOSAL 19 (SUBMITTED BY PETITION): FOUR CLASSES FOR BOYS AND GIRLS SOCCER | | 44 | 34 | 54 | 41 |

Voting Percentage By Board District

| Board District | Total | Voting | % |
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| #1 Southeast | 111 | 90 | 81% |
| #2 Southwest | 141 | 106 | 75% |
| #3 Northeast | 105 | 76 | 72% |
| #4 Northwest | 76 | 58 | 76% |
| #5 Central | 93 | 73 | 78% |
| #6 South Central | 37 | 31 | 84% |
| #7 St. Louis | 104 | 85 | 82% |
| #8 Kansas City | 91 | 53 | 58% |
| | 758 | 572 | 75% |

| #3 Northeast | | #4 Northwest | | #5 Central | | #6 South Central | | #7 St. Louis | | #8 Kansas City | | Total Votes |
|-----------------|------|-----------------|------|---------------|------|---------------------|------|-----------------|------|-------------------|------|----------------|
| (Yes) | (No) | (Yes) | (No) | (Yes) | (No) | (Yes) | (No) | (Yes) | (No) | (Yes) | (No) | |
| 61 | 15 | 49 | 9 | 56 | 17 | 26 | 5 | 62 | 23 | 47 | 6 | 572 |
| 66 | 10 | 43 | 15 | 53 | 20 | 26 | 5 | 65 | 20 | 46 | 7 | 572 |
| 64 | 12 | 52 | 6 | 61 | 12 | 26 | 5 | 73 | 12 | 48 | 5 | 572 |
| 53 | 6 | 43 | 7 | 51 | 6 | 24 | 3 | 5 | 0 | 20 | 1 | 341 |
| 66 | 10 | 57 | 1 | 70 | 3 | 31 | 0 | 78 | 7 | 49 | 4 | 572 |
| 55 | 21 | 41 | 17 | 56 | 17 | 26 | 5 | 60 | 25 | 41 | 12 | 572 |
| 59 | 17 | 36 | 22 | 55 | 18 | 24 | 7 | 64 | 21 | 38 | 15 | 572 |
| 36 | 40 | 19 | 39 | 35 | 38 | 12 | 19 | 42 | 43 | 21 | 32 | 572 |
| 59 | 17 | 35 | 23 | 54 | 19 | 25 | 6 | 64 | 21 | 35 | 18 | 572 |
| 44 | 32 | 35 | 23 | 51 | 22 | 23 | 8 | 53 | 32 | 37 | 16 | 572 |
| 66 | 10 | 46 | 12 | 62 | 11 | 29 | 2 | 66 | 19 | 36 | 17 | 572 |
| 64 | 12 | 45 | 13 | 57 | 16 | 29 | 2 | 64 | 21 | 34 | 19 | 572 |
| 50 | 26 | 38 | 20 | 45 | 28 | 20 | 11 | 47 | 38 | 18 | 35 | 572 |
| 54 | 1 | 52 | 0 | 53 | 1 | 15 | 0 | 57 | 10 | 45 | 2 | 402 |
| 18 | 5 | 27 | 2 | 53 | 4 | 19 | 5 | 58 | 23 | 39 | 13 | 441 |
| 16 | 4 | 20 | 7 | 21 | 8 | 8 | 3 | 53 | 8 | 25 | 14 | 248 |
| 47 | 18 | 28 | 26 | 43 | 22 | 24 | 5 | 53 | 30 | 25 | 16 | 509 |
| 4 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 22 | 25 | 6 | 130 |
| 45 | 31 | 31 | 27 | 53 | 20 | 24 | 7 | 66 | 19 | 41 | 12 | 572 |
| 51 | 25 | 36 | 22 | 41 | 32 | 23 | 8 | 59 | 26 | 32 | 21 | 572 |
| 37 | 28 | 18 | 36 | 36 | 29 | 16 | 13 | 52 | 33 | 20 | 21 | 512 |

A Special Thanks!

As the school year draws to a close, the MSHSAA will host the last of this year's Championships. music, scholar bowl, speech & debate, boys tennis, baseball, and girls soccer will be crowning young people from all over the state. These championships could not take place without the help of numerous volunteers.

A special thanks is indeed in order to the many individuals who combined their energies, efforts and talents to conduct our interscholastic programs. On behalf of the MSHSAA Board of Directors and your MSHSAA staff, we truly appreciate your dedication to our young people and the work you do throughout the year. Through the experiences our young people encounter through participation, the skills and lessons of life are taught. Your endeavors to provide enjoyable and worthwhile experiences to our boys and girls has afforded them a valuable opportunity to apply what they are learning through their education. Thank you and enjoy the summer!

MSHSAA Summer Hours

MSHSAA summer office hours will take effect on Monday, May 26. Monday through Thursday, the office will be open from 7:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. The office will not be open to the public on Fridays during the summer. The building is open to walk-in customers during all hours of operation, Monday through Thursday.

Regular office hours of 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., all weekdays, will resume August 4.

Open Dates

Emporia High School, Emporia KS, is searching for a varsity girls basketball team to compete in a eight team tournament January 29, 30 & 31, 2015. A compensation package would be available. Please call Curtis Simons 620-341-2365 or Vickie Price for more information.

Central Panthers (Mid East Missouri Homeschool Football Assoc.) is looking for either Home or Away games on Aug. 29th or October 31st. Contact Bob Schembre at 314-807-6359

January 2014 Board of Directors Summary**Held January 29, 2014**

Approved the minutes of the MSHSAA Board of Directors meeting on December 4, 2013.

Approved the general consent items as presented

Transfer Waiver Applications (By-Law 3.10.4.i) (Duplicate school names indicates an additional transfer(s) student(s) for that school): Barat Academy, Barstow, Beaumont, Bell City, Belton, Blue Springs, Blue Springs, Calvary Lutheran, Cardinal Ritter, Caruthersville, Central (Springfield), Christian, Christian Brothers College, College Heights Christian, Confluence Prep Academy Charter, Confluence Prep Academy Charter, Confluence Prep Academy Charter, DeKalb, Dixon, Gateway, Gateway, Gateway, Gilman City, Glendale, Grain Valley, Hazelwood Central, Hazelwood East, Helias Catholic, Jennings, John F. Kennedy, Kickapoo, Kirkwood, Knob Noster, Lafayette (Wildwood), Lafayette (Wildwood), Lutheran (Kansas City), Lutheran North, Marshall, McAuley Catholic, Mehlville, Mercer, Monroe City, North County, Northeast (Kansas City), Northeast (Kansas City), Notre Dame de Sion, Notre Dame de Sion, Oak Park, Oakville, Odessa, Purdy, Ritenour, Riverview Gardens, Rock Bridge, Soldan International Studies, Soldan International Studies, Southland, Southland, Southwest Early College, St. Joseph's Academy, St. Pius X (Kansas City), Summit Christian Academy, Sunny Vale, The Fulton School at St. Albans, Transportation and Law, Trinity Catholic, Truman, Washington, Webster Groves, West Middle, and Winnetonka.

Transfer Hardship Applications (By-Law 3.10.4.h) (Duplicate school names indicates an additional transfer(s) student(s) for that school): Battle, Battle, Battle, Battle, Battle, Belton, Benton, Bevier, Bode, Bowling Green, Brentwood, Cardinal Ritter, Central (Springfield), Central Academy, Chadwick, Crest Ridge, East Carter, Francis Howell, Francis Howell Central, Francis Howell Central, Francis Howell Central, Francis Howell North, Ft. Zumwalt North, Ft. Zumwalt West, Ft. Zumwalt West, Ft. Zumwalt West, Glasgow, Glendale, Greenfield, Hallsville, Harrisburg, Hazelwood Central, Hazelwood West, Herculaneum, Hickman, Hillsboro, Hogan Prep Academy Charter, Hurley, Jackson, John F. Kennedy, Ladue Horton Watkins, Lafayette County Junior, Lebanon, Lesterville, Lesterville, Liberty, Liberty North, Lone Jack, Malta Bend, Maplewood-Richmond Hts., Marquette, Marshall, McAuley Catholic, McCluer North, Moberly, Niangua, Nixa, Nixa, Nixa, North Callaway, North Technical, North Technical, North Technical, Northeast (Kansas City), Norwood, Notre Dame (St. Louis), Notre Dame (St. Louis), Novinger, Novinger, Novinger, Oak Park, O'Hara,

Osceola, Otterville, Park Hill, Parkway North, Plattsburg, Potosi, Putnam County, Raymore-Peculiar, Raytown, Raytown South, Reeds Spring, Rock Bridge, Ruskin, Sacred Heart, Sikeston, South Iron, St. Charles West, St. Teresa's Academy, Sturgeon, Summit Christian Academy, Summit Christian Academy, Tipton, Trinity Catholic, Van-Far, Vashon, Vashon, Warrensburg, Waynesville, Waynesville, Wellington-Napoleon, West Middle (57 transfers), West Plains, and Whitfield.

Self-Reported Violations and/or Requests for Lesser Penalties (By-Law 5.4):

Recommend action by school be accepted with reprimand issued and administration acknowledged for self-reporting - East Prairie - Self-reported a violation of By-laws 3.9 and 3.10 by allowing an athlete to play in contests before the appropriate number of practices had been completed, the school was out of session due to inclement weather and the number of practices the athlete participated in were miscalculated, school putting procedures in place to avoid a violation of this nature in the future, no forfeitures required; Lindbergh - Self-reported a violation of By-Law 2.3.2 by allowing a senior athlete to drop a class making him academically ineligible, the student has been enrolled in the proper amount of credits and his eligibility is to be reinstated, no forfeitures are required; Maysville - Self-reported a violation of By-Law 2.3.2 by allowing an academically ineligible student to compete in three JV cross country meets, upon detection of the violation the student was removed from the team, the three contests in which the student participated are to be forfeited, the student is granted a lesser penalty in which his eligibility will be reinstated following gaining academic eligibility he is to be withheld from three contests; Miller Career Academy - Self-reported violations of By-Laws 3.4 and 3.1 by the tennis program operating as a club status when in fact they were a MSHSAA registered team, rosters and schedules were not completed, the school is to forfeit all contests for the girls tennis season, procedures are being put in place to avoid a violation of this nature in the future; Northwest (Cedar Hill) - Self-Reported a violation of By-Law 2.3 by allowing a soccer athlete to drop a class making him academically ineligible, error detected when winter sport check was made, student in credit recovery to be completed by the end of 1st semester, granted lesser penalty and no forfeits required; Novinger - Self-reported a violation of By-Law 3.10.4 by the school filing a Standard Transfer on a student when a Hardship Transfer was required, upon detection of the error the correct paperwork was completed, the student was fully eligible, no forfeitures are required; Park Hill - Self-reported a violation of NFHS Wrestling Rule, school participated in an out-of-state wrestling tournament in which a weigh-in occurred the night before the match,

coach indicated Missouri could not weigh-in the night before, due to inclement weather the director indicated he had permission from the National Federation to do so, no forfeitures required; Putnam County - Self-reported a violation of By-Law 3.10.4 by a student who was a long-time student of the school left your school and attended another school for two days, upon returning to your school the proper transfer paperwork was not completed, upon detection of the violation the paperwork was completed for the school, student fully eligible, no forfeitures required; Ritenour - Self-reported a violation of By-Laws 2.3 and 4.1.6 by allowing an academically ineligible student to march in a parade representing the school, upon detection of the violation the school forfeited the trophy won in the competition, school is putting procedures in place to avoid a similar violation in the future; Scotland County - Self-reported a violation of By-Law 3.21.1 by allowing an athlete to exceed the number of quarters allowed on a single playing date, opposing school was notified of the violation, due to loss of contest no forfeiture made, athlete restricted to five quarters of play on the next playing date; West Plains - Self-reported a violation of By-law 3.10.4 by allowing a student to participate in basketball before transfer information filed on the student, the athlete was a previous student of the school and when she returned to the school did not participate in any fall sports, school has filed appropriate transfer, school to put procedures in place to avoid a similar violation, no forfeitures required.

Recommend action by school be accepted and administration acknowledged for self-reporting with no further action - Normandy - Self-reported a violation of By-Law 3.8.1 by the head basketball coach conducting practices without some of the team members physical forms on file, head coach suspended for seven games, athletes to have their eligibility reinstated after the physical requirements have been met, no forfeitures are required.

Application for approval of Senior High School Cooperative Sponsorships (By-Law 1.4.1): Hale and Bosworth high schools - Baseball, Boys and Girls Basketball, Girls Softball, and Boys and Girls Track (2014-15 & 2015-16); Miller and Everton high schools - 11-Man Football (2014-15 & 2015-16).

Application for approval of Junior High School Cooperative Sponsorships (By-Law 1.4.2): Miller and Everton junior highs (3rd school approved earlier is Avilla) - 11-Man Football (2014-15).

Urhahn and Schroeder reported on two committee recommendations from the December 3, 2013 meeting of the Public/Nonpublic Advisory Committee as well as two recommendations from the January 23, 2014 meeting of that committee: December 3, 2013

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-- 1) Recommended the proposal from the Advertising sub-committee, shown below, be taken forward to other committees and groups for feedback and discussion; 2) Recommended a proposal for the Board to go to the Area Meetings in January and on the Annual Questionnaire that would do the following: (a) Alter the non-public school attendance boundary requirement, which is currently an area not to exceed a 25 mile radius measured from the school principal's office, and to instead utilize the public high school's boundaries in which the non-public school sits as its attendance boundary in order to define "resident" students and "non-resident" students. (b) Remove the current non-public/charter school multiplier of 1.35 for official enrollment calculations and replace it with a multiplier for all member schools based on resident students (no multiplier) and non-resident students (a multiplier to be determined based on data gathered, such as 1.4 to 1.8) in order to calculate official school enrollment for classification purposes. (c) Amend the current transfer exception (Exception #2) regarding transfers at the time of promotion to include a limitation which would limit eligibility for freshmen who are BOTH "non-residents" of the school AND who are changing educational systems (going from public to non-public or vice versa). The freshmen restriction will be determined based on feedback: 1 year or 2 years; full ineligibility or restricted ineligibility. January 23, 2014 -- 1) By consensus, the committee recommended the following series of questions for the Annual Questionnaire to the Board of Directors: (a) Questionnaire Topic 1: A series of questions in regard to the perceived "effectiveness" of the current multiplier in the eyes of the membership. (b) Questionnaire Topic 2: A series of questions in regard to the possible use of an enrollment "subtractor" -- affecting enrollment by the number of students on free and reduced lunch accounts, special needs students, differences in socio-economic percentages, etc. (c) Questionnaire Topic 3: A series of questions in regard to the use of a "Championship Factor" and sustained success. (d) Questionnaire Topic 4: A series of questions in regard to the use of a "Peer Review" process to deal with Undue Influence. (e). Questionnaire Topic 5: A series of questions in regard to strengthening the definition of undue influence to include "the attempt to influence" as a violation, regardless of whether the student transfers. (f) Questionnaire Topic 6: A series of questions in regard to boundary options for non-public schools: current 25 mile radius, smaller, proposed change (public school's), etc. 2) Questionnaire Topic 6: (Not by consensus) Recommended a series of questions for the Annual Questionnaire in regard to modifying the promotion exception within the transfer standards, as per the committee's original proposal. The length of restricted eligibility (one

year versus two years) should be included.

NOTE: Action to be taken by the MSHSAA Board regarding the Public/Nonpublic Advisory Committee recommendations will be made with the discussion for the Annual Questionnaire items later in the meeting.

Urhahn reported to the Board on a self-reported school violation involving Rock Bridge High School. Urhahn noted he would like to get a copy of the school's investigation once it is completed.

NOTE: Action will be taken by the MSHSAA Board on Rock Bridge High School's reported violation following receipt of the school's self-investigation report is received.

Urhahn discussed with the Board information he has gathered on the NFHS national network. While MSHSAA content will be shown on the network portal, the Association will not be an official member of the network. No action was taken.

Approved the 2013 November and December financial statements as presented.

The Board received the minutes from the Constitution Study Committee, Cross Country Advisory Committee, Football Advisory Committee and the Middle-Level Advisory Committee. Those committees did not make any recommendations for the Board to take action on.

Garner reported to the Board on six recommendations from the Soccer Advisory Committee: 1) Recommend to the Officials Advisory Committee that they remind officials to provide their name, official ID number and field position to both schools prior to each game; 2) Recommend to increase field requirements to a minimum of 62 yards by 110 yards for all sectional and quarterfinal games. If the host school does not have a field with the minimum dimensions and is unable to obtain a suitable field with the required dimensions at no cost to MSHSAA, the opposing school will have the opportunity to host. If both schools mutually agree to play on a smaller field they may do so; 3) Recommend that an option is added to the electronic officials rating system for soccer to allow a coach to differentiate between a center and an AR position. AMENDED: Send recommendation to the Officials Advisory and look at cost of changing website; 4) Recommend that the coach also receives an e-mail notification for yellow/red cards issued in addition to the AD. The AD is still required to respond, but the coach gets notification also; 5) Recommend to allow soccer preseason scrimmages to take place between Friday of week #6 and Thursday of week #7 for boys and between Friday of week #35 and Thursday of week #36 for girls; 6) Recommend to publish each school's total number of yellow/red cards issued for each season in the Journal, and look at ways to recognize schools in the future with a low card count. Perhaps in the future send

this idea to the Sportsmanship Committee to create ways to promote and reward fair play in soccer. AMENDED: A summary of all sports unsportsmanlike reports will be sent to each school's principal and athletic director.

Approved recommendations 1, 4, 5 and 6 (as amended); tabled recommendations 2 and 3. Motion passed 9-1.

Richards reported to the Board on three recommendations from the Sports Medicine Advisory Committee: 1) Recommend that all coaches must be certified in First Aid and CPR/AED; 2) Recommend that the 2012-13 Interscholastic Youth Sports Brain Injury Report be approved as written; 3) Recommend that the Lamar High School basketball play be allowed to use the prosthetic blade as long as it is padded and secured to where there is no risk to him or other athletes.

Approved all three recommendations from the Sports Medicine Advisory Committee.

Certified receipt of 61 Soccer Classification Petitions and 38 Separate Championships Petition.

Verified the enrollment figures as presented for the 2014-15 and 2015-16 enrollment cycle.

Determined to release football and basketball classifications at the April Board Meeting.

Urhahn reported to the Board regarding the attendance and comments from the Area Meetings conducted across the state in January. No action taken.

Resolved to move the date of the spring softball championships one week later, thereby making the spring season longer and comparable to the length of the fall softball season.

Approved the state track schedule for five classes which will have Class 1 and 2 schools on the first state track weekend and Classes 3, 4, and 5 on the second state track weekend.

Urhahn and Schroeder presented to the Board a draft 2014 Annual Questionnaire for review.

Resolved to add a question to Topic 12 asking if a regional percentage needed to be added to the required signatures on petitions circulated.

Accepted the Annual Questionnaire for distribution with the addition of the approved wording on Topic 12.

Denied relief of By-Law 5.1.5 (Multiplier) to Lift for Life Academy Charter High School. After careful consideration of the Executive Director's opinion and all documentation provided by the member school, resolved to uphold the Executive Director's opinion and adopts this opinion and all reasons contained therein as the official interpretation of the Board with respect to By-Law 5.1.5 and its application to Lift for Life Academy Charter High School.

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Held March 12, 2014

Amended the agenda moving the ballot item (#9) on the agenda to item #1 for time purposes.

Approved the minutes of the January 29, 2014 MSHSAA Board of Directors meeting and the general consent items as presented.

General Consent Items:

Transfer Waiver Applications (By-Law 3.10.4.i) (Duplicate school names indicates an additional transfer(s) student(s) for that school): Advance, Barstow, Billings, Branson, Canton, Caruthersville, Central (Cape Girardeau), Central (New Madrid County), Central (St. Joseph), Christian, College Heights Christian, Cor Jesu Academy, East (Kansas City), Father Tolton Regional Catholic, Galena, Gateway, Grandview (Hillsboro), Hazelwood East, Helias Catholic, Houston, John F. Kennedy, Liberty (Wentzville), Licking, Lutheran (Kansas City), Meadville, Miller Career Academy, Northeast (Kansas City), Oran, Seckman, Soldan International Studies, St. Pius X (Festus), Thomas Jefferson, Transportation and Law, Transportation and Law, Villa Duchesne, Washington, Westminster Christian Academy, Wheatland, Winfield, Winfield, Winfield, and Winfield.

Transfer Hardship Applications (By-Law 3.10.4.h) (Duplicate school names indicates an additional transfer(s) student(s) for that school): Benton, Blue Springs, Bowling Green, Brunswick, Cassville, Christian, Crossroads College Preparatory, Dixon, Eminence, Ft. Zumwalt West, Glendale, Glendale, Hazelwood Central, Hazelwood East, Hickman, Hogan Prep Academy Charter, Hogan Prep Academy Charter, Hogan Prep Academy Charter, Kelly, Maplewood-Richmond Hts., Mound City, Nixa, North Kansas City, North Technical, North Technical, North Technical, Osceola, Parkview, Parkway Central, Ritenour, Sheldon, Sheldon, Sikeston, Sikeston, Smith-Cotton, Spokane, St. Charles, St. Charles West, St. Dominic, St. Mary's (St. Louis), St. Mary's (St. Louis), St. Paul Lutheran, Steelville, Stewartsville, Timberland, Trinity Catholic, Trinity Catholic, Troy Buchanan, Truman, Wellington-Napoleon, Wellsville, West Middle, West Middle, West Plains, West Plains, and West Plains.

Self-Reported Violations and/or Requests for Lesser Penalties (By-Law 5.4):

Recommend action by school be accepted with reprimand issued and administration acknowledged for self-reporting - Carl Junction - Self-reported a violation of By-Law 2.3.2 by allowing an academically ineligible student to compete in four speech and debate competitions, ineligible student removed from the team upon detection of the violation and the contests forfeited and awards

earned returned, school putting procedures in place to avoid a violation of this nature in the future; Chaminade - Self-reported a violation of By-Law 3.14.2 by an assistant football coach who also coaches a non-school team which had two of the school's athletes on the team, upon detection of the violation the coach has resigned his school coaching position and the school will refrain from hiring him in the future, no forfeitures are required, the students' eligibility is to be reinstated; Confluence Prep Academy Charter - Self-reported a violation of By-law 2.2.3 by allowing eight athletes to participate in basketball contests on a dates when they had unexcused absences, contests involving ineligible athletes to be forfeited, school putting procedures in place to avoid similar violations in the future; Francis Howell North - Self-reported a violation of By-Law 4.1.6 by omitting a fully eligible student from the speech and debate eligibility roster, upon detection of the error the student was added to the roster, school putting procedures in place to avoid a violation of this nature in the future, no forfeitures required; Grandview - Self-reported a violation of By-Law 3.10.6 by allowing a basketball athlete with restricted (JV) status to play a minute in two varsity contests with other JV players, upon detection of the violation the coach reported the incident to the AD, head coach with be withheld from two contests as a result of the violation, no forfeitures required; Jefferson City - Self-reported a violation of By-Law 2.3.2 by allowing an academically ineligible student to participate in a basketball contest, the contest is to be forfeited and the student ineligible for second semester competition; John Burroughs - Self-reported a violation of By-Law 3.14.2 by a school tennis coach having contact with school players at a non-school racquet club clinic, students withdrawn from clinic, school educating coaches, students and parents regarding eligibility requirements, no forfeitures required, students' eligibility to be reinstated; Liberty (Wentzville) - Self-reported a violation of By-Law 3.4 by omitting a student from the wrestling eligibility roster, student fully eligible, upon detection the student was added to the roster, no forfeitures required; Miller Career Academy - Self-reported violations of By-Laws 3.4 and 3.28.2 by treating the girls tennis program as a club sport instead of an interscholastic sport, all contests have been forfeited and procedures put in place to avoid a violation of this nature in the future; Missouri Military Academy - Self-reported a violation of By-Laws 3.4.1, 3.4.3, and 3.10.6 by allowing a transfer student to compete in wrestling before receiving the transfer information from the sending school and completing the transfer information for him, upon detection of

the violation the transfer was completed, the matches involving the ineligible athlete are being forfeited and procedures being put in place to avoid a violation of this nature in the future; Newburg - Self-reported a violation of By-Law 3.21.3 in which your coach scheduled two tournaments in the same week, the coach was counseled and suspended for three games, athletes to have their eligibility reinstated; Pleasant Hill - Self-reported a violation of By-Law 3.4 by omitting two basketball players from the district tournament roster, both students fully eligible, procedures put in place by the school to avoid a violation of this nature in the future, no forfeitures are required; Raymore-Peculiar - Self-reported a violation of By-law 3.14.2 by two softball coaches exceeded the 25 day contact period in the summer, the contact period will be reduced to 15 days for the next two years, the head coach will serve a suspension period from August 23 through August 30, no forfeitures required, students' eligibility is to be reinstated; Salisbury - Self-reported violations of By-Laws 3.16.1 and 3.16.2 by holding an open gym where minimal instruction was given to baseball athletes, upon detection of the violation all instruction was stopped, coaches and athletic director received instruction on conditioning and open gyms to avoid a violation of this nature in the future, no forfeitures required, students to have eligibility reinstated; Springfield Catholic - Self-reported a violation of By-Law 3.4 by omitting a student from the district basketball roster, student fully eligible and listed on the regular season basketball roster, school putting procedures in place to avoid a violation of this nature in the future; Transportation and Law - Self-reported a violation of By-Law 3.4 by allowing a student to participate in a basketball contest without being on the eligibility roster, student fully eligible, student added to roster upon detection of the violation, school putting procedures in place to avoid a similar violation in the future, no forfeitures required; Transportation and Law - Self-reported a violation of By-law 3.1.5 by allowing a school volunteer worker to sit on the team bench who then gave instructions to student athletes, the individual was informed that he is not to give athletes any instruction to the students on the court at any time, procedures have been in place to avoid a violation of this nature in the future, no forfeitures required; Truman - Self-reported a violation of By-Law 3.10.6 by allowing a former student of the school to compete in basketball without having the hardship transfer completed, upon detection of the violation the transfer was completed, school putting procedures in place to avoid a violation of this nature in the future, no forfeitures required.

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Recommend action by school be accepted and administration acknowledged for self-reporting with no further action

- Cardinal Ritter - Self-reported a violation of By-Law 5.5.1 by a basketball athlete who was issued two technical fouls in a game, Special Report of the incident indicated student was ejected from contest, coaching staff was not aware that was the ruling until receipt of special report, lesser penalty is being granted due to Hardship Provision of misunderstanding the Special Report, no forfeitures required, student to become eligible following a one-game suspension;
- Lawson - Self-reported a violation of By-Laws 2.2.2 and 2.2.4 by a basketball athlete charged in two separate incidents for possession of marijuana and minor in possession of alcohol, student did not inform the school of the arrests, upon detection of the violations the student was suspended for 365 days, school putting procedures in place to improve efficiency in maintaining conduct records of student participants, no forfeitures are required due to the student not informing the school of the violations;
- Marceline - Self-reported a violation of By-Law 3.4 by omitting a fully eligible student from the boys basketball roster, upon detection the student was added to the roster, no forfeitures required;
- Stanberry - Self-reported a violation of By-Law 2.2.3 by a basketball athlete involved in a citizenship issue that resulted in charges being filed, student failed to report incident and played in three contests, upon detection of the violation the student was removed from the team and counseled, the student may have eligibility reinstated after all conditions of the court are met and he sits out three contests, no forfeitures required;
- Westminster Christian - Self-reported a violation of By-Law 3.13.2 by a basketball athlete who competed in a non-school competition during the school season, student being with-

held from one contest and procedures being put in place to avoid a violation of this nature in the future, no forfeitures required and student's eligibility to be reinstated following the one game suspension.

Application for approval of Senior High School Cooperative Sponsorships (By-Law 1.4.1) - School listed first is the host school: College Heights Christian and McAuley Catholic high schools - Boys Soccer, Girls Softball and Girls Tennis (2014-15 and 2015-16); La Monte and Northwest (Hughesville) high schools - Boys Soccer (2014-15 and 2015-16); Liberty (Mountain View) and Willow Springs high schools - Girls Soccer (2014-15 and 2015-16); Lone Jack and Kingsville high schools - Boys and Girls Track (2013-14); Lutheran (St. Peters) and Christian high schools - Girls Golf and Boys and Girls Swimming (2014-15 and 2015-16); McAuley Catholic and College Heights Christian high schools - Girls Soccer (2014-15 and 2015-16); Mid-Buchanan and North Platte high schools - Wrestling (2014-15 and 2015-16); Pattonsburg and North Daviess high schools - Boys and Girls Basketball and Girls Softball (2014-15 and 2015-16).

Application for approval of Junior High School Cooperative Sponsorships (By-Law 1.4.2) - School listed first is the host school: Adrian and Ballard junior highs - Boys and Girls Track (2013-14 and 2014-15); Anderson, Noel, Pineville, Rocky Comfort, Southwest City, and White Rock junior highs - Baseball, Boys and Girls Basketball, Boys and Girls Cross Country, 11-Man Football, Boys and Girls Track, Girls Volleyball, and Wrestling (2014-15); Arcadia Valley and Bellevue junior highs - Boys and Girls Cross Country (2014-15); Bevier and Callao junior highs - Boys and Girls Basketball, Scholar Bowl and Boys and Girls Track (2014-15); Bunceton and Zion Lutheran junior highs - Boys and Girls Basketball (2014-15);

Campbell and St. Teresa (Campbell) junior highs - Boys Basketball and Girls Volleyball (2014-15); Cassville and Shell Knob junior highs - 11-Man Football (2014-15); Chillicothe and Bishop Hogan Memorial junior highs - 11-Man Football, Boys and Girls Track and Wrestling (2014-15); Cole Camp and Luther School Association junior highs - 11-Man Football, Boys Soccer and Boys and Girls Track (2014-15); College Heights Christian and Martin Luther junior highs - Boys and Girls Basketball, Boys and Girls Track and Girls Volleyball (2014-15); DeSoto, Sunrise and Kingston junior highs - Boys and Girls Cross Country, 11-Man Football, and Boys and Girls Track (2014-15); Discovery and Liberty junior highs - Boys and Girls Basketball, Cheerleading, Boys and Girls Cross Country, 11-Man Football, Boys and Girls Track, Girls Volleyball and Wrestling (2014-15); Eldon and High Point junior highs - 11-Man Football (2014-15); Glasgow and St. Mary's (Glasgow) - Music (2014-15); Granby and Triway junior highs - Boys and Girls Basketball, Boys and Girls Cross Country, 11-Man Football, Boys and Girls Track and Girls Volleyball (2014-15); Grandview and Martin City junior highs - Boys and Girls Basketball, Cheerleading, Boys and Girls Cross Country, 11-Man Football, Music, Boys and Girls Track, Girls Volleyball and Wrestling (2014-14); Hannibal, Holy Family and St. John's Lutheran junior highs - Boys and Girls Basketball, Cheerleading, Boys and Girls Cross Country, 11-Man Football, Girls Softball, Boys and Girls Track, Girls Volleyball and Wrestling (2014-15); Kelly, St. Denis and Kelso junior highs - Boys Basketball (Kelly and Kelso only), Boys and Girls Cross Country, 11-Man Football, and Boys and Girls Track (2014-15); Kirksville and Mary Immaculate junior highs - 11-Man Football, Scholar Bowl, Girls Softball, Boys and Girls Track, Girls Volleyball, and Wrestling (2014-15); La Monte and Northwest (Hughesville) junior highs - Boys Soccer (2014-15) Laura Speed Elliott and Saints Peter & Paul junior highs - 11-Man Football, Boys and Girls Track, Girls Volleyball and Wrestling (2014-15); Liberal and Bronaugh junior highs - 11-Man Football (2014-15); Lockwood, Golden City and Immanuel Lutheran junior highs - 11-Man Football (2014-15); Lockwood and Immanuel Lutheran junior highs - Boys and Girls Basketball, Cheerleading, Scholar Bowl, Boys and Girls Track and Girls Volleyball (2014-15); Macon and Immaculate Conception junior highs - Boys and Girls Basketball, Cheerleading, 11-Man Football, Music, Girls Softball and Boys and Girls Track (2014-15); Mound City and Craig junior highs - Boys and Girls Basketball, Cheerleading, 8-Man


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Football (also with Nodaway-Holt Jr.), Boys and Girls Track and Girls Volleyball (2014-15); Osceola and Roscoe junior highs - Boys and Girls Basketball, 11-Man Football, Boys and Girls Track and Girls Volleyball (2014-15); Pattonsburg and North Daviess junior highs - Boys and Girls Basketball (2014-15); Pattonsburg, North Daviess and Gilman City junior highs - 8-Man Football and Girls Softball (2014-15); Polo and Braymer junior highs - 11-Man Football (2014-15); Princeton and Mercer junior highs - 11-Man Football and Girls Softball (2014-15); Rich Hill and Hume junior highs - 11-Man Football (2014-15); Rolla and St. Patrick's Catholic junior highs - Boys and Girls Basketball, Boys and Girls Cross Country, 11-Man Football, Boys and Girls Track, and Girls Volleyball (2014-15); St. Peters (McAuley) and College Heights junior highs - 11-Man Football (2014-15); Salem, Dent-Phelps, Green Forest, North Wood and Oak Hill junior highs - 11-Man Football and Boys and Girls Track; Salisbury and St. Joseph Catholic (Salisbury) junior highs - 11-Man Football and Girls Softball (2014-15); Seneca and Westview junior highs - Boys and Girls Cross Country, 11-Man Football, Boys and Girls Track, Girls Volleyball and Wrestling (2014-15); Silx and St. Alphonsus junior highs - Boys and Girls Basketball, Boys and Girls Cross Country, and Girls Softball (2014-15); Tipton and St. Andrew's Catholic junior highs - 11-Man Football (2014-15); Van-Far and Community junior highs - 11-Man Football (2014-15);

West Plains and Glenwood, Fairview, Junction Hill, Richards, and Howell Valley junior highs - 11-Man Football (2014-15).

Approved the Annual Ballot items as presented with a strikethrough on "consecutive" on the football proposal.

Approved the MSHSAA Financial Statements as presented.

Three recommendations were presented to the Board from the Athletic Directors Advisory Committee: The recommended 1) Recommended playing the basketball Class 4 Sectional games on Tuesday and Class 5 games on Wednesday of Week 36 of the Standardized Calendar; 2) Recommended adding language to the MSHSAA By-Laws stating that ejections may not be appealed. Amended: Refer this topic to the Area Meetings; 3) Went on record that no additional games be added to the current limitations for junior high sports programs.

Approved all three recommendations from the Athletic Directors Advisory Committee.

Urhahn informed the Board that the Liaison Committee did not have any recommendations for the Board. The Minutes of the Liaison Committee meeting were provided to the Board for review. No action taken.

Richards discussed with the Board the possibility of having a quadrant rotation similar to the 8-man and Class 6 rotation for all classes of football.

Resolved to begin semifinal rotation for all classes of 11-Man football and 8-Man

football, with the rotation matching the current 11-Man Football Class 6 rotation.

Accepted Marshall High School's response to a reported violation and take no further action against the school.

Resolved to add language to MSHSAA regulations stating if a person has been convicted of a felony, that person cannot be a registered MSHSAA official.

Urhahn presented a request from the Mineral Area Activities Association to expand the middle school basketball season by four games.

Determined to take the topic of expanded basketball season at the middle school level to the Basketball Advisory Committee for a recommendation.

Certified the questionnaire results as presented.

Motion Beem, second Hill, to enter into closed session for matters of hiring, firing, disciplining or promotion of MSHSAA employees where personal information about an employee may be discussed or recorded. Section 610.021(3) R.S.Mo. Motion passed 8-0 on a roll call vote with members Sulser, Beem, Brown, Eaton, Fisher, Hill, Keel, and Schmidt voting yes.

Motion Keel, second Hill, to exit closed session. Motion passed 9-0 on a roll call vote with members Sulser, Beem, Brown, Eaton, Fisher, Hill, Keel, Kinder and Schmidt voting yes.

There was no action reported out of closed session.

The meeting was adjourned.

Future Board of Directors & Appeals Meeting Dates

The following dates have been set for meetings of the MSHSAA Board of Directors and Appeals Committee for the 2014-2015 school year: School administrators and coaches are reminded of how important it is to have your transfer forms and supporting documentation supplied to the MSHSAA office a minimum of two weeks before the Appeals Committee meeting.

Board of Directors

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| September 17-18, 2014 | MSHSAA office, Columbia (Wed.-Thu. of Week 11) | All meetings shall begin at 8:30 a.m. with the exception of April 10, 2014 meeting which shall begin at 1:00 p.m. |
| December 3-4, 2014 | MSHSAA office, Columbia (Wed.-Thu. of Week 22) | |
| January 28-29, 2015 | MSHSAA office, Columbia (Wed.-Thu. of Week 30) | |
| March 11-12, 2015 | MSHSAA office, Columbia (Wed.-Thu. of Week 36) | |
| April 10-11, 2015 | Tan-Tar-A, Osage Beach (Fri.-Sat. of Week 39) | |
| June 17, 2015 | MSHSAA office, Columbia (Wed. of Week 50) | |

Appeals Committee

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| August 20, 2014 | MSHSAA office, Columbia (Wed. of Week 7) | All meetings begin at 8:30 a.m. |
| September 10-11, 2014 | MSHSAA office, Columbia (Wed.-Thurs. of Week 10) | |
| November 18-19, 2014 | MSHSAA office, Columbia (Tue.-Wed. of Week 20) | |
| March 17-18, 2015 | MSHSAA office, Columbia (Tue.-Wed. of Week 37) | |

Anyone attending a meeting in the MSHSAA office who requires auxiliary aids or services should request such services by contacting the executive director of the MSHSAA, telephone (573) 875-4880, no later than 48 hours before the meeting.

Hearings of student eligibility shall be closed as matters involving the eligibility status of students where personally identifiable private information from a student's educational record will be reviewed or discussed. Section 610.021(6 and/or 14) R.S.Mo.; 20 U.S.C. 1232g(b); 34 C.F.R. 99.1 et seq. All other portions of all meetings are open.

For more details on the sites and times of the meetings, contact the MSHSAA office or MSHSAA web site at www.mshsaa.org.

Swimming & Diving Advisory Committee Meeting Summary

Held March 4, 2014

1. Recommended to remove letter e of the Procedures for Calculation of Qualifying Standards, which was added in 2011 and which indicated that relay qualifying standards should be determined in an effort to require four participants who are approaching the individual qualifying standard in the corresponding event.

2. Recommended one state qualifying standard change for next year: Boys 100 Freestyle – 50.49.

3. Recommended that MSHSAA utilize eDive for online electronic submittal of diving lists to be performed at state (11-Dive Sheets), to be due the Wednesday prior to the state meet.

* Denied

** Tabled

*** Approved as Amended

All Others Approved



Cross Country Advisory Committee Meeting Summary

Held November 21, 2013

There were no recommendations from the meeting.

Football Advisory Committee Meeting Summary

Held December 12, 2013

There were no recommendations from the committee meeting.

Wrestling Advisory Committee Summary

Held March 10, 2014

1. Recommend to Sports Medicine Advisory Committee to change weight certification protocol for a 2 year review to allow:

At any point during the season a wrestler weighs in at or competes two weight classes above the minimum weight class appearing on his/her weight loss plan, the wrestler is recertified for the next weight class higher.

2. Recommend to add to Section 4-C-5-a: Any wrestler entered at a weight class during the district seeding meeting is eligible only at that weight class.

3. Recommend all district seeding meetings are held on Thursday of the district tournament week/weekend.

4. Recommend to add and eliminate to the depth of seeding, page 26, as follows:

Coaches shall vote at the beginning of each weight class to determine the number of seeds for that weight class, ~~coaches may also vote to limit the number of seeds in a particular weight class to less than four, if they feel the~~

~~remaining wrestlers nominated for a seed are not deserving of a seed.~~

5. Recommend to add to Appendix B, B-4-d and C-4 the following:

A coaches vote shall only break the tie for one seed, once the coaches vote breaks a tie or multiple way tie for that one seed position, the remaining wrestlers shall be then compared again for determining the next seed.

6. Recommend to change Section 4-C-4(a) to read as follows:

Once the entries at a weight class have been revealed, the entries at that weight class may not be changed to another weight class unless in the case of a weight certification protest determining a wrestler not eligible for that weight class.

*7. Recommend to survey member schools for the addition of a dual state championships with a majority response in favor resulting in a formation of a dual state championships committee being formed to research qualifying criteria, venues, expense versus

revenues, etc.

8. Based on the history of issues with banners at the State Wrestling Championships and disrespect to the arena staff, the Wrestling Advisory Committee supports the arena in prohibiting the hanging of banners at the State Wrestling Championships.

9. Recommend that officials have a photo ID on their website page so that coaches can clearly identify an official they have had at a contest, in return making the ratings process more valid.

* Denied

** Table for further study

*** Approved as amended

All others approved

Guidelines to Submit Literature to the MSHSAA Prescribed Graded Music List

The guidelines for submitting literature for consideration to be placed on the MSHSAA PGML are provided below. All areas of the list are now accepting literature for consideration for 2015.

If you have a selection that you feel has been timed incorrectly please submit the selection using the steps outlined below to our office for review. Please contact the MSHSAA Office if you have additional questions.

Materials must arrive at MSHSAA on or before June 1st

New Music: To submit new literature for consideration to be placed on the MSHSAA PGML please follow the steps below. Please review the matrixes for each area of the list prior to submitting literature. Each matrix is located on the MSHSAA website under the Music Activities link.

- Print and complete the specific 'Literature Addition Request Form' for each title you are submitting for consideration. Each form is located on the MSHSAA website. The forms have been specifically designed for each area of the list. Please be sure to select the appropriate request form for your selection(s).
- Attach a **photocopy** (Do **not** send ORIGINALS) of the score with the '**Literature Addition Request Form**' and mail to the MSHSAA Office on or before **June 1st**. For solos, include a copy of the soloist part with **each measure numbered**. For ensembles, all parts shall appear on the score and **each measure should be numbered**. **Do NOT send originals!** All photocopies will be destroyed after the review.
- A completed '**Literature Addition Request Form**' must accompany **each** title being submitted for review. Any music

submitted without a completed '**Literature Addition Request Form**' **will not** be reviewed and the music will be returned to the sender.

Music Submitted for Timing Considerations Only: To submit literature currently appearing on the MSHSAA PGML for timing considerations only please use the steps below.

- Print and complete a '**Timing Clarification**' form located on the MSHSAA website for each selection submitted with timing concerns.
- Attach a photocopy of the score (ensembles only) or soloist's part with the timing clarification form and mail to the MSHSAA Office on or before **June 1st**. For solos and ensembles please **number each measure of the work**. **Do NOT send originals.** All photocopies will be destroyed after the review.
- A '**Timing Clarification**' form must accompany each title being submitted for review.

The individual school directors play a major role in the development and maintenance of the list. Please do **not** submit literature just because the music is in your library rather; submit quality literature that is **not** currently listed. Please consider sharing this information with studio or private music instructors as well. Be certain to submit your music **before June 1st**. **Music received after June 1st will not be reviewed for consideration for the 2015 music festivals.**

2014 One-Day Cheer Clinics

The MSHSAA One-Day Cheer Clinics schedule is listed below. The Registration Brochure for the clinics can be found on the MSHSAA website under the "Spirit" tab. Pre-registration is \$25 per participant and must be **post-marked by May 9th**. All registrations postmarked **after** May 9 will be \$30. MSHSAA will invoice each school so you do not have to submit payment at the time of pre-registration. Walk-in registrations shall be invoiced to the school at \$30 per participant. **No payments** will be accepted at the clinic site as schools will be billed directly by MSHSAA. Please submit your registration form directly to MSHSAA. The program format will feature two coaches' sessions. The first session is the coach's round table discussion. Topic(s) will be determined based upon information provided on

the registration form. The second session will be "Cheerleading Sports Medicine" conducted by an athletic trainer. This year's session will cover "Developing an Emergency Action Plan". There is no charge to coaches who only come to attend the two clinic sessions.

Monday, June 16

Smith-Cotton High School, Sedalia
Central High School, Cape Girardeau

Tuesday, June 17

Kirkville High School, Kirkville
St. Charles High School, St. Charles

Wednesday, June 18

Bishop LeBlond High School, St. Joseph
Waynesville High School, Waynesville

Thursday, June 19

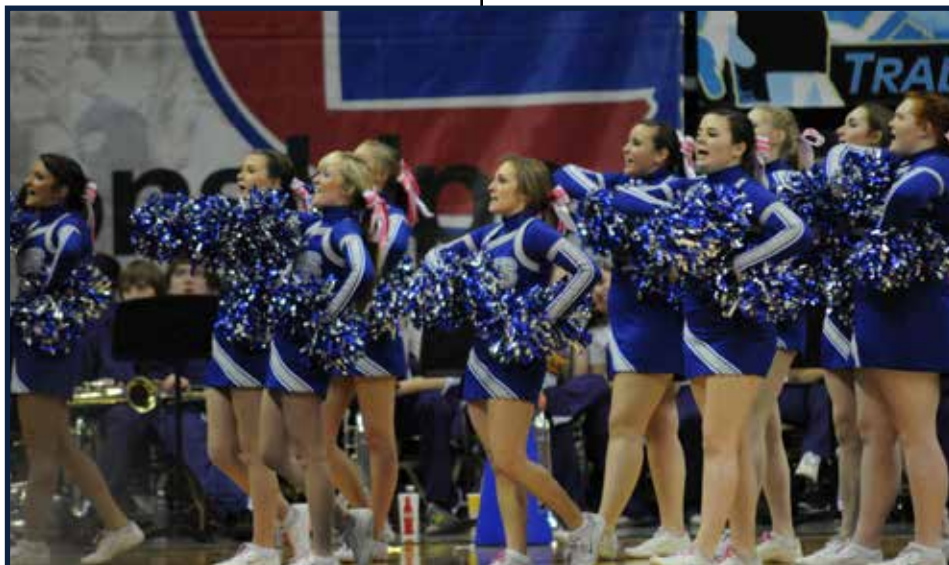
Oak Grove Middle School, Oak Grove
Aurora High School, Aurora

Schools Need for Emergency Approval of Non-Faculty Music Directors

By-Law 4.2.3 specifies that non-faculty music directors must meet the same qualifications as non-faculty coaches.

To qualify as a head music director, an individual must hold a valid teacher's certificate. To qualify as an assistant non-faculty music director (any non-faculty director that provides music instruction) said individual must hold a valid substitute teacher's certificate. In addition, each non-faculty music director must be approved annually by the Board of Directors. The school must list the individual's name on the coaches and directors link. This link is located on the MSHSAA website under the schools tab.

A music director is defined as someone who provides music instruction only. An auxiliary director/flag sponsor, etc. is not considered a music director, and approval is not required for these positions. A drumline instructor would need approval and must meet the above criteria.



2014 Wrestling State Championship Site Officials

Matt Zietz, Jason Luebbert, Mark Mundell, David Dade, Pete Mankowich, Larry Smith, Dirk Dietz, Chris Maggard, Dustin Webb, Brad Neely, Craig Meads, Larry Isenberg, Carl Fudge, Bob Glasgow, Don Frazier, Brian Britton, John DeFries, Jay Drake, Richard DePriest, Glenn Rosario, Barb Brummet, Steve St. Louis, Pat Hanson, Derek Lark, Brendon Papineau, Scott Robinson, Dennis Todd, Dan Peters, Sean Dietz, Jay Drake, Louis Goehri, Mike Diffley, Mark Watkins.

2014 MSHSAA Girls Swimming & Diving Championship Site Officials

Chuck Bremer, Lisa Cocks, Bob Cummins, Julie Elliot, Jenifer Gibbs, Chad Marnholtz, Ann Merten, Jack Steck, Tom Yaeger, and Jeff Zieger.

MSHSAA Summer Music Adjudicator Training Sessions

The MSHSAA will sponsor one instrumental and one vocal adjudicator training sessions which will be held in conjunction with the Missouri Bandmasters Association (MBA) and the Missouri Choral Directors Association (MCDA) summer conferences. A copy of the pre-registration forms are available on the MSHSAA website (www.mshsaa.org) under the 'music activities' link. Simply complete the registration form and return to MSHSAA by the deadline indicated on the form. The deadline for MBA is Monday, June 9th and MCDA is Monday, July 7th. There must be at least **ten** people pre-registered in order to offer each session.

The sessions are open to any music educator at no charge. In order to be certified to judge at the MSHSAA Festivals, it is a requirement that the attendees have a minimum of 7 years of teaching experience. Music educators with less than seven years of experience are welcome to attend and would like find the session beneficial. If you have any questions regarding either session please contact the MSHSAA Office at 573-875-4880.

2015-19 Speech/Debate/Theatre Championships Awarded to Missouri State University

The Missouri State High School Activities Association Board of Directors reviewed proposals submitted from willing hosts of the annual Speech, Debate and Theatre Championships. The Board awarded the championships to Missouri State University campus in Springfield. MSU will serve as the host site beginning with the 2014-15 school year.

"We have been moved by the amount of effort the University and the Convention and Visitors Bureau put into their proposal," said MSHSAA Executive Director Dr. Kerwin Urhahn. "The level of synergy between the University, the CVB and the community is flattering. With

the amount of communication that has already taken place, we are looking forward to a very smooth transition."

The Speech, Debate and Theatre championships have been located on the campus of The University of Missouri in Columbia for the past 63 years. The 2014 championships feature 905 participants from 123 schools from across the state.

Beginning with the District Tournament, MSHSAA offers championships in 15 events, including three debates categories, two theatrical events and 10 individual events.



2013 NFHS Officials Association Award Recipients

The following individuals have been recognized by the NFHS Officials Association for their outstanding service in their respective officiating categories. On behalf of the MSHSAA Board, staff and member schools, we congratulate and thank you for serving our youth and our schools.

| | | |
|---------------------|------------------|----------------|
| Baseball | Greg Kespohl | Columbia |
| Boys Basketball | Bill DuPont | Ballwin |
| Girls Basketball | Jerome Jackson | Kansas City |
| Boys Cross Country | Kirk Sloan | Branson |
| Girls Cross Country | Donnie Thomas | Jefferson City |
| Football | Dennis Poulette | Carthage |
| Boys Soccer | Elvis Mahmutovic | St. Louis |
| Girls Soccer | Denis Zijadic | Gladstone |
| Softball | Ronnie Rains | Poplar Bluff |
| Boys Swimming | Tom Yaeger | Manchester |
| Girls Swimming | Jenifer Gibbs | Kansas City |
| Boys Track & Field | Chris Essick | Branson |
| Girls Track & Field | Roger Kirby | Carthage |
| Volleyball | Dixie Ousley | Kansas City |
| Wrestling | David Dade | Springfield |

2013-14 SCHOLASTIC ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS

Outstanding Scholastic Achievement (3.25 - 4.00 GPA)

Bernard C. Campbell MS

| | |
|---------------------------------------|------|
| Girls 8th Grade Volleyball | 3.83 |
| Boys Junior High Cross Country | 3.65 |
| Girls Junior High Cross Country | 3.77 |
| Boys Junior High Wrestling | 3.36 |
| Girls 8th Grade Basketball | 4.29 |
| Boys 8th Grade Basketball | 3.47 |

Blue Springs South HS

| | |
|-----------------------------------------|------|
| Girls Varsity Basketball | 3.32 |
| Boys Varsity Basketball | 3.38 |
| Girls Varsity Swimming and Diving | 3.80 |

Bolivar HS

| | |
|---------------------------|------|
| Girls Softball | 3.56 |
| Girls Cross Country | 3.60 |
| Boys Soccer | 3.33 |
| Girls Volleyball | 3.83 |
| Girls Golf | 3.65 |
| Girls Tennis | 3.71 |

Bourbon HS

| | |
|-------------------------------------|------|
| Boys Varsity Basketball | 3.33 |
| Girls Varsity Basketball | 3.33 |
| Girls Varsity Cheerleading | 3.80 |
| Girls Varsity Track and Field | 3.55 |

Braymer HS

| | |
|--------------------------------|------|
| Boys Varsity Basketball | 3.55 |
| Girls Varsity Basketball | 3.75 |

Brentwood HS

| | |
|----------------------------------|------|
| Girls Varsity Softball | 3.76 |
| Boys Varsity Football | 3.32 |
| Boys Varsity Soccer | 3.74 |
| Girls Varsity Field Hockey | 3.73 |
| Girls Varsity Volleyball | 3.97 |

Calhoun Junior HS

| | |
|--------------------------------------|------|
| Combined Group Track and Field | 3.34 |
| Combined Group Scholar Bowl | 3.95 |

Calhoun HS

| | |
|-------------------------------------------|------|
| Girls Varsity Cheerleading | 3.47 |
| Girls Varsity Basketball | 3.34 |
| Girls Varsity Track and Field | 3.28 |
| Varsity Combined Group Scholar Bowl | 3.50 |
| Combined Group Band | 3.33 |

Carthage Jr. HS

| | |
|-------------------------------------|------|
| Boys 7th Grade Wrestling | 3.39 |
| Girls 7th Grade Basketball | 3.76 |
| Girls 8th Grade Basketball | 3.47 |
| Girls 7th Grade Volleyball | 3.74 |
| Girls 8th Grade Volleyball | 3.44 |
| Boys 7th Grade Football | 3.33 |
| Girls 7th Grade Cross Country | 3.47 |
| Girls 8th Grade Cross Country | 3.29 |
| Boys 7th Grade Cross Country | 3.35 |
| Boys 8th Grade Cross Country | 3.47 |
| Boys 8th Grade Basketball | 3.40 |

Carthage HS

| | |
|--------------------------------------------|------|
| Girls Basketball | 3.77 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Track and Field | 3.34 |
| Girls Varsity Track and Field | 3.77 |
| Girls Swimming and Diving | 3.69 |
| Boys Golf | 3.68 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Soccer | 3.52 |
| Girls Varsity Soccer | 3.63 |
| Boys Varsity Baseball | 3.41 |
| Boys Freshman Basketball | 3.40 |
| Boys Junior Varsity Basketball | 3.28 |
| Boys Varsity Basketball | 3.37 |
| Boys Tennis | 3.34 |
| Boys Varsity Track and Field | 3.26 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Tennis | 3.70 |
| Girls Varsity Tennis | 3.95 |
| Girls Varsity Golf | 3.82 |

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| Girls Cross Country | 3.79 |
| Girls Freshman Volleyball | 3.64 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Volleyball | 3.76 |
| Girls Varsity Volleyball | 3.71 |
| Girls Varsity Dance | 3.74 |
| Boys Junior Varsity Cross Country | 3.36 |
| Boys Varsity Cross Country | 3.54 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Softball | 3.43 |
| Girls Varsity Softball | 3.41 |
| Combined Group Band | 3.35 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Cheerleading | 3.33 |
| Boys Varsity Soccer | 3.31 |
| Boys Freshman Football | 3.25 |

Central (Springfield) HS

| | |
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| Girls JV/Varsity Soccer | 3.79 |
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Chamais Junior HS

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| Boys 7th/8th Grade Basketball | 3.48 |
| Boys Cross Country | 3.27 |
| Girls Basketball | 3.40 |

Chamais HS

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| Girls Volleyball | 3.39 |
| Girls Varsity Cross Country | 3.77 |
| Combined Group Band/Music | 3.44 |

Clark County HS

| | |
|----------------------------------------------|------|
| Combined Group Junior Varsity Softball | 3.46 |
| Combined Group Varsity Softball | 3.63 |

Clayton HS

| | |
|-----------------------------------------|------|
| Boys Varsity Cross Country | 3.67 |
| Girls Varsity Cross Country | 3.66 |
| Girls Varsity Field Hockey | 3.65 |
| Girls Varsity Tennis | 3.58 |
| Girls Varsity Softball | 3.52 |
| Boys Varsity Swimming and Diving | 3.44 |
| Girls Varsity Golf | 3.42 |
| Boys Varsity Soccer | 3.39 |
| Girls Varsity Volleyball | 3.26 |
| Girls Varsity Swimming and Diving | 3.66 |
| Girls Varsity Basketball | 3.47 |

Clearwater HS

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| Girls Varsity Basketball | 3.90 |
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Concordia HS

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| Boys Varsity Baseball | 3.30 |
| Girls Varsity Softball | 3.50 |

Cor Jesu Academy

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| Girls Junior Varsity Cross Country | 3.80 |
| Girls Varsity Cross Country | 3.70 |
| Girls Freshman Field Hockey | 3.50 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Field Hockey | 3.70 |
| Girls Varsity Field Hockey | 3.90 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Golf | 3.30 |
| Girls Varsity Golf | 3.70 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Softball | 3.70 |
| Girls Varsity Softball | 3.70 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Tennis | 3.60 |
| Girls Varsity Tennis | 3.90 |
| Girls Freshman Volleyball | 3.70 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Volleyball | 3.80 |
| Girls Varsity Volleyball | 3.90 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Basketball | 3.70 |
| Girls Varsity Basketball | 3.90 |
| Girls Varsity Swimming and Diving | 3.70 |
| Girls Varsity Cheerleading | 3.70 |
| Girls Freshman Soccer | 3.58 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Soccer | 3.80 |
| Girls Varsity soccer | 3.80 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Track and Field | 3.28 |
| Girls Varsity Track and Field | 3.60 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Lacrosse | 3.70 |
| Girls Varsity Lacrosse | 3.78 |

Crocker HS

| | |
|--------------------------------------|------|
| Boys Junior Varsity Basketball | 3.37 |
| Boys Varsity Basketball | 3.99 |

DeSoto HS

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|---------------------------------|------|
| Wrestling Cheerleading | 3.25 |
| Girls Freshman Volleyball | 3.47 |

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| Girls Junior Varsity Volleyball | 3.52 |
| Girls Varsity Volleyball | 3.45 |
| Girls Varsity Basketball | 3.26 |

Doniphan HS

| | |
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| Girls Junior Varsity Volleyball | 3.99 |
| Girls Varsity Volleyball | 3.87 |

Drexel HS

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| Girls Varsity Basketball | 3.51 |
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Fox HS

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| Boys Freshman Soccer | 3.26 |
| Boys Varsity Soccer | 3.65 |

Francis Howell HS

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|-----------------------------------------|------|
| Girls Junior Varsity Basketball | 3.45 |
| Girls Varsity Basketball | 3.42 |
| Girls Varsity Swimming and Diving | 3.73 |

Francis Howell Central HS

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|-----------------------------------------------|------|
| Girls Junior Varsity Dance | 3.31 |
| Girls Varsity Dance | 3.84 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Tennis | 3.66 |
| Girls Varsity Tennis | 3.30 |
| Combined Group Marching Band | 3.62 |
| Boys Junior Varsity Swimming and Diving | 3.57 |
| Boys Varsity Swimming and Diving | 3.38 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Cross Country | 3.26 |
| Girls Varsity Cross Country | 3.53 |
| Girls Varsity Softball | 3.51 |
| Boys Varsity Soccer | 3.51 |
| Girls Freshman Cheerleading | 3.50 |
| Girls Varsity Cheerleading | 3.29 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Volleyball | 3.49 |
| Boys Varsity Cross Country | 3.38 |

Francis Howell North HS

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|-----------------------------------------------|------|
| Girls Varsity Softball | 3.64 |
| Girls Varsity Tennis | 3.82 |
| Girls Freshman Volleyball | 3.76 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Volleyball | 3.93 |
| Girls Varsity Volleyball | 3.75 |
| Girls Varsity Golf | 3.26 |
| Combined Group Marching Band | 3.95 |
| Girls Freshman Softball | 3.54 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Softball | 3.74 |
| Boys Junior Varsity Soccer | 3.28 |
| Boys Cross Country | 3.64 |
| Girls Cross Country | 3.66 |
| Girls Freshman Cheerleading | 3.37 |
| Girls Varsity Cheerleading | 3.50 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Dance (Knightline) | 3.42 |
| Girls Varsity Dance (Knightline) | 3.54 |
| Girls Freshman Basketball | 3.51 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Basketball | 3.50 |
| Boys Freshman Basketball | 3.33 |
| Girls Varsity Basketball | 3.56 |
| Combined Group Winter Drumline | 3.31 |
| Combined Group Winter Guard | 3.34 |
| Combined Group Varsity Speech & Debate | 3.61 |
| Combined Group Scholar Bowl | 3.79 |
| Combined Group Chamber Show Choir | 3.36 |
| Combined Group Concert Choir | 3.25 |

Ft. Zumwalt East HS

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| Girls Varsity Cheerleading | 3.53 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Cross Country | 3.30 |
| Girls Varsity Cross Country | 4.00 |
| Boys Junior Varsity soccer | 3.27 |
| Boys Varsity Soccer | 3.59 |
| Girls Varsity Tennis | 3.93 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Softball | 3.38 |
| Girls Varsity Softball | 3.32 |
| Boys Varsity Swimming and Diving | 3.61 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Volleyball | 3.73 |
| Girls Varsity Volleyball | 3.99 |
| Boys Junior Varsity Cross Country | 3.57 |

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2013-14 SCHOLASTIC ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS

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| Boys Varsity Cross Country | 3.37 | Girls Basketball | 3.50 | Boys Varsity Cross Country | 3.98 |
| Girls Varsity Dance | 3.63 | Helias Catholic HS | | Girls Varsity Tennis | 4.14 |
| Ft. Zumwalt North HS | | Boys Freshman Football | 3.30 | Boys Varsity Soccer | 3.54 |
| Girls Varsity Dance | 3.76 | Boys Varsity Football | 3.46 | Boys Varsity Tennis | 3.62 |
| Girls Varsity Swimming and Diving | 3.36 | Boys Junior Varsity Soccer | 3.50 | Girls Varsity Soccer | 3.65 |
| Combined Group Varsity Cheerleading | 3.55 | Boys Varsity Soccer | 3.59 | Boys Varsity Track and Field | 3.40 |
| Girls Varsity Basketball | 4.14 | Cheerleading | 3.44 | Girls Varsity Track and Field | 3.88 |
| Ft. Zumwalt South HS | | Dance | 3.73 | Girls Varsity Basketball | 3.85 |
| Girls Varsity Dance | 3.38 | Girls Junior Varsity Tennis | 3.74 | Boys Varsity Basketball | 3.46 |
| Girls Freshman Cheerleading | 3.43 | Girls Varsity Tennis | 3.64 | Kirkwood HS | |
| Girls Freshman Swimming and Diving | 3.51 | Girls Freshman Volleyball | 3.69 | Boys Varsity Cross Country | 3.61 |
| Boys Freshman Basketball | 3.33 | Girls Junior Varsity Volleyball | 3.78 | Girls Varsity Cross Country | 3.73 |
| Boys Varsity Golf | 3.30 | Girls Varsity Volleyball | 3.81 | Girls C-Team Field Hockey | 3.44 |
| Boys Varsity Baseball | 3.29 | Girls Junior Varsity Golf | 3.52 | Girls Junior Varsity Field Hockey | 3.58 |
| Girls Freshman Soccer | 3.51 | Girls Varsity Golf | 3.82 | Girls Varsity Field Hockey | 3.74 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Soccer | 3.26 | Girls Cross Country | 3.82 | Girls Varsity Golf | 3.55 |
| Girls Varsity Soccer | 3.45 | Boys Cross Country | 3.55 | Boys Freshman Soccer | 3.44 |
| Boys Tennis | 3.41 | Girls Junior Varsity Softball | 3.50 | Boys Junior Varsity Soccer | 3.47 |
| Girls Varsity Track and Field | 3.35 | Girls Varsity Softball | 3.46 | Boys Varsity Soccer | 3.42 |
| Combined Group Speech and Debate | 3.71 | Herculaneum HS | | Girls Junior Varsity Softball | 3.44 |
| Combined Group Scholar Bowl | 3.86 | Girls Varsity Colorguard | 3.86 | Girls Varsity Softball | 3.69 |
| Glendale HS | | Girls Varsity Volleyball | 3.51 | Boys Varsity Swimming and Diving | 3.49 |
| Combined Group Band | 3.25 | Girls Varsity Softball | 3.32 | Girls Varsity Tennis | 3.78 |
| Combined Group Junior Varsity Cheerleading | 3.44 | Girls Varsity Cheerleading | 3.36 | Girls Freshman Volleyball | 3.36 |
| Combined Group Varsity Cheerleading | 3.35 | Hermann HS | | Girls Junior Varsity Volleyball | 3.79 |
| Combined Group Choir | 3.27 | Girls Junior Varsity Basketball | 3.57 | Girls Varsity Volleyball | 3.97 |
| Girls Varsity Cross Country | 3.47 | Girls Varsity Basketball | 3.67 | Girls Junior Varsity Dance | 3.78 |
| Boys Varsity Cross Country | 3.38 | Boys Junior Varsity Basketball | 3.47 | Girls Varsity Dance | 3.69 |
| Girls Varsity Dance | 3.78 | Boys Varsity Basketball | 3.25 | Girls Junior Varsity Cheerleading | 3.53 |
| Boys Freshman Football | 3.25 | Girls Track and Field | 3.71 | Girls Varsity Cheerleading | 3.48 |
| Girls Varsity Golf | 3.77 | Boys Junior Varsity Baseball | 3.35 | Girls Varsity Basketball | 3.71 |
| Combined Group Orchestra | 3.51 | Boys Varsity Baseball | 3.60 | Girls Varsity Swimming and Diving | 3.82 |
| Boys Junior Varsity Soccer | 3.36 | Hermitage HS | | Girls Junior Varsity Wrestling | 3.33 |
| Boys Varsity Soccer | 3.50 | Girls Varsity Basketball | 3.43 | Boys Varsity Wrestling | 3.30 |
| Girls Varsity Softball | 3.45 | Hollister HS | | Girls Varsity Track and Field | 3.45 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Tennis | 3.61 | Girls Varsity Volleyball | 3.55 | Boys Freshman Volleyball | 3.46 |
| Girls Varsity Tennis | 3.79 | Girls Varsity Softball | 3.42 | Boys Junior Varsity Volleyball | 3.79 |
| Girls Freshman Volleyball | 3.86 | Holt HS | | Boys Varsity Volleyball | 3.65 |
| Girls Varsity Volleyball | 3.73 | Girls Varsity Cross Country | 3.77 | JV Combined Group Water Polo | 3.46 |
| Boys Freshman Basketball | 3.35 | Girls Varsity Golf | 3.52 | Varsity Combined Group Water Polo | 3.50 |
| Boys Junior Varsity Basketball | 3.53 | Boys Varsity Soccer | 3.29 | Girls Varsity Lacrosse | 3.63 |
| Boys Varsity Basketball | 3.38 | Girls Varsity softball | 3.37 | Girls C-Team Lacrosse | 3.51 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Basketball | 3.39 | Girls Varsity Tennis | 3.69 | Boys Freshman Baseball | 3.49 |
| Girls Varsity Basketball | 3.68 | Girls Varsity Volleyball | 3.38 | Boys Junior Varsity Baseball | 3.33 |
| Girls Varsity Swimming and Diving | 3.62 | Kearney HS | | Boys Varsity Baseball | 3.40 |
| Boys Varsity Golf | 3.74 | Boys Junior Varsity Basketball | 3.51 | Boys Varsity Golf | 3.50 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Soccer | 3.35 | Boys Varsity Basketball | 3.77 | Girls Freshman Soccer | 3.49 |
| Girls Varsity Soccer | 3.46 | Kickapoo HS | | Girls Junior Varsity Soccer | 3.52 |
| Boys Junior Varsity Tennis | 3.34 | Girls Junior Varsity Softball | 3.31 | Girls Varsity Soccer | 3.88 |
| Boys Varsity Tennis | 3.52 | Girls Varsity Softball | 3.61 | Boys Varsity Tennis | 3.40 |
| Girls Varsity Track and Field | 3.62 | Girls Junior Varsity Cross Country | 3.77 | Lafayette County MS | |
| Boys Varsity Track and Field | 3.35 | Girls Varsity Cross Country | 3.79 | Girls 8th Grade Basketball Cheerleading | 3.34 |
| Combined Group Scholar Bowl | 3.77 | Boys Junior Varsity Cross Country | 3.31 | Girls 8th Grade Basketball | 3.47 |
| Combined Group Band/Music | 3.33 | Boys Varsity Cross Country | 3.34 | Boys 8th Grade Basketball | 3.32 |
| Combined Group Orchestra | 3.57 | Girls Freshman Volleyball | 3.70 | Girls 8th Grade Track and Field | 3.49 |
| Combined Group Speech/Debate | 3.52 | Girls Junior Varsity Volleyball | 3.84 | Boys 8th Grade Track and Field | 3.35 |
| Combined Group Vocal | 3.25 | Girls Varsity Volleyball | 3.65 | Lafayette HS (Wildwood) | |
| Grandview MS | | Boys Junior Varsity Soccer | 3.42 | Boys Cross Country | 3.46 |
| Girls 8th Grade Cheerleading | 3.36 | Girls Junior Varsity Tennis | 3.55 | Girls Cross Country | 3.78 |
| Girls 8th Grade Volleyball | 3.35 | Girls Varsity Tennis | 3.75 | Girls Freshman Field Hockey | 3.34 |
| Grandview HS | | Girls Junior Varsity Golf | 3.44 | Girls Varsity Field Hockey | 3.80 |
| Girls Varsity Swimming and Diving | 3.59 | Girls Varsity Golf | 3.80 | Girls Junior Varsity Golf | 3.57 |
| Girls Varsity Cross Country | 3.57 | Boys Freshman Basketball | 3.37 | Girls Varsity Golf | 3.28 |
| Girls Varsity Basketball | 3.34 | Boys Junior Varsity Basketball | 3.34 | Boys Junior Varsity Soccer | 3.61 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Volleyball | 3.34 | Boys Varsity Basketball | 3.35 | Boys Varsity Soccer | 3.43 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Tennis | 3.30 | Girls Junior Varsity Basketball | 3.65 | Girls Junior Varsity Softball | 3.35 |
| Girls Varsity Tennis | 3.28 | Girls Varsity Basketball | 3.46 | Girls Varsity Softball | 3.79 |
| Girls Varsity Softball | 3.49 | Boys Junior Varsity Wrestling | 3.42 | Boys Swimming and Diving | 3.58 |
| Hallsville HS | | Girls Varsity Swimming and Diving | 3.44 | Girls Freshman Tennis | 3.56 |
| Girls Golf | 3.64 | Girls Junior Varsity Cheerleading | 3.25 | Girls Junior Varsity Tennis | 3.67 |
| Girls Volleyball | 3.60 | Combined Group Varsity Cheerleading | 3.56 | Girls Varsity Tennis | 3.81 |
| Girls Cheerleading | 3.31 | Kirkville HS | | Girls Freshman Volleyball | 3.36 |
| Girls Softball | 3.53 | Girls Varsity Softball | 3.74 | Girls Junior Varsity Volleyball | 3.45 |
| Combined Group Band/Music | 3.33 | Girls Varsity Volleyball | 3.75 | Girls Varsity Volleyball | 3.65 |
| Combined Group Vocal | 3.39 | Girls Varsity Cross Country | 4.15 | | |

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| Boys Cross Country | 3.46 | Girls Varsity Cross Country | 3.56 | Combined Group Speech/Debate | 3.42 |
| Girls Cross Country | 3.78 | Girls Varsity Dance | 3.28 | Combined Group Band/Music | 3.49 |
| Girls Track and Field | 3.73 | Girls Varsity Tennis | 3.53 | Boys Tennis | 3.63 |
| Boys Baseball | 3.48 | Boys Varsity Soccer | 3.29 | Girls Cheerleading | 3.51 |
| Boys Tennis | 3.44 | Girls Varsity Field Hockey | 3.53 | Girls Basketball | 3.51 |
| Boys Golf | 3.33 | Lutheran St. Charles HS | | Combined Group Track and Field | 3.26 |
| Girls Track and Field | 3.39 | Girls Varsity Swimming and Diving | 3.67 | Girls Soccer | 3.41 |
| Boys Freshman Volleyball | 3.42 | Boys Varsity Wrestling | 3.63 | Nevada HS | |
| Boys Varsity Volleyball | 4.20 | Girls Varsity Basketball | 3.64 | Boys Varsity Basketball | 3.39 |
| Combined Group Speech/Debate | 4.02 | Boys Varsity Basketball | 3.67 | Girls Junior Varsity/Varsity Basketball | 3.73 |
| Combined Group Scholar Bowl | 4.33 | Maple Park MS | | Boys Varsity Golf | 3.77 |
| Boys Tennis | 3.89 | Girls 8th Grade Basketball | 3.45 | Nixa HS | |
| Girls Varsity Golf | 3.71 | Boys 8th Grade Basketball | 3.40 | Boys Freshman Football | 3.38 |
| Boys Junior Varsity Golf | 3.60 | Girls 8th Grade Track and Field | 3.47 | Boys JV/Varsity Football | 3.26 |
| Girls Freshman Soccer | 3.58 | Boys 8th Grade Track and Field | 3.35 | Girls Cross Country | 3.79 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Soccer | 3.68 | Girls 8th Grade Swimming and Diving | 3.42 | Boys Cross Country | 3.67 |
| Girls Varsity Soccer | 3.50 | Marquette HS | | Girls JV/Varsity Golf | 3.44 |
| Girls Freshman Lacrosse | 3.60 | Symphonic Orchestra | 4.16 | Boys Junior Varsity Soccer | 3.50 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Lacrosse | 3.60 | Concert Orchestra | 3.93 | Girls Junior Varsity Softball | 3.57 |
| Girls Varsity Lacrosse | 3.89 | Chamber Orchestra | 3.61 | Girls Varsity Softball | 3.58 |
| Boys Freshman Baseball | 3.30 | Band | 3.47 | Boys JV/Varsity Swimming and Diving | 3.50 |
| Boys Junior Varsity Baseball | 3.29 | Chamber Choir | 3.91 | Girls JV/Varsity Tennis | 3.70 |
| Boys Varsity Baseball | 3.42 | Show Choir | 3.61 | Girls Freshman Volleyball | 3.78 |
| Combined Group Junior Varsity Water Polo | 3.57 | Treble Choir | 3.41 | Girls Junior Varsity Volleyball | 3.72 |
| Combined Group Water Polo | 4.00 | Varsity Mystique | 4.06 | Girls Varsity Volleyball | 3.73 |
| Girls Track and Field | 3.38 | Scholar Bowl | 4.05 | Boys Freshman Basketball | 3.52 |
| Boys Golf | 3.44 | Girls Varsity Soccer | 3.97 | Boys Junior Varsity/Varsity Basketball | 3.65 |
| Boys Freshman Baseball | 3.25 | Girls Varsity Basketball | 3.87 | Girls Freshman Basketball | 3.73 |
| Boys Varsity Baseball | 3.43 | Boys Varsity Volleyball | 3.84 | Girls Junior Varsity/Varsity Basketball | 3.79 |
| Boys Tennis | 3.66 | Boys Varsity Soccer | 3.83 | Girls JV/Varsity Swimming and Diving | 3.60 |
| Boys Freshman Volleyball | 3.40 | Girls Junior Varsity Lacrosse | 3.53 | Combined Group Varsity Scholar Bowl | 3.89 |
| Boys Varsity Volleyball | 3.62 | Girls Varsity Lacrosse | 3.82 | Combined Group Varsity Band | 3.53 |
| Girls Lacrosse | 3.70 | Boys Varsity Tennis | 3.78 | Boys Freshman Baseball | 3.45 |
| Girls Freshman Soccer | 3.52 | Girls Tennis | 3.76 | Boys Junior Varsity/Varsity Baseball | 3.45 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Soccer | 3.58 | Girls Varsity Volleyball | 3.65 | Boys Junior Varsity/Varsity Baseball | 3.45 |
| Girls Varsity Soccer | 3.64 | Girls Cross Country | 3.69 | Boys Junior Varsity/Varsity Tennis | 3.44 |
| Combined Group Water Polo | 3.62 | Boys Cross Country | 3.55 | Boys JV/Varsity Track and Field | 3.44 |
| Combined Group Speech and Debate | 4.07 | Girls Swimming and Diving | 3.68 | Girls Junior Varsity/Varsity Soccer | 3.66 |
| Lee's Summit HS | | Girls Track and Field | 3.61 | Girls JV/Varsity Track and Field | 3.69 |
| Boys Varsity Cross Country | 3.64 | Varsity Baseball | 3.58 | Girls Varsity Dance Team | 3.48 |
| Lee's Summit North HS | | Water Polo | 3.54 | Speech & Debate | 3.47 |
| Girls Freshman Volleyball | 3.52 | Freshman Cheerleading | 3.36 | Northwest HS (Cedar Hill) | |
| Girls Junior Varsity Volleyball | 3.64 | Junior Varsity Cheerleading | 3.45 | Girls Basketball | 3.52 |
| Girls Varsity Volleyball | 3.76 | Varsity Cheerleading | 3.74 | Notre Dame HS (Cape Girardeau) | |
| Girls Junior Varsity Golf | 3.64 | Girls Junior Varsity Volleyball | 3.52 | Girls Varsity Basketball | 3.95 |
| Girls Varsity Golf | 3.92 | Boys Swimming and Diving | 3.48 | Girls Freshman Basketball | 3.77 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Softball | 3.47 | Speech and Debate | 3.90 | Girls Junior Varsity Basketball | 3.53 |
| Girls Varsity Softball | 3.77 | Boys Golf | 3.47 | Girls Varsity Swimming and Diving | 3.89 |
| Girls Freshman Basketball | 3.42 | Girls Golf | 3.45 | Girls Junior Varsity Cheerleading | 3.88 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Basketball | 3.75 | Boys Freshman Volleyball | 3.45 | Girls Varsity Cheerleading | 3.88 |
| Lee's Summit West HS | | Girls Junior Varsity soccer | 3.43 | Girls Junior Varsity Dance | 3.36 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Tennis | 3.42 | Freshman Baseball | 3.42 | Girls Varsity Dance | 3.86 |
| Girls Varsity Tennis | 3.68 | Junior Varsity Baseball | 3.25 | Combined Group Band/Music | 3.69 |
| Girls Varsity Golf | 3.63 | Junior Varsity Field Hockey | 3.74 | Boys Freshman Basketball | 3.43 |
| Boys Junior Varsity Soccer | 3.71 | Varsity Field Hockey | 3.99 | Boys Junior Varsity Basketball | 3.50 |
| Boys Varsity Soccer | 3.52 | Boys Freshman Basketball | 3.36 | Boys Varsity Basketball | 3.53 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Volleyball | 3.62 | Boys Varsity Basketball | 3.39 | Girls Junior Varsity Swimming & Diving | 3.96 |
| Girls Varsity Volleyball | 3.75 | Boys Junior Varsity Soccer | 3.38 | Girls Junior Varsity Soccer | 3.65 |
| Liberty (Wentzville) HS | | Girls Freshman Volleyball | 3.35 | Girls Varsity Soccer | 3.80 |
| Girls Varsity Cross Country | 3.74 | Junior Varsity Softball | 3.31 | Girls Junior Varsity Track and Field | 3.62 |
| Girls Freshman Dance | 3.55 | Girls Freshman Soccer | 3.28 | Girls Varsity Track and Field | 3.60 |
| Girls Freshman Golf | 3.85 | Girls Freshman Basketball | 3.27 | Boys Varsity Volleyball | 3.55 |
| Girls Freshman Softball | 3.54 | Varsity Football | 3.26 | Boys Varsity Track and Field | 3.45 |
| Girls Freshman Volleyball | 3.44 | Maryville HS | | Boys Junior Varsity Baseball | 3.29 |
| Lutheran North HS | | Girls Cheerleading | 3.59 | Boys Varsity Baseball | 3.43 |
| Boys Varsity Cross Country | 3.56 | Girls Dance | 3.46 | Boys Varsity Golf | 3.26 |
| Girls Varsity Softball | 3.48 | Girls Golf | 3.62 | Boys Varsity Tennis | 3.23 |
| Girls Freshman Volleyball | 3.43 | Combined Group Cross Country | 3.35 | Orchard Farm HS | |
| Girls Varsity Volleyball | 3.33 | Boys Soccer | 3.28 | Combined Group Varsity Cross Country | 3.49 |
| Girls Varsity Tennis | 3.39 | Combined Group Band/Music | 3.32 | Girls Varsity Softball | 3.48 |
| Lutheran South HS | | Girls Volleyball | 3.49 | Girls Junior Varsity Volleyball | 3.35 |
| Girls Freshman Volleyball | 3.63 | Maysville HS | | Girls Varsity Volleyball | 3.70 |
| Girls Varsity | 3.27 | Girls Varsity Basketball | 3.50 | Girls Junior Varsity Soccer | 3.43 |
| Girls Varsity Cheerleading | 3.49 | Mexico HS | | | |
| Girls Varsity Golf | 3.53 | Combined Group Scholar Bowl | 3.49 | | |

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| Girls Varsity Soccer..... | 3.50 |
| Girls Varsity Track and Field..... | 3.44 |
| Boys Varsity Track and Field..... | 3.35 |
| Combined Group Varsity Golf..... | 3.25 |
| Osceola HS | |
| Girls Junior Varsity Basketball..... | 3.68 |
| Girls Varsity Basketball..... | 3.91 |
| Owensville HS | |
| Girls Track and Field..... | 3.52 |
| Ozark HS | |
| Girls Swimming and Diving..... | 3.72 |
| Boys Basketball..... | 3.56 |
| Girls Basketball..... | 3.60 |
| Pacific HS | |
| Girls Varsity Basketball..... | 3.44 |
| Park Hill HS | |
| Boys Tennis..... | 3.56 |
| Girls Soccer..... | 3.30 |
| Girls Track & Field..... | 3.34 |
| Girls Varsity Basketball..... | 3.64 |
| Girls Varsity Swimming and Diving..... | 3.27 |
| Boys Varsity Basketball..... | 3.38 |
| Boys Wrestling..... | 3.25 |
| Combined Music..... | 3.35 |
| Dance..... | 3.29 |
| Scholar Bowl..... | 3.91 |
| Park Hill South HS | |
| Boys Varsity Soccer..... | 3.41 |
| Girls Varsity Volleyball..... | 3.63 |
| Girls Varsity Golf..... | 3.33 |
| Girls Varsity Tennis..... | 3.75 |
| Girls Varsity Softball..... | 3.75 |
| Boys Varsity Swimming and Diving..... | 3.45 |
| Girls Varsity Cross Country..... | 3.51 |
| Boys Varsity Cross Country..... | 3.57 |
| Girls Varsity Cheerleading..... | 3.39 |
| Girls Varsity Dance..... | 3.62 |
| Girls Varsity Swimming and Diving..... | 3.66 |
| Girls Varsity Basketball..... | 3.88 |
| Boys Varsity Basketball..... | 3.38 |
| Pleasant Lea MS | |
| Girls 8th Grade Volleyball..... | 3.78 |
| Raymore Peculiar HS | |
| Girls Junior Varsity/Varsity Softball..... | 3.40 |
| Girls Junior Varsity/Varsity Tennis..... | 3.48 |
| Girls Junior Varsity/Varsity Volleyball..... | 3.44 |
| Boys Junior Varsity/Varsity Soccer..... | 3.25 |
| Savannah HS | |
| Girls Junior Varsity Softball..... | 3.40 |
| Girls Varsity Softball..... | 3.72 |
| Girls Freshman Volleyball..... | 3.72 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Volleyball..... | 3.36 |
| Girls Varsity Volleyball..... | 3.82 |
| Ste. Genevieve HS | |
| Girls Varsity Dance..... | 3.35 |
| Girls Varsity Cheerleading..... | 3.44 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Basketball..... | 3.78 |
| Girls Varsity Basketball..... | 3.54 |
| Boys Freshman Basketball..... | 3.34 |
| Boys Junior Varsity Basketball..... | 3.56 |
| Boys Varsity Basketball..... | 3.40 |
| St. Charles HS | |
| Combined Group Varsity Cross Country..... | 3.47 |
| Girls Varsity Softball..... | 3.41 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Volleyball..... | 3.31 |
| Girls Varsity Volleyball..... | 3.41 |
| Girls Varsity Swimming and Diving..... | 3.60 |
| Girls Freshman Basketball..... | 3.31 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Basketball..... | 3.29 |
| Girls Varsity Basketball..... | 3.33 |
| Boys Junior Varsity Track and Field..... | 3.38 |
| Girls Freshman Soccer..... | 3.34 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Soccer..... | 3.29 |
| Girls Varsity Soccer..... | 3.43 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Track and Field..... | 3.44 |

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| Girls Varsity Track and Field..... | 3.60 |
| St. Charles West HS | |
| Girls Varsity Swimming and Diving..... | 3.40 |
| Girls Freshman Basketball..... | 3.40 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Basketball..... | 3.70 |
| Girls Varsity Basketball..... | 3.70 |
| Boys Varsity Basketball..... | 3.50 |
| Boys Freshman Basketball..... | 3.60 |
| St. Clair HS | |
| Girls Junior Varsity Basketball..... | 3.39 |
| Girls Varsity Basketball..... | 3.65 |
| Girls Varsity Soccer..... | 3.38 |
| Boys Varsity Golf..... | 3.29 |
| Boys Freshman Baseball..... | 3.31 |
| St. Francis Borgia HS | |
| Girls Junior Varsity Golf..... | 3.30 |
| Girls Varsity Golf..... | 3.80 |
| Girls Freshman Basketball..... | 3.63 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Basketball..... | 3.86 |
| Girls Varsity Basketball..... | 3.85 |
| Boys Freshman Basketball..... | 3.35 |
| Boys Junior Varsity Basketball..... | 3.26 |
| Boys Varsity Basketball..... | 3.64 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Softball..... | 3.50 |
| Girls Varsity Softball..... | 3.54 |
| Boys Varsity Swimming and Diving..... | 3.30 |
| Girls Varsity Swimming and Diving..... | 3.45 |
| Boys Junior Varsity Soccer..... | 3.31 |
| Boys Varsity Soccer..... | 3.57 |
| Girls Freshman Volleyball..... | 3.63 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Volleyball..... | 3.82 |
| Girls Varsity Volleyball..... | 3.70 |
| Boys Junior Varsity Cross Country..... | 3.43 |
| Boys Varsity Cross Country..... | 3.43 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Cross Country..... | 3.76 |
| Girls Varsity Cross Country..... | 3.84 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Cheerleading..... | 3.55 |
| Girls Varsity Cheerleading..... | 3.52 |
| Boys Varsity Football..... | 3.30 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Dance..... | 3.70 |
| Girls Varsity Dance..... | 3.38 |
| St. Joseph's Academy | |
| Girls Varsity Cross Country..... | 3.68 |
| Girls Freshman Field Hockey..... | 3.71 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Field Hockey..... | 3.57 |
| Girls Varsity Field Hockey..... | 3.75 |
| Girls Varsity Golf..... | 3.78 |
| Girls Varsity Softball..... | 3.42 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Tennis..... | 3.69 |
| Girls Varsity Tennis..... | 3.55 |
| Girls Freshman Volleyball..... | 3.71 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Volleyball..... | 3.62 |
| Girls Varsity Volleyball..... | 3.68 |
| Girls Varsity Swimming and Diving..... | 3.41 |
| Girls Freshman Basketball..... | 3.52 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Basketball..... | 3.71 |
| Girls Varsity Basketball..... | 3.67 |
| St. Paul Lutheran HS | |
| Girls Varsity Basketball..... | 3.63 |
| Ste. Genevieve HS | |
| Girls Varsity Track and Field..... | 3.69 |
| Sullivan Middle School | |
| Boys 7th Grade Basketball..... | 3.59 |
| Girls 7th Grade Volleyball (Spring)..... | 3.48 |
| Girls 8th Grade Volleyball (Spring)..... | 3.60 |
| Girls 7th Grade Cheerleading..... | 3.46 |
| Girls 8th Grade Cheerleading..... | 3.74 |
| Girls 7th Grade Basketball..... | 3.73 |
| Girls 8th Grade Basketball..... | 3.81 |
| Sullivan HS | |
| Boys Varsity Football..... | 3.31 |
| Girls Varsity Softball..... | 3.32 |
| Boys Varsity Cross Country..... | 3.36 |
| Girls Varsity Cross Country..... | 3.49 |
| Girls Varsity Volleyball..... | 3.54 |

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| Girls Varsity Cheerleading..... | 3.40 |
| Girls Varsity Dance..... | 3.39 |
| Girls Varsity Colorguard..... | 3.57 |
| Summit Christian Academy | |
| Girls Volleyball..... | 3.83 |
| Summit Lakes MS | |
| Girls 8th Grade Basketball..... | 3.86 |
| Girls 8th Grade Volleyball..... | 3.84 |
| Boys 8th Grade Basketball..... | 3.60 |
| Boys 8th Grade Football..... | 3.49 |
| Sunny Vale MS | |
| Girls Volleyball..... | 3.55 |
| Girls Cross Country..... | 3.48 |
| Boys Cross Country..... | 3.25 |
| Girls Track and Field..... | 3.44 |
| Timberland HS | |
| Boys Junior Varsity Golf..... | 3.64 |
| Boys Varsity Tennis..... | 3.54 |
| Boys Junior Varsity Track and Field..... | 3.43 |
| Boys Varsity Track and Field..... | 3.27 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Soccer..... | 3.41 |
| Girls Varsity Soccer..... | 3.57 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Track and Field..... | 3.28 |
| Girls Varsity Track and Field..... | 3.50 |
| Truman HS | |
| Girls Softball..... | 3.50 |
| Girls Tennis..... | 3.45 |
| Girls Volleyball..... | 3.29 |
| Combined Group Band..... | 3.28 |
| Union HS | |
| Combined Group Band/Music..... | 3.53 |
| Boys Cross Country..... | 3.69 |
| Girls Cross Country..... | 3.60 |
| Girls Softball..... | 3.70 |
| Girls Cheerleading..... | 3.40 |
| Boy Junior Varsity Soccer..... | 3.46 |
| Boys Varsity Soccer..... | 3.40 |
| Girls Freshman Volleyball..... | 3.80 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Volleyball..... | 3.69 |
| Girls Varsity Volleyball..... | 3.34 |
| Girls Dance..... | 3.45 |
| Boys Varsity Basketball..... | 3.37 |
| Girls Freshman Basketball..... | 3.66 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Basketball..... | 3.56 |
| Girls Varsity Basketball..... | 3.74 |
| Girls Varsity Cheerleading..... | 3.45 |
| Van Far Junior HS | |
| Girls 7th Grade Basketball..... | 3.95 |
| Girls 8th Grade Basketball..... | 3.46 |
| Van Far HS | |
| Girls Basketball..... | 3.49 |
| Villa Duchesne HS | |
| Girls Varsity Lacrosse..... | 3.68 |
| Girls JV/Varsity Track and Field..... | 3.82 |
| Girls Varsity Soccer..... | 3.95 |
| Washington HS | |
| Boys Junior Varsity Cross Country..... | 3.49 |
| Boys Varsity Cross Country..... | 3.39 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Cross Country..... | 3.70 |
| Girls Varsity Cross Country..... | 3.67 |
| Girls Freshman Volleyball..... | 3.57 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Volleyball..... | 3.40 |
| Girls Varsity Volleyball..... | 3.68 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Softball..... | 3.28 |
| Girls Varsity Softball..... | 3.53 |
| Girls Freshman Basketball..... | 3.27 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Basketball..... | 3.34 |
| Girls Varsity Basketball..... | 3.58 |
| Girls Freshman Cheerleading..... | 3.30 |
| Girls Varsity Cheerleading..... | 3.51 |
| Girls Varsity Dance..... | 3.52 |
| Boys Freshman Basketball..... | 3.30 |

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Waynesville HS

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| Girls Varsity Basketball | 3.42 |
| Girls Varsity Track and Field | 3.56 |
| Girls Varsity Soccer | 3.47 |
| Boys Varsity Tennis | 3.55 |

Webster Groves HS

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|-----------------------------------|------|
| Boys Freshman Basketball | 3.31 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Basketball | 3.85 |
| Girls Varsity Basketball | 3.92 |
| Girls Swimming and Diving | 3.54 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Cheerleading | 3.42 |
| Girls Varsity Cheerleading | 3.50 |
| Girls Tennis | 3.76 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Softball | 3.92 |
| Girls Varsity Softball | 3.65 |
| Boys C-Team Soccer | 3.95 |
| Boys Junior Varsity Soccer | 3.66 |
| Boys Varsity Soccer | 3.71 |
| Girls Freshman Volleyball | 4.00 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Volleyball | 4.02 |
| Girls Varsity Volleyball | 3.75 |
| Boys Freshman Football | 3.64 |
| Girls Field Hockey | 3.67 |
| Girls Cross Country | 3.67 |
| Boys Cross Country | 3.73 |
| Boys Freshman Baseball | 3.52 |
| Boys Junior Varsity Baseball | 3.41 |
| Boys Varsity Baseball | 3.47 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Soccer | 3.72 |
| Girls Varsity Soccer | 3.80 |
| Boys Varsity Volleyball | 3.27 |
| Girls Track and Field | 3.59 |
| Boys Track and Field | 3.30 |
| Boys Tennis | 3.74 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Lacrosse | 3.53 |
| Girls Varsity Lacrosse | 3.52 |
| Boys Golf | 3.73 |

West County HS

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| Girls Junior Varsity Volleyball | 3.59 |
| Girls Varsity Volleyball | 3.92 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Basketball | 3.60 |
| Girls Varsity Basketball | 3.92 |
| Girls Varsity Softball | 3.50 |
| Girls Varsity Cheerleading/Dance | 3.44 |
| Boys Varsity Golf | 3.43 |
| Boys Junior Varsity Basketball | 3.39 |

West Plains HS

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| Girls Freshman/JV/Varsity Basketball | 3.59 |
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| Girls 8th Grade Cheerleading | 3.15 |
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Bolivar HS

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| Boys Football | 3.11 |
| Boys Cross Country | 3.23 |

Bourbon HS

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|------------------------------|------|
| Boys Varsity Baseball | 3.11 |
| Boys Varsity Track and Field | 3.07 |

Brentwood HS

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| Girls Junior Varsity Volleyball | 3.15 |
| Girls Varsity Cheerleading | 3.10 |
| Combined Group Band | 3.03 |

Calhoun Junior HS

| | |
|------------------------------|------|
| Girls Junior High Basketball | 3.08 |
| Combined Group Band | 3.09 |

Carthage Junior HS

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| Boys 8th Grade Wrestling | 3.06 |
| Boys 8th Grade Football | 3.06 |
| Boys 7th Grade Basketball | 3.13 |

Carthage HS

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| Boys Freshman Baseball | 3.11 |
| Boys Junior Varsity Baseball | 3.14 |

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| Boys Junior Varsity Wrestling | 3.09 |
| Boys Junior Varsity Track and Field | 3.00 |
| Boys Junior Varsity Football | 3.19 |
| Combined Group Cheerleading | 3.17 |
| Boys Varsity Swimming and Diving | 3.09 |
| Boys Junior Varsity Soccer | 3.07 |

Chamois HS

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| Boys Varsity Cross Country | 3.02 |
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Clayton HS

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| Boys Varsity Wrestling | 3.22 |
| Girls Varsity Cheerleading | 3.19 |

DeSoto HS

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| Football Cheerleading | 3.04 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Softball | 3.06 |
| Girls Varsity Softball | 3.17 |

Francis Howell HS

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| Boys Freshman Basketball | 3.21 |
| Boys Varsity Basketball | 3.14 |
| Girls Freshman Basketball | 3.06 |

Francis Howell Central HS

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| Girls Freshman Volleyball | 3.15 |
| Girls Varsity Volleyball | 3.16 |
| Boys Junior Varsity Volleyball | 3.17 |
| Boys Junior Varsity Cross Country | 3.13 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Softball | 3.10 |
| Girls Varsity Golf | 3.01 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Cheerleading | 3.00 |

Francis Howell North HS

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|-----------------------------------|------|
| Boys Varsity Soccer | 3.07 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Cheerleading | 3.14 |
| Boys Junior Varsity Basketball | 3.24 |
| Boys Varsity Basketball | 3.04 |
| Girls Varsity Swimming and Diving | 3.20 |

Ft. Zumwalt East HS

| | |
|-----------------------------------|------|
| Girls Freshman Cheerleading | 3.05 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Cheerleading | 3.22 |
| Girls Freshman Volleyball | 3.13 |

Ft. Zumwalt North HS

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| Boys Varsity Basketball | 3.23 |
| Boys Varsity Wrestling | 3.05 |

Ft. Zumwalt South HS

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|---------------------------------|------|
| Girls Freshman Basketball | 3.09 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Basketball | 3.19 |
| Girls Varsity Basketball | 3.19 |
| Boys Varsity Basketball | 3.00 |
| Girls Varsity Cheerleading | 3.01 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Dance | 3.05 |
| Boys Freshman Baseball | 3.09 |
| Boys Freshman Volleyball | 3.14 |
| Boys Junior Varsity Volleyball | 3.01 |
| Combined Group Orchestra | 3.18 |
| Combined Group Vocal | 3.21 |
| Combined Group Band | 3.04 |

Glendale HS

| | |
|----------------------------------|------|
| Boys Varsity Football | 3.12 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Softball | 3.20 |
| Boys Varsity Swimming and Diving | 3.16 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Volleyball | 3.23 |
| Girls Freshman Basketball | 3.18 |
| Boys Junior Varsity Baseball | 3.24 |
| Boys Varsity Baseball | 3.24 |

Grandview MS

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|---------------------------------|------|
| Girls Junior High Cross Country | 3.21 |
| Girls 8th Grade Basketball | 3.14 |

Grandview HS

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| Girls Varsity Volleyball | 3.00 |
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Hallsville HS

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| Combined Group Football | 3.08 |
| Boys Basketball | 3.10 |
| Combined Group Cross Country | 3.23 |

Herculaneum HS

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| Boys Varsity Cross Country | 3.09 |
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Hermann HS

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| Boys Varsity Golf | 3.14 |
| Boys Track and Field | 3.10 |

Hermitage HS

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|----------------------------|------|
| Girls Varsity Cheerleading | 3.11 |
| Boys Varsity Basketball | 3.23 |

Holt HS

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| Girls Varsity Cheerleading | 3.21 |
| Girls Dance | 3.18 |
| Boys Varsity Swimming and Diving | 3.07 |

Kickapoo HS

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|-----------------------------------------|------|
| Boys Junior Varsity Swimming and Diving | 3.16 |
| Boys Varsity Swimming and Diving | 3.21 |
| Boys Freshman Football | 3.04 |
| Boys Varsity Soccer | 3.07 |
| Girls Freshman Cheerleading | 3.09 |
| Girls Dance | 3.10 |

Kirkville HS

| | |
|------------------------|------|
| Girls Varsity Golf | 3.22 |
| Boys Varsity Golf | 3.19 |
| Boys Varsity Baseball | 3.15 |
| Boys Varsity Wrestling | 3.19 |

Kirkwood HS

| | |
|---------------------------------|------|
| Girls Freshman Basketball | 3.17 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Basketball | 3.08 |
| Girls Freshman Cheerleading | 3.09 |
| Boys Varsity Track and Field | 3.17 |
| Boys Junior Varsity Golf | 3.13 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Lacrosse | 3.24 |

Lafayette County HS

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| Boys Track and Field | 3.08 |
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Lafayette HS (Wildwood)

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|-----------------------------------|------|
| Boys Freshman Soccer | 3.00 |
| Boys Varsity Football | 3.13 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Field Hockey | 3.24 |
| Combined Group Concert Chorale | 3.07 |
| Boys Junior Varsity Baseball | 3.24 |
| Boys Track and Field | 3.14 |

Lee's Summit HS

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|-----------------------------------|------|
| Boys Junior Varsity Cross Country | 3.08 |
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Lee's Summit North HS

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|-----------------------|------|
| Girls C-Team Softball | 3.00 |
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Lee's Summit West HS

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|-----------------------|------|
| Boys C-Team Soccer | 3.21 |
| Boys Varsity Football | 3.12 |

Liberty (Wentzville) HS

| | |
|---------------------------------------|------|
| Girls Freshman Cheerleading | 3.20 |
| Boys Varsity Cross Country | 3.20 |
| Boys Freshman Soccer | 3.14 |
| Boys Freshman Swimming and Diving | 3.03 |
| Freshman Combined Group Marching Band | 3.01 |

Lutheran North HS

| | |
|-----------------------------|------|
| Girls Varsity Cross Country | 3.17 |
| Boys Junior Varsity Soccer | 3.03 |
| Boys Varsity Soccer | 3.14 |

Lutheran South HS

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|-----------------------------------|------|
| Girls Junior Varsity Volleyball | 3.00 |
| Girls Varsity Softball | 3.19 |
| Boys Varsity Football | 3.12 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Field Hockey | 3.01 |
| Boys Junior Varsity Soccer | 3.09 |
| Boys Varsity Cross Country | 3.22 |

Marquette HS

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|---------------------------------|------|
| Concert Choir | 3.20 |
| Treble Choir Chorale | 3.07 |
| Boys Junior Varsity Volleyball | 3.17 |
| Boys Sophomore Basketball | 3.16 |
| Winter Guard | 3.14 |
| Junior Varsity Mystique | 3.14 |
| Boys Track and Field | 3.13 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Basketball | 3.13 |
| Freshman Field Hockey | 3.02 |
| Freshman Boys Soccer | 3.02 |
| Freshman Girls Lacrosse | 3.01 |

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| Maryville HS | |
| Girls Softball..... | 3.11 |
| Boys Football..... | 3.16 |
| Mexico HS | |
| Boys Golf..... | 3.20 |
| Boys Basketball..... | 3.17 |
| Nixa HS | |
| Boys Varsity Soccer..... | 3.19 |
| Boys Junior Varsity/Varsity Wrestling..... | 3.15 |
| Girls Cheerleading..... | 3.22 |
| Northwest HS (Cedar Hill) | |
| Boys Varsity Basketball..... | 3.06 |
| Notre Dame HS (Cape Girardeau) | |
| Boys Varsity Wrestling..... | 3.07 |
| Boys Junior Varsity Track and Field..... | 3.22 |
| Boys Junior Varsity Golf..... | 3.21 |
| Boys Freshman Baseball..... | 3.07 |
| Boys Junior Varsity Tennis..... | 3.06 |
| Orchard Farm HS | |
| Combined Group Junior Varsity Cross Country..... | 3.13 |
| Girls Freshman Volleyball..... | 3.08 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Track and Field..... | 3.17 |
| Boys Varsity Baseball..... | 3.09 |
| Owensville HS | |
| Boys Track and Field..... | 3.03 |
| Ozark HS | |
| Boys Wrestling..... | 3.06 |
| Park Hill HS | |
| Baseball..... | 3.10 |
| Boys Golf..... | 3.21 |
| Speech and Debate (1st Semester)..... | 3.12 |
| Boys Junior Varsity/Varsity Baseball..... | 3.10 |
| Boys Junior Varsity/Varsity Golf..... | 3.21 |
| Speech and Debate (2nd Semester)..... | 3.04 |
| Park Hill South HS | |
| Boys Varsity Wrestling..... | 3.00 |
| Raymore Peculiar HS | |
| Combined Group JV/Varsity Cross Country..... | 3.04 |
| Girls Junior Varsity/Varsity Golf..... | 3.18 |
| Ste. Genevieve HS | |
| Boys Varsity Cross Country..... | 3.09 |
| St. Charles HS | |
| Combined Group JV Cross Country..... | 3.14 |
| Girls Junior Varsity Softball..... | 3.18 |
| Girls Freshman Volleyball..... | 3.07 |
| Combined Group Junior Varsity Cheerleading..... | 3.12 |
| Combined Group Varsity Cheerleading..... | 3.16 |
| Boys Freshman Wrestling..... | 3.10 |
| Boys Junior Varsity Wrestling..... | 3.00 |
| Boys Freshman Basketball..... | 3.10 |
| Boys Freshman Baseball..... | 3.23 |
| Combined Group Varsity Tennis..... | 3.19 |
| St. Charles West HS | |
| Boys Junior Varsity Basketball..... | 3.20 |
| Boys Varsity Wrestling..... | 3.20 |
| St. Clair HS | |
| Boys Freshman Basketball..... | 3.23 |
| Boys Varsity Basketball..... | 3.13 |
| Boys Varsity Baseball..... | 3.13 |
| Boys Varsity Track and Field..... | 3.20 |
| Boys Junior Varsity Track and Field..... | 3.00 |
| St. Francis Borgia HS | |
| Boys Freshman Football..... | 3.20 |
| Ste. Genevieve HS | |
| Boys Junior Varsity Baseball..... | 3.22 |
| Boys Varsity Baseball..... | 3.16 |
| Boys Varsity Golf..... | 3.13 |
| Boys Varsity Track and Field..... | 3.12 |
| Sullivan HS | |
| Boys Varsity Soccer..... | 3.11 |
| Boys 8th Grade Basketball..... | 3.21 |
| Sunny Vale MS | |
| Girls Basketball..... | 3.02 |
| Boys Track and Field..... | 3.06 |
| Timberland HS | |

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|---------------------------------------|------|
| Boys Freshman Baseball..... | 3.23 |
| Boys Varsity Baseball..... | 3.18 |
| Boys Junior Varsity Tennis..... | 3.10 |
| Girls C Team soccer..... | 3.10 |
| Truman HS | |
| Girls Cross Country..... | 3.12 |
| Boys Soccer..... | 3.08 |
| Boys Cross Country..... | 3.05 |
| Combined Group Speech and Debate..... | 3.11 |
| Van Far MS | |
| Boys 7th Grade Basketball..... | 3.24 |
| Boys 8th Grade Basketball..... | 3.22 |
| Van Far HS | |
| Boys Basketball..... | 3.09 |
| Washington HS | |
| Boys Varsity Football..... | 3.21 |
| Boys Junior Varsity Soccer..... | 3.11 |
| Boys Varsity Soccer..... | 3.15 |
| Boys Junior Varsity Basketball..... | 3.14 |
| Boys Varsity Basketball..... | 3.22 |
| Waynesville HS | |
| Combined Group Varsity Wrestling..... | 3.16 |
| Boys Soccer..... | 3.03 |
| Boys Varsity Baseball..... | 3.22 |
| Boys Varsity Track and Field..... | 3.02 |
| Webster Groves HS | |
| Boys Junior Varsity Basketball..... | 3.24 |
| Girls C-Team Basketball..... | 3.17 |
| Combined Group Wrestling..... | 3.23 |
| Girls Freshman Cheerleading..... | 3.07 |
| Boys Swimming and Diving..... | 3.21 |
| Girls Golf..... | 3.14 |
| West County HS | |
| Boys Varsity Basketball..... | 3.21 |
| Boys Varsity Baseball..... | 3.16 |

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|---------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Carthage Junior HS | |
| Brett Fullerton..... | Basketball |
| Central (Springfield) HS | |
| KK Lusk..... | Girls Soccer |
| Bailey Donnellan..... | Girls Soccer |
| Chamais HS | |
| Paige Nolte..... | Band |
| Karina Mehrest..... | Band |
| Elizabeth Driskeel..... | Band |
| DeSoto HS | |
| Meaghan Miche..... | Football Cheerleading |
| Romni Boynten..... | Football and Wrestling Cheerleading |
| Allison Krodringer..... | Football and Wrestling Cheerleading |
| Kileigh Meredith..... | Wrestling Cheerleading |
| Alex Mason..... | Football Cheerleading |
| Mariah Levall..... | Football and Wrestling Cheerleading |
| Becca Light..... | Softball |
| Hallsville HS | |
| Cole Burkett..... | Basketball |
| Justin Hendren..... | Basketball |
| Melvin Copeland II..... | Wrestling |
| Kearney HS | |
| Tyler Thorne..... | Boys Basketball |
| Ethan Irsik..... | Junior Varsity Basketball |
| Maple Park MS | |
| Imani Love..... | Basketball |
| Bol Tony..... | Basketball |
| Destiny Thomas..... | Girls Track and Field |
| Justin Park..... | Boys Track and Field |
| Brittany Gonzalez..... | Girls Swimming and Diving |
| Samuel Cruz..... | Boys Swimming and Diving |

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MIAAA/NIAAA Student-Athlete Scholarship Recipients

The two Missouri NIAAA Scholarship Essay winners for 2014 were seniors Joshua Jacobsen of Lawson High School and Kelsey Tepen from Eureka High School. Both student-athletes had outstanding essays and athletic credentials, as did many applicants. These student-athletes also had an outstanding record of civic duty. Their athletic directors spoke highly of their ability to give back to their community and of their devotion to other organizations within, and outside of, the school.

Kelsey Tepen was a 3 sport athlete and earned 7 Varsity Letters. She was an All-State Softball player helping her team to the Final Four and carried a 3.8 GPA. In her essay, Kelsey credited her experiences with sports for shaping much of her life. She wrote, "Unlike students that dread going to school every day, I am excited to attend classes not just to learn, but also because I know my teammates and coaches are relying on me to be there." Her athletic director is Jason Green. Jason noted, "The leadership and example that she has set for our program on and off the field of play is immeasurable. Kelsey's eagerness to take on responsibility and to take on the leadership role is uncommon for someone her age."

Joshua Jacobsen, representing Lawson High School, has participated in Football, Baseball and Basketball for 4 years lettering 8 times while maintaining a 4.378 GPA and a 30 on the ACT. He has earned Athletic and Academic

All-State honors while attending Lawson High School. When asked to describe lessons sports taught him -- Joshua stated "sports and teammates taught him how special playing a sport really is and has given him a common bond with his teammates to fight together all the time even if they get knocked on their back once in a while." Chad Lange, Lawson High School Athletic Director states that "Joshua is self-driven and understands the importance of being well-rounded. He is able to prioritize the high demands of today's student athlete to maximize success in the classroom and on the field."

Kelsey and Joshua both received a \$1000.00 scholarship from the MIAAA and presented their essays at the MIAAA Spring Conference Banquet, which was held April 6, 2014 at Tan-Tar-A Resort in Osage Beach, MO. Their essays will go on to compete for an additional \$1500.00 scholarship at the NIAAA Section V

meeting in Omaha, NE June 3-4, 2014. Their essays will compete with the scholarship winners from Kansas, Nebraska, South Dakota, North Dakota, and Minnesota. The Section V winners move on to compete for the \$2000.00 NIAAA national scholarship later in the summer of 2010.

This year, the MIAAA also presented two runner-up awards of \$5000.00 each. The female runner-up was Madeleine Weber of Monett High School, Daryl Bradley athletic Director. The male runner-up was Jayden Happel of Fair Grove High School, Jason O'Neal athletic director.

For more information regarding the MIAAA/NIAAA scholarship program for Missouri, contact Josh Scott, CAA, Waynesville High School, Waynesville, MO. 573-842-2450 or e-mail at jscott@waynesville.k12.mo.us



How High School Athletics Has Impacted My Life

By Josh Jacobsen

Every day I am faced with hundreds of possible influences and decisions, and how I make those decisions will affect me for the rest of my life and how people see me as a person. Aside from my parents, nothing else in my high school career has more of a positive impact on me than high school athletics. Though high school athletics have taught me much, the three main things they have taught me are how to-be successful, the importance of teamwork and authentic problem solving skills.

Being successful is very difficult to measure. Without high school sports, I probably wouldn't have known that you don't always have to win to be successful. But, they have taught me how to prepare to be successful on my own terms: with hard work, a good game plan, and a positive attitude. We can't just walk into a State Championship game and try to wing it with a questionable attitude and little work put into practice. Success takes extra work, sacrifice, and the willpower to stay on the road that is less traveled. I was introduced to this philosophy by a leader who has the power to engrain those strong traits into young men. That leader was my high school football coach, Coach Dunn. The newspapers said that this was going to be a

rebuilding year for us due to our few returning starters, but we got there, and proved everyone wrong. After losing the state championship game this year, our team was understandably very emotional. But he told us that just because we didn't win doesn't mean we weren't successful. He said that any abrupt conclusion in life of something that you've put in so much time and work into is going to hurt. But as long as you gave it your all, you have done the best that you can do. From then on, I knew that alone, was being successful.

In this world, it is difficult to accomplish much without the help of others. Being a part of a team is an invaluable experience that high school sports provide. We get the opportunity to get to know people. Later in life, collaborating with others will be a vital skill for, again, being successful. Being on a team also taught me accountability. I always had numerous peers counting on me to do the right thing on the playing field, and on the weekends. With the help of that positive peer pressure, I stayed drug, alcohol and tobacco free throughout my high school career which will be a habit I will hopefully be able to continue throughout my life.

Additionally, life doesn't always go as

planned while on a team. We may have to overcome adversity at any time. Someone may get hurt, have broken equipment or get in trouble and it teaches us to think fast and find a solution to the newly absent piece of our team's puzzle. That sort of authentic problem-solving will prove to be valuable in my planned future career as an engineer working with alternative energy. While in college, I plan to get involved in the MU Sustainability office, hydrogen car team or solar car team. That way, I will be able to employ my experiences from high school athletics into new activities and then use those new experiences when searching for a career in renewable energy.

To conclude, high school sports have had an enormous impact on my life and have taught me many important life lessons. With the skills to recognize success, support a team, and solve problems I can leave high school confident that I can be a productive member of society, and I owe my gratitude to the sports I played in high school. Plus, with a cleaner outdoors and smog-free atmosphere, hopefully generations of kids after me can continue to play sports outdoors like I did, which in turn molded me into the person that I am today.

How High School Athletics Has Impacted My Life

By Kelsey Tepen

When I am older and reminiscing about my high school years, there will be many fond memories that will stick out and replay in my head. Some will include laughter shared with friends in the cafeteria, school assemblies or talent shows. Others may come simply from interesting and engaging classroom activities that sparked my interest. But to me, the memories that will really be cherished will be those created in the countless hours I spent with some of the most amazing people I have ever met - my coaches and teammates.

Through basketball and softball at Eureka High School, I have made a great number of strong friendships with all different types of people. I will always regard both of my teams as my family and we all know that if we ever need help or need someone to talk to, we will always be there for each other while in season and out. All the laughter, tears, struggles, joy, and excitement we have shared are special moments that most people never get to experience. My remarkable coaches have taught me lessons in life that could never be taught in a classroom. They have pushed me, encouraged me, and made me into a better overall person. The relationships I have

formed with my teammates and coaches will be with me long after the last buzzer sounds or the last pitch is thrown.

Unlike students that dread going to school every day, I am excited to attend classes not just to learn, but also because I know my teammates and coaches are relying on me to be there. I work so much harder in class because I know I have to keep good grades in order to participate in the sports I love. I'll be honest, sitting in class working on nearly impossible math problems or reading a massive non-fiction book is not very thrilling to me. But the fact that I know I have practice or a game after school makes my days so much more enjoyable and exciting. Because of the competitive nature I have developed as a result of my athletics, I view hurdles in the classroom as just more challenges to overcome.

Through all the experiences I've encountered in high school athletics, I feel I am capable of being a leader in almost everything I do. Playing an important role for my teams, I know that people are always watching my every move and counting on me to make the right decisions. I have learned

the true meaning of reliability, perseverance, responsibility, and work ethic, and these traits will stay with me forever. The struggles my teams and I have faced have made me more competitive and determined. Whether it's a difficult test, assignment, or some type of chore, I will give my best effort because I know if it were a game or practice, I would do the same for my teams.

I can already reminisce about my days before high school, and I realize that going into my freshman year I was blind. I was a scared little 14 year old who strived to get good grades and to make the softball and basketball team. Never did I envision how much joy and greatness I would experience through the next four years as a student athlete. Never did I see myself going to the state championships for softball three straight years. Never did I imagine meeting some of the most astonishing people. Most of all, never would I have imagined learning so many life lessons just through sports. High school athletics have opened my eyes, and for all these reasons, I will forever look back at my high school years with gratitude.

Adrian HS

Dylan Enlow (Football)
Paige Wimsatt (Volleyball, Basketball, Track & Field)

Afton HS

David Jung (Football, Wrestling, Track & Field, Cheerleading)
Patricia Neiswander (Softball)

Appleton City HS

Truman Burchett (Football, Basketball, Track & Field)
Kylie Ackerman (Basketball, Softball)

Arcadia Valley HS

Trevor Orr (Tennis and Cross Country)
Brooke Benz (Basketball and Cross Country)

Archie HS

Boston Dickerson (Basketball, Baseball)
Jordan Schulte (Volleyball, Basketball, Track & Field)

Barstow HS

Joey Penn (Basketball)
Tess Phillips (Basketball)

Bernard C. Campbell MS

Luke Crawford (Cross Country, Track & Field)
Harper Manley (Football Basketball)

Blue Springs South HS

Gabrial Henks (Cross Country, Track & Field)
Bailey Barnett (Swimming and Diving)

Bode MS

Jonathan Walker (Basketball, Track & Field)
Hailey Hopkins (Volleyball, Track & Field)

Branson Junior HS

Collin Pepper (Football, Basketball, Track & Field)
Lauren Garrison (Cross Country, Basketball, Softball)

Braymer HS

Dillon Hall (Football, Basketball, Track & Field)
Bethany Milligan (Softball, Basketball, Track & Field)

Breckenridge HS

Wesley Pratt (Basketball, Track & Field)
Felicia Gardner (Softball, Basketball, Cheerleading)

Bucklin/Macon County HS

Bennet Duncan (Baseball)
Savannah Jochem (Basketball)

Bunceton HS

Dylon Custer (Basketball, Baseball)
Rachel Lenz (Softball, Basketball, Track & Field)

Campbell HS

Austin Wethington (Basketball, Baseball)
Alyssa Everett (Softball, Basketball)

Carl Junction HS

Zach Beyer (Football, Baseball)
Madison Adrian (Tennis)

Carnahan HS

Kendall Brinson (Basketball)
Jamaicca Brown (Softball, Basketball)

Carthersville Junior HS

Randy Brysen (Basketball)
Madison Morgan (Cheerleading, Volleyball)

Center HS

John Teague (Football, Wrestling, Track & Field)
Jasmine Perry (Cross Country, Swimming & Diving, Soccer)

Central (Cape Girardeau) Junior HS

Aaron Harris (Football, Basketball)
Bryar Daum (Basketball, Volleyball)

Central (Park Hills) HS

Hunter Courtois (Football, Basketball)
Blake Daugherty (Volleyball)

Centralia HS

Will Mustain (Golf)
Kailee Whitwood (Softball, Basketball)

Chamois HS

Clay Nolte (Cross Country, Basketball, Track & Field)
Paige Nolte (Basketball)

Charleston HS

Demontrail Clark (Football, Basketball, Track & Field)
Wendy Cross (Volleyball, Cheerleading, Softball)

Chilhowee HS

Lorenzo Cisneros (Football, Basketball)
Beth Harness (Volleyball, Basketball)

Chillicothe HS

Steven Cooper (Soccer, Baseball)
Maggie Groves (Volleyball, Basketball)

Clever HS

Chance Comer (Baseball)
Lexie Tennis (Volleyball, Basketball)

Clinton Middle School

Jesse Kniesley (Football, Wrestling, Track & Field)
Gentry Wishard (Volleyball, Basketball, Track & Field)

Cole Camp HS

Jacob Hickman (Soccer, Cross Country, Track & Field)
Dylana Fox (Cheerleading)
Miranda Goetz (Softball, Basketball)

Concordia HS

Austin Hon (Football, Basketball, Baseball)
Cassidy Brockman (Volleyball, Basketball, Track & Field)

Cor Jesu Academy

Mary Ringwald (Field Hockey, Track & Field)

Craig/Fairfax HS

Trevor Brown (Football, Basketball)
Jocelyn Clayton (Volleyball, Basketball, Track & Field)

Crocker HS

Brett Jones (Baseball, Basketball)
Gerica Curry (Softball, Soccer, Track & Field, Basketball)

Crystal City HS

Trevor Short (Football, Baseball)
Ashleigh Cook (Volleyball, Track & Field)

Dadeville HS

Zane Medley (Basketball, Baseball)
Abigail Jarman (Softball, Basketball)

DeSmet HS

Michael Plassmeyer (Cross Country, Track & Field)

DeSoto HS

Garrett Keath (Football, Baseball)
Caitlyn Vanover (Volleyball)

Dexter HS

Drew Mason (Football, Tennis)
Erika Cobb (Basketball)

Dixon HS

Skyler Parker (Soccer)
Brandi Kilpatrick (Soccer, Track & Field)

Drexel HS

London Collins (Basketball, Baseball)
Sydney Seba (Volleyball, Basketball)

Duchesne HS

Sam Briscoe (Basketball)
Jordan Reimer (Basketball, Soccer)

East Lynne MS

Trey Stone (Basketball)
Hannah Wilson (Basketball)

Eldon HS

Jordan Munn (Football, Track & Field)
Megan Jessman (Track & Field)

Eureka HS

Adam Yancey (Football, Track & Field)
Lindsey McCoy (Basketball, Lacrosse)

Father Tolton Regional Catholic HS

Parker Wilkinson (Cross Country, Baseball)
Kelsey Bequette (Softball)

Ft. Osage HS

Adam Dickmeyer (Football, Wrestling)
Sierra Glassford (Basketball)

Ft. Zumwalt East HS

Joe Bindner (Cross Country, Track & Field)
Michaela Hylen (Cross Country, Swimming & Diving, Track & Field)

Ft. Zumwalt South HS

Tyler Sarquist (Soccer, Wrestling, Track & Field)
Lauren Breshears (Swimming and Diving, Soccer)

Ft. Zumwalt West HS

Hunter Lafeber (Swimming and Diving and Tennis)
Meg Norris (Cross Country, Track & Field)

Fox HS

Brendan Lindsay (Golf)
Brittany Pisoni (Volleyball, Track & Field)

Francis Howell HS

Stuart Shave (Sports Management Team)
Makayla Thompson (Tennis, Basketball)

Francis Howell Central HS

Jack Webb (Football, Cross Country, Wrestling, Baseball)
Katie Wood (Wrestling Manager, Soccer)

Francis Howell North HS

Collin Toedtman (Basketball, Volleyball)
Sofia Quintana (Volleyball)

Fredericktown HS

Nathan Simpson (Basketball, Golf)
Mariah McDowell (Basketball, Soccer)

Galena HS

John LaFevers (Basketball, Baseball)
Kenna Greenway (Softball, Volleyball, Basketball)

Gallatin HS

Chris Cameron (Basketball, Track & Field)
Kaitlyn McNeely (Softball, Track & Field)

Glendale HS

Cameron Maes (Basketball)
Kindra Lierz (Soccer)

Grain Valley HS

Hunter Ramirez (Football, Basketball, Track & Field)
Sarah Turner (Basketball, Track & Field)

Grandview MS

Michael Nweke (Basketball, Track & Field)
Anneka Lewis (Volleyball, Track & Field)

Grandview HS

Freedom Akinmoladun (Football, Basketball)
Hannah Rutherford (Cross Country, Track & Field)

Greenfield HS

Brendan Black (Football, Basketball, Track & Field)
Ali Walters (Volleyball, Basketball, Softball)

Hale HS

Keaton Eddins (Football, Basketball)
Devin Grossman (Softball, Basketball, Track & Field)

Hancock HS

Joe Gillman (Basketball)
Amber Derleth (Cheerleading, Soccer)

Hannibal HS

Mitchell Nichols (Football, Basketball, Track & Field)
Melanie Blasé (Volleyball, Basketball, Track & Field)

Hardin-Central HS

Chase Sims (Football, Basketball)
Olivia Ellis (Softball, Basketball, Track & Field)

Hazelwood West HS

Lens McKeown (Football, Basketball, Track & Field)
Jordan Phillips (Volleyball, Basketball, Track & Field)

Herculaneum HS

Adam Fischer (Basketball, Track & Field)
Hannah Williams (Volleyball)

Hermann HS

Craig Winkelmann (Football, Basketball, Baseball)
Karinne Lane (Cross Country, Volleyball, Basketball, Track & Field)

Hermatige HS

Justin Reynolds (Cross Country, Basketball, Baseball)
Kristen Neidel (Cross Country, Softball)

Higbee HS

Garrett Nauerth (Basketball, Track & Field)
Hope Clark (Softball, Basketball)

Hillsboro HS

Mitchell Scott (Basketball, Track & Field)
Amber Peterson (Softball, Basketball, Track & Field)

Holden HS

Jacob Biddinger (Soccer, Basketball)
Emily Hedrick (Volleyball, Basketball, Track & Field)

Incarnate Word Academy

Amanda Ressel (Golf)

Jackson HS

Jordan Haddin (Baseball)
Sierra Maddox (Track & Field)

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Jefferson City HS

Jarrold Bizzle (Football, Track & Field)
Kylie Runzi (Volleyball)

Jefferson HS (Conception Junction)

Kyler Farnan (Basketball)
Kristina Biley (Softball, Basketball)

Jennings HS

Dezmond Strain (Football, Basketball, Baseball)
Rian Logan (Volleyball, Basketball, Soccer)

John Burroughs HS

Tre Moore (Football, Basketball, Track & Field)
Stephanie Kelly (Tennis, Basketball, Lacrosse)

John F. Kennedy HS

Ben Culver (Soccer, Basketball, Tennis)
Courtney Spiles (Volleyball, Basketball, Soccer)

John B. Lange MS

Brandon Adeshakin (Football, Basketball, Track & Field)
Jazmyn Whitfield (Volleyball, Basketball, Track & Field)

Kearney HS

Adam Lechner (Golf, Swimming and Diving)
Chandler Gallagher (Golf, Basketball)

Kelly HS

Trey Walker (Cross Country, Track & Field)
Jade Rampley (Softball, Soccer)

Kennett HS

Bron McPherson (Football, Track & Field)
Kelsey Washburn (Tennis, Cheerleading, Softball)

Kickapoo HS

John Fuchs (Football, Basketball, Golf)
Madison Marshall (Volleyball, Track & Field)

Ladue Horton Watkins HS

Jonathan Collins (Football, Basketball, Track & Field)
Hope Williams (Lacrosse)

Lafayette County Ms

J.J. McCoy (Football, Basketball, Track & Field)
Ashley Cunningham (Basketball)

Lafayette County HS

Brett Nolte (Football, Basketball, Baseball)
Sam Davis (Softball, Basketball, Track & Field)

Lafayette HS (Wildwood)

Jakob Jozwiakowski (Basketball, Volleyball)
Rachel Peipert (Basketball, Field Hockey)

La Plata HS

Hunter Howe (Basketball, Baseball, Track & Field)
LaDonna White (Softball, Cheerleading)

Lathrop HS

Deryk Thompson (Football, Basketball, Track & Field)
Isabel Maddick (Volleyball, Basketball, Track & Field)

Lebanon HS

Tyler Merriott (Football, Basketball, Baseball)
Hannah Calhoun (Cross Country, Track & Field)

Lee's Summit HS

Louie Bertonein (Cross Country, Track & Field)
Rachel Pate (Softball, Basketball)

Lee's Summit North HS

Josh DeBacker (Basketball, Baseball)
Ashton Heeter (Softball)

Leopold HS

Austin Bucher (Basketball, Baseball)
Denae Arzen (Volleyball, Softball)

Liberty HS

Ryan Crisman (Basketball)
Katelynn Downey (Softball)

Lindbergh HS

Max Roby (Football, Wrestling)
Emily Bozdeck (Basketball)

Logan Rogersville HS

Matthew Zahn (Baseball)
Emma Metz (Swimming and Diving)

Lone Jack HS

Cole Shope (Cross Country, Basketball, Baseball, Track & Field)
Haley Nazworthy (Volleyball, Basketball, Track & Field)

Louisiana MS

Zac Harrison (Football, Basketball, Track & Field)
Autumn Castagna (Softball, Basketball, Track & Field)

Louisiana HS

Zach Richardson (Football, Basketball, Baseball)
Allison Lawson (Softball, Basketball, Track & Field)

Lutheran South HS

Austin Kistner (Football, Track & Field)
Emily Odegard (Cross Country, Swimming and Diving, Track & Field)

Lutheran St. Charles HS

JT Wilshusen (Football, Wrestling)
Hannah Leppien (Volleyball, Basketball, Track & Field)

Macon HS

Clint Shannon (Football, Basketball, Track & Field)
Katie Clapp (Softball, Basketball, Track & Field)

Mark Twain HS

Andrew Borders (Basketball)
Alicia Cole (Softball, Basketball, Track & Field)

Maryville MS

Quentin Ternus (Football, Basketball, Track & Field)
Mackenna McMahon (Football, Basketball, Track & Field)

McDonald County HS

Matt Forbes (Football, Track & Field)
Dani Pierce (Volleyball)

Marceline HS

Blake Belzer (Football, Track & Field)
Morgan McCormick (Softball, Basketball, Track & Field)

Marionville HS

Isaac Crockett (Football, Basketball, Track & Field)
Whitney Wright (Softball, Basketball, Track & Field)

Marquand-Zion HS

Ethan Lord (Basketball)
Jesse Carey (Volleyball)

Marquette HS

Brooks Gerrity (Basketball)
Nicole Seevers (Softball, Lacrosse)

Marshfield HS

Shelby Dowler (Basketball)
Lauren Aldridge (Basketball)

Marshall HS

Zach Glassmaker (Football, Basketball, Track & Field)
Payton Beeler (Tennis, Basketball, Soccer)

McCluer North HS

Ryan Batisto (Swimming and Diving, Tennis)
Danielle Signaigo (Swimming and Diving)

Mehlville HS

Tanner Merz (Basketball, Volleyball)
Emily Fox (Basketball, Soccer)

Metro HS

Noah Panicola (Soccer)
Sofia Estrada (Volleyball, Soccer)

Miami HS

Dylan Good (Football, Basketball)
Makalyn Gutshall (Volleyball, Basketball, Track & Field)

MICDS

Peter Condie (Cross Country, Track & Field)
Josie Cusworth (Volleyball, Basketball)

Mid Buchanan HS

Tanner Wisnecki (Football, Track & Field)
Marina Hayner (Volleyball, Basketball, Track & Field)

Midway HS

Bobby Zielinski (Football, Basketball, Track & Field)
Miranda Datiman (Volleyball, Track & Field)

Moberly MS

Drake Rucker (Football, Basketball, Track & Field)
Addie Black (Softball, Basketball, Track & Field)

Moberly HS

Acie Seifert (Soccer, Basketball, Golf)
Abbey Price (Softball, Soccer)

Monroe City HS

Kyle Fulton (Football, Basketball, Track & Field, Baseball)
Nathan Rose (Football, Basketball, Track & Field, Baseball)
Emily Lee (Basketball)

Moreland Ridge MS

Matthew Willis (Football, Track & Field)
Madison Crosslin (Volleyball, Basketball, Track & Field)

Neosho HS

Sam Williams (Wrestling)
Sydney Anderson (Cross Country, Track & Field)

Nerinx Hall HS

Sarah Harness (Track & Field)

Nevada HS

Keegan Bell (Football, Basketball, Golf)
Kelsey McCall (Basketball, Track & Field)
Grace Richard (Swimming)

Niangua HS

Wyatt Bailey (Basketball, Baseball)
Deannah Clift (Volleyball, Basketball)

Normandy HS

Tarrick Blair (Basketball)
Tedrah Ringo (Cheerleading)

Norborne HS

Cody Weisz (Football)
Austin Baxter (Basketball)

North Andrew HS

Quayde Bauman (Football, Basketball)
Brinsley Oliver (Softball, Basketball)

North County Technical HS

Tyler Small (Baseball)
Tanisha Ravenal (Soccer)

North Daviess HS

Dylan Nelson (Basketball, Track & Field)
Brooke Dustman (Basketball, Track & Field)

North Harrison HS

Blake Emig (Softball, Basketball)
Haley Craig (Softball, Basketball, Track & Field)

North Platte HS

Levi Stillwell (Basketball)
Maddie Rogers (Cross Country, Basketball)

Northwest HS (Cedar Hill)

Jarrid Hamilton (Soccer, Basketball, Golf)
Alyssa McAteer (Cross Country, Track & Field)

Oak Park HS

Darrin Head (Basketball, Baseball)
Annie Neds (Soccer)

Oakville HS

Adam Roland (Football, Wrestling, Water Polo, Band)
Brooke Gandhi (Cheerleading)

Oak Grove HS

Ethan Fugitt (Football, Track & Field)
Jordyn Anspach (Volleyball, Basketball)

Oak Grove MS

Jacob Sandy (Track & Field, Cross Country)
Mary Delgado (Basketball, Track & Field)

Odessa HS

Mark Fiegenbaum (Football, Wrestling)
Jillian Bertz (Softball, Track & Field)

Odessa MS

Robbie Magruder (Football, Basketball, Track & Field)
Kaydon Iman (Volleyball, Basketball, Track & Field)

O'Hara HS

Jacob Cheney (Football, Track & Field)
Amanda Hull (Volleyball, Basketball, Track & Field)

Orrick HS

Cody Sparks (Football, Basketball)
Madison Endsley (Volleyball, Basketball, Track & Field)

Osage Trial MS

Otto Vlborg (Football, Basketball, Track & Field)
Amber Lee (Volleyball, Basketball, Soccer)

Osborn HS

Chad Graeff (Basketball, Track & Field)
Abby Snow (Basketball, Track & Field)

Otterville HS

Emalie Oehrke (Softball, Basketball, Cheerleading, Baseball, Archery)
Lisa Robertson (Softball, Basketball, Track & Field, Baseball)

Orchard Farm HS

Ben Phillips (Football, Track & Field)
Rachael Knobbe (Softball, Basketball)

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Owensville HS

Ben Angell (Football, Basketball, Track & Field)
Miranda Robertson (Volleyball, Basketball, Soccer)

Ozark HS

Noah Nelson (Basketball)
Haleigh Doss (Cheerleading)

Palmyra MS

Brady Nierman (Football, Track & Field)
Grace Watson (Softball, Basketball, Track & Field)

Park Hill HS

Jacob Lee (Basketball)
Kim Rau (Cross Country, Track & Field)

Parkway West HS

Grant Keesling (Swimming and Diving, Water Polo)
Maddy Quoss (Volleyball)

Pattonsburg HS

Matt Huskey (Basketball)
Carley Cornett (Softball, Basketball)

Pierce City HS

Zack Hyde (Football, Basketball, Track & Field)
McKenzie Morland (Softball, Basketball, Track & Field)

Platte County HS

Matthew Barmann (Football, Wrestling)
Andrea Ball (Tennis)

Polo HS

Brandon Latimer (Football, Wrestling, Track & Field)
Adriana Segar (Softball, Basketball, Track & Field, Cheerleading)

Poplar Bluff Junior HS

Thomas Abney (Football, Track & Field)
Katie Slinger (Cross Country, Track & Field)

Poplar Bluff HS

Aaron Vincent (Football, Wrestling, Track & Field)
Allison Huskey (Cross Country, Track & Field)

Putnam County HS

Jacob Parker (Football, Basketball, Golf, Track & Field)
Kaisee Perkins (Softball, Basketball)

Raymore-Peculiar HS

Blake Skeed (Football, Baseball)
Rebekah Mueller (Softball)

Raytown HS

Ben Gans (Swimming and Diving, Track & Field)
Maggie Farrand (Cross Country, Swimming and Diving, Track & Field)

Raytown South MS

Lewis Caples (Football, Wrestling, Track & Field)
Angelayah Carter (Volleyball, Basketball, Track & Field)

Reeds Spring MS

Austin Bradfield (Football, Basketball, Track & Field)
Rachel Bagg (Volleyball, Basketball, Track & Field)

Richmond HS

Lendarrius Pritchett (Football, Basketball, Track & Field)
Mary Beth Bailey (Cross Country, Track & Field)

Ridgeway HS

Matthew Craig (Softball, Basketball, Scholar Bowl)
Whitney Thomas (Softball, Basketball)

Rockhurst HS

Nelson Peterson (Wrestling)

Rockwood Summit HS

John Bantle (Swimming & Diving, Water Polo, Wrestling)
Talisa Morton (Softball)

Rock Bridge HS

Jackson Dubinski (Basketball, Golf)
Laurie Frew (Basketball, Soccer)

Russellville HS

Jamie Porter (Track & Field, Cross Country)
Adrianna Basnett (Basketball, Softball)

Sacred Heart HS

Clint Spangler (Football, Basketball, Baseball)
Erin Holt (Golf, Softball)

St. Paul Lutheran HS

Gerhard Von Zur Muehlen (Football, Basketball, Track & Field)
Hadley Rolf (Volleyball, Cross Country, Soccer, Track & Field)

Salisbury HS

Brady Francis (Football, Basketball, Golf, Track & Field)
Sarah Willhite (Basketball, Track & Field)

Saxony Lutheran HS

Chase Steffens (Basketball, Baseball)
Maci Daniel (Basketball, Soccer)

Schuyler County HS

Zach Schmitter (Football, Baseball)
Laynee Schubert (Softball, Basketball, Track & Field)

Sherwood HS

Zach Matson (Football, Basketball, Baseball)
Shelby Crusha (Softball, Basketball, Track & Field)

Sikeston HS

Reese Porter (Football, Basketball)
Mikala Nichols (Basketball, Track & Field)

Silex HS

Matt Mueller (Basketball, Baseball)
Brittany Howard (Softball, Basketball)

Skyline HS

Colton Wouters (Basketball, Track & Field)
Hannah Myers (Volleyball, Basketball)

Slater HS

Mary Rose Gonzalez (Softball, Basketball, Track & Field)
Noah Leinkuehlen (Track & Field, Basketball)

South Callaway HS

Zachary Marty (Football, Track & Field, Baseball)
Andrea Rodriguez (Cross Country, Track & Field)

South Harrison HS

Daniel Darby (Football, Basketball, Track & Field)
Hunter Purdun (Basketball, Track & Field, Cheerleading)

Spokane HS

Brandon McCoy (Basketball, Baseball)
Becca Sledge (Softball, Track & Field, Cheerleading)

Staley HS

Landon Allen (Cross Country, Baseball)
Sydney Bailey (Volleyball)

Steelville HS

Devin Diaz (Basketball, Cross Country, Track & Field)
Erin Gaddis (Volleyball, Dance)

Stoutland HS

Tony Sein (Basketball, Baseball)
Alicia Willard (Cross Country, Basketball)

Sullivan HS

Chris Erxleben (Cross Country, Basketball, Track & Field)
Natalie Schriever (Cross Country, Track & Field)

Sunrise MS

Hunter Canada (Football, Basketball, Track & Field)
Faith Sherrow (Volleyball, Basketball, Choir)

St. Charles HS

Kevin Miller (Football, Track & Field)
Emily Bathe (Track & Field, Dance)

St. Clair HS

Kevin Cox (Football, Basketball, Baseball)
Katelyn Guehne (Volleyball, Basketball, Track & Field)

St. Dominic HS

Brendan Niggemeier (Basketball, Baseball)
Katie Heiligenstein (Basketball, Soccer)

St. Francis Borgia HS

Jack Conroy (Soccer, Track & Field)
Emily Grahl (Basketball, Soccer, Track & Field)

St. James HS

Addison Conway (Football, Basketball, Track & Field)
Amie Diestelkamp (Softball, Basketball, Track & Field)

St. Mary's Middle School (Pierce City)

Gage Brown (Football, Basketball, Track & Field)
Kelly Kaiser (Volleyball, Basketball)

St. Pius X (Festus) HS

Andrew Vest (Basketball, Golf)
Kathryn Loucks (Tennis, Golf)

Sullivan MS

Irvin Vallecillo (Cross Country, Track & Field)
Mariah Lange (Volleyball, Basketball, Track & Field)

Summit Lakes MS

Phillip Brooks (Football, Basketball, Track & Field)
McKayla Kelby (Basketball, Track & Field)

Thomas Jefferson Independent School

Sanjay Jenkins (Soccer, Cross Country, Basketball)
Kaylee Conner (Volleyball, Basketball)

Tipton HS

David Richardson (Football, Baseball)
Jessica Petree (Softball, Basketball)

Tri-County HS

Tyler Lane (Softball, Basketball)
Katana Almond (Softball, Basketball, Track & Field)

Trenton HS

Chris Kurtz (Football, Basketball)
Cassidy Cotton (Softball, Basketball, Cheerleading)

Truman HS

William Harmon (Cross Country, Track & Field)
Kayla Harrell (Softball, Basketball)

Truman MS (St. Joseph)

Patrick Bracciano (Basketball)
Gwen Bachman (Cross Country, Basketball, Track & Field)

T.S. Hill MS

Ben Sindle (Football, Basketball, Baseball)
Allison Sneed (Track & Field)

Valle Catholic HS

Matthew Skaggs (Football, Basketball, Track & Field)
Courtney Huck (Volleyball)

Valley Calendonias HS

Nathan Closson (Basketball, Baseball)
Jamie Hutchings (Volleyball, Basketball)

Villa Duchesne

Annie Price (Cross Country, Track & Field)

Van Horn HS

Kylan Alexander (Football, Track & Field)
Cierra Sua (Volleyball, Basketball, Soccer)

Warrenton HS

Ethan Luecke (Golf)
Danielle Dieckmann (Softball)

Warrensburg HS

Tristan Hicks (Cross Country, Basketball, Baseball)
Rachel Meade (Softball, Basketball, Soccer)

Washington HS

Logan Gillig (Junior Varsity Golf)
MC Landolt (Softball, Track & Field)

Waynesville HS

Robert Bruns (Soccer, Track & Field)
Alyssa Arnold (Volleyball)

Weaubleau HS

Gavin Alexander (Baseball)
Kyla Minica (Softball, Basketball)

Webster Groves HS

Matt Sorensen (Volleyball)
Lily Molia (Lacrosse, Field Hockey)

Wellsville-Middletown HS

Caleb Slovensky (Basketball, Baseball)
Jordan Kellogg (Cross Country, Softball, Basketball, Track & Field)

Westminster Christian Academy

Tyler Catlett (Football, Basketball, Baseball)
Jessica Dreesbeimdieke (Golf)

West Nodaway HS

Zack Harris (Football, Basketball, Track & Field, Baseball)
Cheyann Marrison (Volleyball, Basketball)

West Plains HS

Tray Whitsell (Football)
Breanna Harris (Basketball)

Westran HS

Jordan Aulbur (Football, Basketball, Baseball)
Makayla Reynolds (Softball, Basketball)

Winston HS

Morgan Farrell (Basketball, Track & Field, Softball)
Josie McFee (Softball, Cross Country, Basketball, Track & Field, Cheerleading)

Wright City HS

Richard Liddell (Football, Basketball, Track & Field)
Brittany McPike (Softball, Basketball, Track & Field)

Zalma HS

Nate Counts (Cross Country, Track & Field)
Morgan McGregor (Volleyball, Track & Field)

Vienna Student Earns Top Honor In Sportsmanship Essay Contest

Christi Kern, a Vienna Junior High School student, is the winner of the 2013-14 MSHSAA Junior High Sportsmanship Essay Contest. After winning the South Central district contest, her essay on the topic **"How do Spectators Exhibit or Model Good Sportsmanship at School Events?"** became eligible for state-level judging against the other district winners from around the state in the 15th annual contest.

All of the state finalists received prize packets from the MSHSAA which included memorabilia and gift certificates

donated by MSHSAA, sports teams and tourist attractions from around the state.

More than 280 junior high schools in the state began the contest with local-level judging in November. Individual school winners advanced to district-level judging, and the top finishers in each district qualified for the state-level competition. A complete list of district finishers and the winning essays from each district can be found in the Sportsmanship Resources area of the MSHSAA web site (www.mshsaa.org).

2014 Winning Essay

"How do Spectators Exhibit or Model Good Sportsmanship at School Events?"

By: Christi Kern, Vienna Junior High School

A good sportsman is an individual who displays fairness, courtesy, and is a cheerful loser. Good sportsmanship is shown when one does not put others down when they are winning, or even when they are losing. Good sportsmen show respect for teammates, other teams, and follow the rules, even if it means losing. This special quality is not very common, but when found, can be a positive influence on many people.

Some people may think that good sportsmanship only applies to teammates, but this is not true. Along with teammates, spectators need to exhibit good sportsmanship as well. As spectators watch and observe, instead of putting other teams down, they should cheer for and encourage everyone on the field or court. If a spectator is constantly criticizing members of a team, they could easily lower that individual's self-esteem. This reminds us that good sportsmanship is important for everyone at all times.

Along with equal encouragement, spectators should model fairness by accepting and respecting the judgment of referees and officials. This helps keep conflict at a minimum and the game running smoothly. Spectators can also make sure to keep their language appropriate and make sure their actions are setting a good example for younger children and adolescents.

In conclusion, spectators should keep in mind that what they say at school events can either harm or help. As spectators show good sportsmanship, others will follow, making events more positive and fun to attend. It is very important for everyone to demonstrate fairness, respect, and winning or losing gracefully. Ultimately, everyone's good sportsmanship counts toward a successful, enjoyable event.

2014 Runner-Up Essay

"How do Spectators Exhibit or Model Good Sportsmanship at School Events?"

By: Megan Costello, Wentzville Middle School

If you look up the word sportsmanship in the dictionary, you will find that it gives a very broad definition. Specifically, it says, "Sportsmanlike conduct, as fairness, courtesy, being a cheerful loser, etc." We all know examples of a player having sportsmanship or being a "good sport", but what does it really mean for spectators? What is an acceptable way to act at these games if you are not playing at all?

Examples of good sportsmanship from spectators are hard to find, and they really aren't something we about on a day-to-day basis. When I think of sportsmanship exhibited by spectators, I am reminded of my soccer games from when I was about nine years old. I remember how when a player would get hurt or fall down, the spectators would clap as they sluggishly walked off the field. I always thought that this was something that was especially sportsmanlike because it made everyone feel like a team. It reminded us that we were there to play a game, not to yell at the other team. In truth, it really didn't matter if we won or lost. It surely didn't matter to a couple of nine year olds who just wanted to play a game on those chilly Saturday mornings.

I know that sports now for high school (or even middle school) are much more important than a nine year old's soccer game. You may be hoping for a scholarship or to win that big tournament for your school, but our sportsmanship shouldn't change. We should still cheer for players when they get back on their feet, even if they are on the other team. We should still treat them with the kindness and respect that we treat our teammates with. Because we're all here for the exact same reason. We are here because we love the game. The players are the ones who should worry about the competition, not the spectators. The spectators are there to support players and have a good time watching the game.



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