# **IHSAA Executive Committee**

Thursday, October 7, 2021 Indianapolis, Indiana



#### **PRESENT**

**Executive Committee Members:** Chairman Victor Bush, Vice-Chairman Stacy Adams, Tom Black, Jim Brown, Nathan Dean, Kye Denney, Jeff Doyle, Rae Ferriell-Woolpy, Tom Finicle, Chad Gilbert, Ed Gilliland, Tim Grove, Matt Martin, Patti McCormack, John Steinhilber, Brian Strong, Mike Whitten, Dave Worland.

**Executive Staff Members:** Commissioner Paul Neidig, Assistant Commissioners Robert Faulkens, Chris Kaufman, Brian Lewis, Kerrie Schludecker, Sandra Walter; Attorney Katie Williams-Briles, Technology Director Luke Morehead, Director of Broadcast Operations Heath Shanahan, Sports Information Director Jason Wille, Foundation President Matt Wolfert.

#### **AGENDA**

# **ACTION ITEMS**

# 1) CONSIDERATION FOR APPROVAL – AUGUST MEETING MINUTES

The minutes of the August 24, 2021 meeting were recommended for approval.

A motion for approval was made by Tim Grove; seconded by Jeff Doyle; motion approved 18-0.

# 2) CONSIDERATION FOR APPROVAL – 2021-22 BOYS & GIRLS BASKETBALL SECTIONAL HOST SITES

Assistant Commissioner Sandra Walter reported on the general format, sites and other preliminary plans for the 2021-22 Girls Basketball State Tournament Series. Host school is listed in bold. Notify the IHSAA immediately if your school does not plan to enter or if your school plans to enter and is not assigned.

A motion for approval was made by Jim Brown; seconded by Patti McCormack; motion approved 18-0.

### **Girls Basketball**

**SECTIONALS: FEB. 1, 2, 4, 5, 2022** 

# Class 4A

Sectional 1	Sectional 2	Sectional 3	Sectional 4
East Chicago Central	Chesterton	LaPorte	Concord
Gary West Side	Crown Point	Michigan City	Elkhart
Hammond Central	Hobart	Mishawaka	Goshen
Hammond Morton	Lowell	Plymouth	Northridge
Highland	Merrillville	South Bend Adams	Penn
Lake Central	Portage	South Bend Riley	Warsaw Community
Munster	Valparaiso		•

Sectional 5	Sectional 6	Sectional 7	Sectional 8	
Carroll (Fort Wayne)	Columbia City	Harrison (West Lafayette)	Carmel	
DeKalb	Fort Wayne South Side	Kokomo	Fishers	
East Noble	Fort Wayne Wayne	Lafayette Jefferson	Hamilton Southeastern	
Fort Wayne North Side	Homestead	Logansport	Noblesville	
Fort Wayne Northrop	Huntington North	Marion	Westfield	
Fort Wayne Snider	New Haven	McCutcheon	Zionsville	
·		Northwestern		
Sectional 9	Sectional 10	Sectional 11	Sectional 12	
Anderson	Indianapolis Arsenal	Ben Davis	Avon	
Anderson	Technical	Dell Davis	AVOII	
Greenfield-Central	Indianapolis Cathedral	Decatur Central	Brownsburg	
Mt. Vernon (Fortville)	Indianapolis Crispus	Perry Meridian	Mooresville	
	Attucks			
Muncie Central	Lawrence Central	Pike	Plainfield	
New Palestine	Lawrence North	Roncalli	Terre Haute North Vigo	
Pendleton Heights	North Central	Southport	Terre Haute South Vigo	
	(Indianapolis)			
Richmond	Warren Central			
Sectional 13	Sectional 14	Sectional 15	Sectional 16	
Center Grove	Bloomington North	Bedford North Lawrence	Castle	
Franklin Central	Bloomington South	Floyd Central	Evansville Central	
Franklin Community	Columbus East	Jeffersonville	Evansville F.J. Reitz	
Greenwood Community	Columbus North	Jennings County	Evansville Harrison	
Shelbyville	East Central	New Albany	Evansville North	
Whiteland Community	Martinsville	Seymour	Jasper	
Class 3A				

Sectional 17	Sectional 18	Sectional 19	Sectional 20
Calumet	Culver Academies	Glenn	Lakeland
Griffith	Kankakee Valley	Jimtown	NorthWood
Hanover Central	Knox	Mishawaka Marian	Tippecanoe Valley
Lighthouse CPA	New Prairie	South Bend Clay	Wawasee
River Forest	Wheeler	South Bend Saint Joseph	West Noble
		South Bend Washington	
Sectional 21	Sectional 22	Sectional 23	Sectional 24
Angola	Benton Central	Bellmont	Delta
Fort Wayne Bishop	Maconaquah	Fort Wayne Bishop Luers	Hamilton Heights
Dwenger			
Fort Wayne Concordia	Peru	Eastern (Greentown)	Jay County
Lutheran			
Garrett	Twin Lakes	Heritage	Muncie Burris
Leo	West Lafayette	Mississinewa	New Castle
Woodlan	Western	Norwell	Yorktown
		Oak Hill	

Sectional 25	Sectional 26	Sectional 27	Sectional 28
Crawfordsville	Brownstown Central	Brebeuf Jesuit Preparatory	Beech Grove
Danville Community	Brown County	Christel House Academy	Herron
Frankfort	Edgewood	Guerin Catholic	Indian Creek
Greencastle	Northview	Indianapolis Bishop Chatard	Indianapolis Cardinal Ritter
North Montgomery	Owen Valley	Indianapolis Shortridge	Indianapolis George Washington Comm.
Monrovia	South Vermillion	Lebanon	Speedway
Tri-West Hendricks	West Vigo		
Sectional 29	Sectional 30	Sectional 31	Sectional 32
Batesville	Charlestown	Linton-Stockton	Boonville
Connersville	Corydon Central	Pike Central	Evansville Bosse
Franklin County	North Harrison	Princeton Community	Evansville Reitz Memorial
Greensburg	Madison Consolidated	Sullivan	Gibson Southern
Lawrenceburg	Salem	Vincennes Lincoln	Heritage Hills
Rushville Consolidated	Scottsburg	Washington	Mt. Vernon
South Dearborn	Silver Creek		

# Class 2A

Sectional 33	Sectional 34	Sectional 35	Sectional 36
Andrean	Boone Grove	Bremen	Adams Central
Bowman Leadership	Hebron	Fairfield	Bluffton
Academy			
Hammond Bishop Noll	North Judson-San Pierre	LaVille	Central Noble
Iliana Christian	North Newton	Prairie Heights	Churubusco
Lake Station Edison	Rensselaer Central	South Bend Career Academy	Eastside
Whiting	South Central (Union Mills)	Westview	Fort Wayne Canterbury
	Westville		South Adams
	Winamac Community		Whitko
Sectional 37	Sectional 38	Sectional 39	Sectional 40
Carroll (Flora)	Clinton Prairie	Blackford	Alexandria Monroe
Delphi Community	Fountain Central	Eastbrook	Elwood Community
Lewis Cass	Rossville	Madison-Grant	Frankton
Manchester	Seeger	Taylor	Lapel
Pioneer	Sheridan	Tipton	Monroe Central
Rochester Community		Winchester Community	Wapahani
Wabash			
Sectional 41	Sectional 42	Sectional 43	Sectional 44
Centerville		Cascade	Cloverdale
Hagerstown	Eastern Hancock	Covenant Christian (Indpls)	North Putnam
Knightstown	Heritage Christian	Park Tudor	Parke Heritage
Northeastern	Indianapolis Scecina Memorial	University	Riverton Parke
Shenandoah	Irvington Preparatory Acad	Western Boone	South Putnam
Union County	Triton Central		Southmont

Sectional 45	Sectional 46	Sectional 47	Sectional 48
Milan	Austin	Eastern Greene	Evansville Mater Dei
North Decatur	Clarksville	Loogootee	Forest Park
South Decatur	Crawford County	Mitchell	North Posey
South Ripley	Eastern (Pekin)	North Knox	Perry Central
Southwestern (Hanover)	Henryville	Paoli	South Spencer
Switzerland County	Providence	South Knox	Southridge
			Tell City

# Class 1A

Sectional 49	Sectional 50	Sectional 51	Sectional 52
21st Century Charter School - Gary	Argos	Bethany Christian	Caston
Covenant Christian (DeMotte)	Culver Community	Elkhart Christian Academy	Frontier
Kouts	LaCrosse	Fort Wayne Blackhawk Christian	North White
Marquette Catholic	Oregon-Davis	Fremont	South Newton
Morgan Township	Triton	Hamilton	Tri-County
Washington Township	Trinity School at Greenlawn West Central	Lakewood Park Christian	
Sectional 53	Sectional 54	Sectional 55	Sectional 56
Lakeland Christian Academy	Attica	Anderson Preparatory Academy	Blue River Valley
North Miami	Clinton Central	Cowan	Cambridge City Lincoln
Northfield	Covington	Daleville	Randolph Southern
Southern Wells	Faith Christian	Liberty Christian	Seton Catholic
Southwood	Lafayette Central Catholic	Tri-Central	Tri
	North Vermillion	Wes-Del	Union (Modoc) <i>Union City</i>
Sectional 57	Sectional 58	Sectional 59	Sectional 60
Bloomfield	Bethesda Christian	Central Christian Academy	Hauser
Clay City	Indiana Math and Science Academy	Greenwood Christian Academy	Jac-Cen-Del
Eminence	Indianapolis Metropolitan	Indianapolis Lutheran	Morristown
Lighthouse Christian Academy	Indiana School for the Deaf	Providence Cristo Rey	Oldenburg Academy
North Central (Farmersburg)	International School of Indiana	Tindley	Rising Sun
Shakamak White River Valley	Riverside Traders Point Christian	Victory College Prep	Southwestern (Shelbyville) <i>Waldron</i>
Shakamak	Riverside	Victory College Prep	

Sectional 61	Sectional 62	Sectional 63	Sectional 64
Borden	Crothersville	Barr-Reeve	Cannelton
Christian Academy of Indiana	Edinburgh	North Daviess	Northeast Dubois
Lanesville	Medora	Orleans	Springs Valley
New Washington	Shawe Memorial	Shoals	Tecumseh
Rock Creek Academy South Central (Elizabeth)	Trinity Lutheran <b>West Washington</b>	Vincennes Rivet Washington Catholic	Wood Memorial

# REGIONALS: Saturday, February 12, 2022

# Class 4A

Regional 1	Regional 2	Regional 3	Regional 4
LaPorte	Marion	Decatur Central	Columbus North
Crown Point	Fort Wayne Snider	Brownsburg	Bloomington North
East Chicago Central	Fort Wayne Wayne	Mt. Vernon (Fortville)	Evansville Harrison
Mishawaka	Marion	North Central (Indpls)	Franklin Central
Penn	Westfield	Perry Meridian	Jeffersonville

# Class 3A

Regional 5	Regional 6	Regional 7	Regional 8
Jimtown	Bellmont	Greencastle	Charlestown
Griffith	Mississinewa	Danville Community	Gibson Southern
Knox	West Lafayette	Guerin Catholic	Greensburg
NorthWood	Woodlan	Indian Creek	North Harrison
South Bend Washington	Yorktown	Northview	Washington

# Class 2A

Regional 9	Regional 10	Regional 11	Regional 12
Winamac Community	Frankton	Southmont	Crawford County
Bluffton	Clinton Prairie	Heritage Christian	Crawford County
Fairfield	Eastbrook	Shenandoah	Forest Park
Lake Station Edison	Lapel	Southmont	North Knox
Rensselaer Central	Lewis Cass	Western Boone	Southwestern (Hanover)

# Class 1A

Regional 13	Regional 14	Regional 15	Regional 16
Caston	Wes-Del	Southwestern (Shelby)	West Washington
Bethany Christian	Attica	Clay City	New Washington
<b>Culver Community</b>	Northfield	Indiana School for the Deaf	North Daviess
Morgan Township	Tri-Central	Indianapolis Lutheran	West Washington
North White	Union City	Waldron	Wood Memorial

# SEMI-STATE: Saturday, February 19, 2022

1 North	2 North	3 South	4 South
LaPorte	Logansport	Jasper	Jeffersonville

STATE: Saturday, February 26, 2022 Gainbridge Fieldhouse, Indianapolis

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# **Boys Basketball**

# **SECTIONALS: MARCH 12, 2022**

# Class 4A

Sectional 1 (7)	Sectional 2 (7)	Sectional 3 (6)	Sectional 4 (6)
East Chicago Central	Chesterton	LaPorte	Concord
Gary West Side	Crown Point	Michigan City	Elkhart
Hammond Central	Hobart	Mishawaka	Goshen
Hammond Morton	Lowell	Plymouth	Northridge
Highland	Merrillville	South Bend Adams	Penn
Lake Central	Portage	South Bend Riley	Warsaw Community
Munster	Valparaiso		
Sectional 5 (6)	Sectional 6 (6)	Sectional 7 (6)	Sectional 8 (6)
Carroll (Fort Wayne)	Columbia City	Harrison (West Lafayette)	Carmel
DeKalb	Fort Wayne South Side	Kokomo	Fishers
East Noble	Fort Wayne Wayne	Lafayette Jefferson	Hamilton Southeastern
Fort Wayne North Side	Homestead	Logansport	Noblesville
Fort Wayne Northrop	<b>Huntington North</b>	Marion	Westfield
Fort Wayne Snider	New Haven	McCutcheon	Zionsville
Sectional 9 (7)	Sectional 10 (7)	Sectional 11 (6)	Sectional 12 (6)
Anderson	Indianapolis Arsenal Tech	Ben Davis	Avon
<b>Greenfield-Central</b>	Indianapolis Cathedral	Decatur Central	Brownsburg
Mt. Vernon (Fortville)	Ind Crispus Attucks	Perry Meridian	Mooresville
Muncie Central	Lawrence Central	Pike	Plainfield
New Palestine	Lawrence North	Roncalli	Terre Haute North Vigo
Pendleton Heights	North Central (Indpls)	Southport	Terre Haute South Vigo
Richmond	Warren Central		

Sectional 13 (6)	Sectional 14 (6)	Sectional 15 (6)	Sectional 16 (6)
Center Grove	<b>Bloomington North</b>	<b>Bedford North Lawrence</b>	Castle
Franklin Central	<b>Bloomington South</b>	Floyd Central	Evansville Central
Franklin Community	Columbus East	Jeffersonville	Evansville F.J. Reitz
<b>Greenwood Community</b>	Columbus North	Jennings County	Evansville Harrison
Shelbyville	East Central	New Albany	<b>Evansville North</b>
Whiteland Community	Martinsville	Seymour	Jasper
		Class 3A	
Sectional 17 (E)	Sectional 19 (E)	Sectional 10 (6)	Sectional 20 (7)

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Sectional 17 (5)	Sectional 18 (5)	Sectional 19 (6)	Sectional 20 (7)
Calumet	Culver Academies	Glenn	Benton Central
Griffith	Kankakee Valley	Jimtown	Maconaquah
<b>Hanover Central</b>	Knox	Mishawaka Marian	Northwestern
Lighthouse CPA	New Prairie	South Bend Clay	Peru
River Forest	Wheeler	South Bend Saint Joseph	Twin Lakes
		South Bend Washington	West Lafayette
			Western
Sectional 21 (5)	Sectional 22 (7)	Sectional 23 (6)	Sectional 24 (6)
Lakeland	Angola	Bellmont	Delta
Northwood	Fort Wayne Bishop	Eastern (Greentown)	Hamilton Heights
	Dwenger		
Tippecanoe Valley	Fort Wayne Bishop Luers	Heritage	Jay County

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Tippecanoe Valley	Fort Wayne Bishop Luers	Heritage	Jay County
Wawasee	Fort Wayne Concordia Lutheran	Mississinewa	Muncie Burris
West Noble	Garrett	Norwell	New Castle
	Leo	Oak Hill	Yorktown

Woodlan

Sectional 25 (7)	Sectional 26 (7)	Sectional 27 (6)	Sectional 28 (6)
Crawfordsville	<b>Brownstown Central</b>	Brebeuf Jesuit Preparatory	Beech Grove
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Monrovia	Owen Valley	Indianapolis Shortridge	Indianapolis George Washington Community
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Rushville Consolidated	Scottsburg		Mt. Vernon
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Andrean	Boone Grove	Bremen	Adams Central
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Lake Station Edison	S. B. Career Academy	Fairfield	Manchester
Whiting	South Central (Union Mills)	Prairie Heights	South Adams
	Westville	Westview	Wabash
			Whitko

Sectional 37 (6)	Sectional 38 (6)	Sectional 39 (6)	Sectional 40 (7)
Delphi Community	Carroll (Flora)	Blackford	Alexandria Monroe
Lewis Cass	Clinton Prairie	Eastbrook	<b>Elwood Community</b>
North Newton	Fountain Central	Madison-Grant	Frankton
Rensselaer Central	Rossville	Sheridan	Lapel
<b>Rochester Community</b>	Seeger	Taylor	Monroe Central
Winamac Community	Western Boone	Tipton	Wapahani
			Winchester Community

Sectional 41 (8)	Sectional 42 (6)	Sectional 43 (7)	Sectional 44 (5)
Cambridge City Lincoln	Covenant Christian (Indpls)	Parke Heritage	Milan
Centerville	Heritage Christian	Riverton Parke	North Decatur
Eastern Hancock	Indianapolis Scecina Memorial	Cloverdale	South Decatur
Hagerstown	Irvington Preparatory Academy	North Putnam	South Ripley
Knightstown	Park Tudor	Cascade	Triton Central
Northeastern	University	South Putnam	
Shenandoah		Southmont	
Union County			

Sectional 45 (6)	Sectional 46 (5)	Sectional 47 (5)	Sectional 48 (6)
Austin	Crawford County	Eastern Greene	Evansville Mater Dei
Clarksville	Eastern (Pekin)	Linton-Stockton	Forest Park
Henryville	Paoli	Mitchell	North Posey
Providence	Perry Central	North Knox	South Spencer
Southwestern (Hanover)	Tell City	South Knox	Southridge
Switzerland County			Tecumseh

<u>Class 1A</u>				
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21st Century Charter School - Gary	Argos	Bethany Christian	Caston	
Covenant Christian (DeMotte)	Culver Community	Elkhart Christian Academy	Frontier	
Hammond Academy of Science and Technology	LaCrosse	Fremont	North White	
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Morgan Township	Triton		Tri-County	
Washington Township	West Central			
Sectional 53 (6)	Sectional 54 (6)	Sectional 55 (6)	Sectional 56 (6)	
Lakeland Christian Academy	Attica	Anderson Preparatory Academy	Blue River Valley	
Smith Academy for Excellence	Clinton Central	Cowan	Randolph Southern	
North Miami	Covington	Daleville	Seton Catholic	
Northfield	Faith Christian	Liberty Christian	Tri	
Southern Wells	Lafayette Central Catholic	Tri-Central	Union (Modoc)	
Southwood	North Vermillion	Wes-Del	Union City	
Sectional 57 (7)	Sectional 58 (7)	Sectional 59 (7)	Sectional 60 (7)	
Bloomfield	Bethesda Christian	Central Christian Academy	Hauser	
Clay City	Indiana Math & Science Academy	Greenwood Christian Academy	Jac-Cen-Del	
Eminence	Indiana School for the Deaf	Indianapolis Lutheran	Morristown	
Lighthouse Christian	Indianapolis Metropolitan	Providence Cristo Rey	Oldenburg Academy	
North Central	International School of	Tindley	Rising Sun	
(Farmersburg)	Indiana			
Shakamak	Riverside	Victory College Prep	Southwestern (Shelby)	
White River Valley	Traders Point Christian Academy		Waldron	

Sectional 61 (6)	Sectional 62 (6)	Sectional 63 (6)	Sectional 64 (6)
Borden	Crothersville	Barr-Reeve	Cannelton
Christian Academy of Indiana	Edinburgh	Loogootee	Evansville Day
Lanesville	Medora	North Daviess	Northeast Dubois
New Washington	Shawe Memorial	Orleans	Springs Valley
Rock Creek Academy South Central (Elizabeth)	Trinity Lutheran West Washington	Shoals Washington Catholic	Wood Memorial Vincennes Rivet

# **REGIONALS: MARCH 12, 2022**

# Class 4A

Regional 1	Regional 2	Regional 3	Regional 4
Michigan City	Logansport	Southport	Seymour
Lake Central	DeKalb	Greenfield-Central	<b>Greenwood Community</b>
Portage	Huntington North	North Central (Indianapolis)	Martinsville
Plymouth	Logansport	Ben Davis	Seymour
Elkhart	Noblesville	Terre Haute North Vigo	Evansville North

# Class 3A

Regional 5	Regional 6	Regional 7	Regional 8
<b>South Bend Washington</b>	New Castle	Greencastle	Washington
Hanover Central	Wawasee	Frankfort	Connersville
Kankakee Valley	Garrett	Edgewood	Salem
Mishawaka Marian	Norwell	Lebanon	Princeton Community
Maconaquah	New Castle	Speedway	Boonville

# Class 2A

Regional 9	Regional 10	Regional 11	Regional 12
North Judson	Lapel	<b>Greenfield-Central</b>	Southridge
Whiting	Winamac Community	Hagerstown	Southwestern (Hanover)
North Judson-San Pierre	Western Boone	Park Tudor	Tell City
Westview	Tipton	South Putnam	North Knox
Bluffton	Alexandria Monroe	South Ripley	Southridge

# Class 1A

Regional 13	Regional 14	Regional 15	Regional 16
Triton	Frankfort	Martinsville	Loogootee
Kouts	Southern Wells	White River Valley	Borden
Triton	Attica	Bethesda Christian	Edinburgh
Fremont	Wes-Del	Indianapolis Lutheran	Loogootee
Tri-County	Blue River Valley	Southwestern (Shelbyville)	Springs Valley

# SEMI-STATES: Saturday, March 19, 2022

1 North2 North3 South4 SouthLafayette JeffersonElkhartWashingtonSeymour

STATE: Saturday, March 26, 2022 Gainbridge Fieldhouse, Indianapolis

#### 3) CONSIDERATION FOR APPROVAL – BASKETBALL MERCY RULE PROPOSAL

At all levels of play and in the IHSAA state tournament (except for the state finals), a running clock will be initiated after the first half when one team has a lead of thirty-five (35) points or more. Once the running clock begins, regular timing procedures will not be used for the remainder of the game.

The game clock will run continuously except for the following situations when it will be stopped:

- a. An official's timeout for an injured participant.
- b. A charged (team) timeout occurs.
- c. Intermission between third and fourth quarter.
- d. Anytime a foul is called that will result in free throws.
- e. Anytime officials determine it is necessary for safety reasons.

This rule will take effect with the upcoming 2021-22 boys and girls basketball seasons.

A motion for approval was made by Nathan Dean; seconded by Tim Grove; motion approved 18-0.

# **REPORTS**

#### 4) SOFTBALL COACHES ASSOCIATION PRESENTATION

Kate Todd and Alyssa Coleman, representing the Softball Coaches Association of Indiana, a new organization working on behalf of the sport, appeared before the Executive Committee. They spoke to the group's positive relationship with the Indiana Coaches of Girls Sports Association (ICGSA), plans for its website and communication with schools and coaches.

# 5) STUDENT ADVISORY COMMITTEE PRESENTATION

IHSAA Student Advisory Committee President TJ Weeks of Eastern (Greentown) and Vice-President Will Retherford of Elwood reported on the group's summer retreat at Jameson Camp in Indianapolis. They also discussed the upcoming quarterly meetings, the Unity Event 2021, involvement in the Champions Together program and set a goal that all 18 members help their schools' earn the Champions Together banner. They also plan to bring back the Student Leadership Conference next summer, create a new Sportsmanship public service announcement, and to attend the NFHS Student Leadership Summit. Assistant commissioners Robert Faulkens and Kerrie Schludecker serve as conveners for the student group.

# **6) PLANS FOR FALL STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS**

Assistant Commissioner Chris Kaufman detailed the girls golf state finals that completed just before dark last Saturday evening. Other than a two-hour-plus rain delay that hit on the second day, the tournament ran very smoothly.

Regarding the on-going boys tennis state tournament, some teams have been struck by COVID-19 and rain the last several days has wreaked havoc. North Central High School will begin renovation of its tennis courts immediately following the state finals and the singles and doubles state finals, originally scheduled for Park Tudor, will need to be moved to a different venue, due to construction.

Assistant Commissioner Sandra Walter reported on plans for the soccer state finals which returns to Carroll Stadium at IUPUI which has undergone recent renovations and added suites.

Assistant Commissioner Brian Lewis detailed plans for the cross country state tournament which winds up at LaVern Gibson Championship Cross Country Course in Terre Haute.

Assistant Commissioner Kerrie Schludecker will be in Muncie next Monday to discuss the volleyball state finals at Worthen Arena. She will find out what, if any, restrictions, the university will have in place for the event. Start times for the four championship matches will be ironed out to help with teams in attendance and crowd flow.

Robert Faulkens has met with Lucas Oil Stadium personnel and, at this time, does not expect any crowd limitations and restrictions for the football state finals like last year. A digital ticket solution at the venue is being discussed.

#### 7) REPORT ON CHAIR OFFICIALS FOR THE BOYS TENNIS TOURNAMENT SERIES

Assistant Commissioner Chris Kaufman presented a list of USTA chair officials eligible for use in the tennis state tournament series.

### 8) REPORT ON OFFICIALS FOR THE CROSS COUNTRY TOURNAMENT SERIES

Assistant Commissioner Brian Lewis presented a list of 69 cross country starters eligible for the state tournament series.

# 9) REPORT ON OFFICIALS FOR THE SOCCER TOURNAMENT SERIES

Assistant Commissioner Sandra Walter presented a list of 357 soccer officials who applied for the state tournament series. This year's state finals will be returning to Carroll Stadium at IUPUI for the six state championship matches.

# 10) REPORT ON OFFICIALS FOR THE VOLLEYBALL TOURNAMENT SERIES

Assistant Commissioner Kerrie Schludecker submitted a list of 183 volleyball officials who have applied to work the state tournament series as sectionals begin next week.

# 11) REPORT ON OFFICIALS FOR THE FOOTBALL TOURNAMENT SERIES

Assistant Commissioner Robert Faulkens presented a list of officials who make up 140 football crews who applied to work the state tournament series. Faulkens will begin assigning crews to sectional games next week following this Sunday's pairings show.

# 12) REPORT ON OFFICIALS FOR THE UNIFIED FLAG FOOTBALL TOURNAMENT SERIES

Assistant Commissioner Robert Faulkens presented a list of 41 applicants being used for the Unified Flag Football State Tournament which plays regional games this Saturday.

### 13) REPORT ON NFHS SECTION 4 MEETING

Commissioner Paul Neidig recapped hosting this year's NFHS Section 4 meeting on Sept. 22-24 in the IHSAA Office. He discussed various topics with other executives from the states of Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Michigan and Wisconsin as well as the NFHS along with former IHSAA commissioners Bobby Cox and Bob Gardner.

### 14) REPORT ON MIDWEST OFFICIALS SUMMIT

Assistant Commissioner Sandra Walter reported on the Midwest Officials Summit she attended Sept. 26-28 in Topeka, KS and hosted by the Kansas State High School Activities Association. Twenty-four (24) different states were represented and a few of the topics covered included game assigners, classes for officials, and provisional licenses. She indicated that all states are struggling with the numbers of licensed officials across the board.

#### 15) TRANSFERS

Assistant Commissioner Brian Lewis reported on transfers that have been ruled on for the period of June 1, 2021-September 28, 2021 and, for comparison, the numbers from the same period a year ago.

	2021-22	Percent	2020-21	Percent
Full Eligibility	1,842	92.56%	1,434	91.75%
Limited Eligibility	135	6.78%	112	7.17%
Ineligible	13	0.65%	17	1.09%
Total	1,990		1,563	

# **Foreign Exchange Transfers**

	2021-22	Percent	2020-21	Percent
Full Eligibility	450	96.36%	90	97.83%
Limited Eligibility	13	2.78%	2	2.17%
Ineligible	4	0.86%	0	0.0%
Total	467		92	

As part of the transfer rule, the group had an extensive discussion on the role of the Review Committee in student hearings as well as the recent changes to the procedures.

# **16) SPORTSMANSHIP**

Assistant Commissioner Sandra Walter reported on the area of unsporting behavior for the period between August 1-Sept. 29, 2021 and the numbers from the same period a year ago.

	2021-22	2020-21	% Change
Exemplary Reports Filed	392	306	28%
Unsporting Reports Filed	1,654	1,904	-13%
Total Ejections	205	202	1%
Ejections (Administration)	0	1	-100%
Ejections (Coaches)	14	18	-22%
Ejections (Fans)	10	9	11%
Ejections (Players)	181	174	4%

#### 17) OFFICIALS REPORT

Assistant Commissioner Sandra Walter spoke to the annual list of officials license renewals by sport. Soccer numbers have increased by 100.8% and football to 100.6% over last year's numbers while wrestling is the only sport that is down significantly at 86.9%, the only sport below 94%.

# **18) TECHNOLOGY REPORT**

Technology Director Luke Morehead emphasized the importance of working with the IHSAA office to correct any inaccurate coach birth dates in the myIHSAA database before the new coach upload feature can be used. Mr. Morehead will communicate this procedure to all member school athletic offices.

### 19) IHSAA FOUNDATION QUARTERLY REPORT

Foundation President Matt Wolfert reported that Westfield Superintendent Dr. Paul Kaiser has been named to the Foundation Board of Directors. He also reviewed the 2021-22 goals for funding the Foundation. He mentioned that schools will have the opportunity to donate again at the football sectional level and that a committee is being created to determine criteria and distribution of its grant program. The next meeting of the InSideOut Initiative is set the Wednesday, Oct. 27.

# 20) LITIGATION / IDOE CASE REVIEW PANEL REPORT

Attorney Katie Williams-Briles updated the Executive Committee on the status of pending litigation against the Association.

# **21) PENALTIES ASSESSED**

Bethesda Christian HS – Girls Cross Country – Rule 19-3 (A student-athlete participated in multiple contests without an approved transfer on file)

- 1. The Bethesda Christian High School Girls Cross Country program is issued a warning. This warning is official notice that a member school By-Law violation has occurred, is a matter of record, and shall not be repeated.
- 2. The student-athlete was declared ineligible until a completed transfer report was submitted and ruled upon.
- 3. In accordance with Rule 3-9, the contest(s) in which the ineligible student-athlete participated shall be rescored to remove any team points earned by the ineligible student-athlete and the opposing school(s) shall be notified of this violation.
- 4. Part of an IHSAA member school's obligation is to uphold the By-Laws of its association and furthermore to self-report any violation to the Commissioner (Rule 3).

Bloomfield HS – Track & Field – Rule 19-3 (A student-athlete participated in multiple contests without an approved transfer on file)

- 1. The Bloomfield High School Boys Track & Field program is issued a warning. This warning is official notice that a member school By-Law violation has occurred, is a matter of record, and shall not be repeated.
- 2. The student-athlete is declared ineligible until a completed transfer report is submitted and ruled upon.
- 3. In accordance with Rule 3-9, the contest(s) in which the ineligible student-athlete participated shall be rescored to remove any team points earned by the ineligible student-athlete and the opposing school(s) shall be notified of this violation.
- 4. Part of an IHSAA member school's obligation is to uphold the By-Laws of its association and furthermore to self-report any violation to the Commissioner (Rule 3).

Cascade HS – Softball – Rule 15-2.2c (The head Softball Coach, Morgan Burch, coached student-athletes currently enrolled at Cascade High School in a tournament held during the school year out of season.)

- 1. The Cascade High School Softball program is issued a warning. This warning is notice that an IHSAA member school rule violation has occurred and shall not be repeated.
- 2. Head Coach Morgan Buch is reprimanded for allowing this violation to occur. Unfamiliarity of the rules is not an acceptable rationale for violating IHSAA member school By-Laws. Further member school By-Law violations may result in the Softball program being placed on probation.
- 3. The IHSAA accepts and supports the two (2) game suspension of head coach Morgan Burch and a volunteer assistant coach by Cascade High School.
- 4. Part of an IHSAA member school's obligation is to uphold the member school By-Laws of its association and furthermore to self-report any violation to the Commissioner (Rule 3).

Chesterton HS – Football – Rule 18-1 (A junior varsity football student-athlete participated in an interscholastic contest while academically ineligible)

- 1. The Chesterton High School football program is issued a warning. This warning is notice of a rule violation occurring and shall not be repeated.
- 2. The student-athlete involved in this violation was declared ineligible immediately. The student may gain academic eligibility at the next certification date of the school.
- 3. If Chesterton High School was victorious, the interscholastic contests in which this ineligible student-athlete participated in shall be forfeited. The opposing school(s) shall be made aware of this violation.
- 4. Part of an IHSAA member school's obligation is to uphold the member school By-Laws of its association and furthermore to self-report any violation to the Commissioner (Rule 3).

Chesterton HS – Girls Soccer – Rule 15-1.3 (A student-athlete participated in a Soccer Camp at the University of Wisconsin during the authorized contest season)

- 1. The student-athlete was not permitted to participate in the next regular season contest on the Chesterton High School Girls Soccer schedule after the violation was discovered.
- 2. Part of an IHSAA member school's obligation is to uphold the By-Laws of its association and furthermore to self-report any violation to the Commissioner (Rule 3).

Elkhart HS – Girls Soccer – Rule 19-7 (A student-athlete participated in multiple Girls Soccer contests without an approved Foreign Exchange Student transfer report on file)

- 1. The Elkhart High School Girls Soccer program is issued a warning. This warning is official notice that a serious rule violation has occurred and shall not be repeated.
- 2. The student-athlete was declared ineligible until a completed transfer report was submitted and ruled upon.
- 3. The Girls Soccer contests the ineligible student-athlete participated in shall be forfeited. The opposing schools shall be notified of this violation.
- 4. Part of an IHSAA member school's obligation is to uphold the By-Laws of its association and furthermore to self-report any violation to the Commissioner (Rule 3).

Evansville F.J. Reitz HS – Boys Tennis – Rule 15-1.1c (A student-athlete participated in a non-school sponsored event without an approved waiver on file during the authorized contest season)

- 1. The F.J. Reitz High School Boys Tennis program is issued a warning. This warning is official notice that a serious rule violation has occurred and shall not be repeated.
- 2. The IHSAA requests the administration of F.J. Reitz High School revisit Rule 15-1.1c with all coaches of Individual sports and establish protocols, so a similar violation does not occur in the future.
- 3. Part of an IHSAA member school's obligation is to uphold the By-Laws of its association and furthermore to self-report any violation to the Commissioner (Rule 3).

Fort Wayne Canterbury – Boys Tennis – Rule 19-3 (A student-athlete participated in multiple contests without an approved transfer on file)

- 1. The Canterbury High School Boys Tennis program is issued a warning. This warning is notice that an IHSAA member school rule violation has occurred and shall not be repeated.
- 2. The student-athlete is declared ineligible until a completed transfer report is submitted and ruled upon.
- 3. In accordance with Rule 3-9, the contest(s) in which the ineligible student-athlete participated shall be rescored to remove any team points earned by the ineligible student-athlete and the opposing school(s) shall be notified of this violation.
- 4. Part of an IHSAA member school's obligation is to uphold the By-Laws of its association and furthermore to self-report any violation to the Commissioner (Rule 3).

Greenfield-Central HS – Boys Soccer – Rule 19-7 (A student-athlete participated in a Boys Soccer Varsity contest without an approved Foreign Exchange Student transfer report on file)

- 1. The Greenfield-Central High School Boys Soccer program is issued a warning. This warning is official notice that a serious rule violation has occurred and shall not be repeated.
- 2. The student-athlete was declared ineligible until a completed transfer report was submitted and ruled upon.
- 3. The Boys Soccer contest the ineligible student-athlete participated in shall be forfeited. The opposing school shall be notified of this violation.
- 4. Part of an IHSAA member school's obligation is to uphold the By-Laws of its association and furthermore to self-report any violation to the Commissioner (Rule 3).

Hammond Bishop Noll HS – Boys Soccer – Rule 18-1 (A student-athlete participated in a contest while academically ineligible)

- 1. The Bishop Noll High School Boys Soccer program is issued a warning. This warning is notice of a rule violation occurring and shall not be repeated.
- 2. The student-athlete involved in this violation was declared ineligible immediately. The student-athlete may gain academic eligibility at the next certification date of the school.
- 3. If Bishop Noll High School was victorious, the interscholastic contest in which this ineligible student-athlete participated in shall be forfeited. The opposing school shall be made aware of this violation.
- 4. Part of an IHSAA member school's obligation is to uphold the member school By-Laws of its association and furthermore to self-report any violation to the Commissioner (Rule 3). Homestead HS JV Football Rule 19-3 (A student-athlete participated in multiple contests without an approved transfer on file)

Huntington North HS – Girls Golf - Rule 15-1.2a (A student-athlete participated in a single non-school sponsored golf match during the authorized contest season without an approved waiver on file)

- 1. The Huntington North High School girl's golf program is issued a warning. This warning is official notice that an IHSAA member school By-Law has been violated and shall not be repeated.
- 2. The student-athlete is not permitted to participate in the next regular season contest on the Huntington North High School golf schedule.
- 3. Part of an IHSAA member school's obligation is to uphold the By-Laws of its association and furthermore to self-report any violation to the Commissioner (Rule 3).

Indianapolis Arsenal Technical HS – Girls Soccer - Rule 19-3 (A student-athlete participated in multiple contests without an approved transfer on file)

- 1. The Arsenal Technical High School Girls Soccer program is issued a warning. This warning is notice that an IHSAA member school rule violation has occurred and shall not be repeated.
- 2. The student-athlete is declared ineligible until a completed transfer report is submitted and ruled upon.
- 3. The interscholastic contests in which this student-athlete participated in shall be forfeited. The opposing schools shall be made aware of this violation.
- 4. Part of an IHSAA member school's obligation is to uphold the member school By-Laws of its association and furthermore to self-report any violation to the Commissioner (Rule 3).

Indianapolis Bishop Chatard HS – Girls Soccer – Rule 15-1.3 (A student-athlete participated in a USA Soccer Invitation Camp at Grand Park during the authorized contest season)

- 1. The Bishop Chatard High School Girls Soccer program is issued a warning. This warning is notice of a rule violation occurring and shall not be repeated.
- 2. The student-athlete was not permitted to participate in the next regular season contest on the Bishop Chatard High School Girls Soccer schedule.
- 3. Part of an IHSAA member school's obligation is to uphold the By-Laws of its association and furthermore to self-report any violation to the Commissioner (Rule 3).

Lake Central HS – Football - Rule 18-1 (A student-athlete participated in an interscholastic contest while academically ineligible)

- 1. The Lake Central High School football program is issued a warning. This warning is notice of a rule violation occurring and shall not be repeated.
- 2. The student athlete involved in this violation shall be declared ineligible immediately. The student may gain academic eligibility at the next certification date of the school.
- 3. If Lake Central High School was victorious, the interscholastic contests in which this ineligible student athlete participated in shall be forfeited. The opposing school(s) shall be made aware of this violation.
- 4. Part of an IHSAA member school's obligation is to uphold the By-Laws of its association and furthermore to self-report any violation to the Commissioner (Rule 3).

Lapel HS – Boys Basketball – Rule 9-13 (A Varsity Assistant Coach, Karsten Windland, held an open facility on a Sunday)

- 1. The Lapel High School Boys Basketball program is issued a warning. This warning is notice that an IHSAA member school rule violation has occurred and shall not be repeated.
- 2. Assistant Coach Karsten Windland is reprimanded for allowing this violation to occur. Further infractions of IHSAA member school By-Laws may result in the revocation of Karsten Windland's coaching accreditation which is outlined in Rule 7. Unfamiliarity of the rules is not an acceptable rationale for violating IHSAA member school by-laws.
- 3. Additionally, the limited contact sessions available to the Boys Basketball Program between now and the start of the season shall be reduced by one (1) session.
- 4. Part of an IHSAA member school's obligation is to uphold the member school By-Laws of its association and furthermore to self-report any violation to the Commissioner (Rule 3).

Madison – Grant HS – Boys Track & Field & Cross County - Rule 19-3 (A student-athlete participated in multiple contests without an approved transfer on file)

- The Madison-Grant Jr/Sr High School Boys Cross Country and Track & Field programs are issued a warning. This
  warning is official notice that a member school By-Law violation has occurred, is a matter of record, and shall
  not be repeated.
- 2. The student-athlete was declared ineligible until a completed transfer report was submitted and ruled upon.
- 3. In accordance with Rule 3-9, the contest(s) in which the ineligible student-athlete participated shall be rescored to remove any team points earned by the ineligible student-athlete and the opposing school(s) shall be notified of this violation.
- 4. Part of an IHSAA member school's obligation is to uphold the By-Laws of its association and furthermore to self-report any violation to the Commissioner (Rule 3).

Maconaquah HS – Football – Rule 54-3.1b (A football student-athlete exceeded the number of allowable quarters during a football week)

- 1. The Maconaquah High School football program is issued a warning. This warning is official notice that a member school By-Law violation has occurred, is a matter of record, and shall not be repeated.
- 2. The Junior Varsity contest in which this violation occurred shall be forfeited. The opposing school shall be notified of these violations.
- 3. All quarters played by the student shall count toward the maximum number of quarters in a season.
- 4. Part of an IHSAA member school's obligation is to uphold the By-Laws of its association and furthermore to self-report any violation to the Commissioner (Rule 3).

McCutcheon HS – Rule 19-3 (A student-athlete participated in an interscholastic Unified Flag Football contest without an approved transfer on file)

- 1. The McCutcheon High School Unified Flag Football program is issued a warning. This warning is notice that an IHSAA member school rule violation has occurred and shall not be repeated.
- 2. The student-athlete is declared ineligible until a completed transfer report is submitted and ruled upon.
- 3. The interscholastic contest in which this student-athlete participated in shall be forfeited. The opposing school shall be made aware of this violation.
- 4. Part of an IHSAA member school's obligation is to uphold the member school By-Laws of its association and furthermore to self-report any violation to the Commissioner (Rule 3).

Pike HS – Boys Soccer – Rule 18-1 (A student-athlete participated in an interscholastic contest while academically ineligible)

- 1. The Pike High School Boys Soccer program is issued a warning. This warning is notice of a rule violation occurring and shall not be repeated.
- 2. The student-athlete involved in this violation was declared ineligible immediately. The student may gain academic eligibility at the next certification date of the school.
- 3. If Pike High School was victorious, the interscholastic contests in which this ineligible student-athlete participated in shall be forfeited. The opposing schools shall be made aware of this violation.
- 4. Part of an IHSAA member school's obligation is to uphold the member school By-Laws of its association and furthermore to self-report any violation to the Commissioner (Rule 3).

Portage HS – Football – Rule 18-1 (A student-athlete participated in an interscholastic contest while academically ineligible)

- 1. The Portage High School football program is issued a warning. This warning is notice of a rule violation occurring and shall not be repeated.
- 2. The student-athlete involved in this violation was declared ineligible immediately. The student may gain academic eligibility at the next certification date of the school.
- 3. If Portage High School was victorious, the interscholastic contests in which this ineligible student-athlete participated in shall be forfeited. The opposing school(s) shall be made aware of this violation.
- 4. Part of an IHSAA member school's obligation is to uphold the member school By-Laws of its association and furthermore to self-report any violation to the Commissioner (Rule 3).

Salem HS – Boys Soccer – Rule 19-3 (A student-athlete participated in a Junior Varsity interscholastic soccer contest without an approved transfer)

- 1. The Salem High School Boys Soccer program is issued a warning. This warning is notice that an IHSAA member school rule violation has occurred and shall not be repeated.
- 2. The student-athlete was declared ineligible until a completed transfer report was submitted and ruled upon.
- 3. The interscholastic contest in which this student-athlete participated in shall be forfeited. The opposing school shall be made aware of this violation.
- 4. Part of an IHSAA member school's obligation is to uphold the member school By-Laws of its association and furthermore to self-report any violation to the Commissioner (Rule 3).

Salem HS – Volleyball – Rule 19-3 (Two student-athletes participated in two interscholastic Volleyball contests without an approved transfer)

- 1. The Salem High School Volleyball program is issued a warning. This warning is notice that an IHSAA member school rule violation has occurred and shall not be repeated.
- 2. The student-athletes were declared ineligible until a completed transfer report was submitted and ruled upon.
- 3. The interscholastic contests in which this student-athlete participated in shall be forfeited. The opposing school shall be made aware of this violation.
- 4. Part of an IHSAA member school's obligation is to uphold the member school By-Laws of its association and furthermore to self-report any violation to the Commissioner (Rule 3).

Scottsburg HS – Girls Soccer – Rule 19-7 (A student-athlete participated in a Junior Varsity Soccer contest without an approved Foreign Exchange Student transfer report on file)

- 1. The Scottsburg High School Girls Soccer program is issued a warning. This warning is official notice that a serious rule violation has occurred and shall not be repeated.
- 2. The student-athlete is declared ineligible until a completed transfer report is submitted and ruled upon.
- 3. The Girls Soccer contest the ineligible student-athlete participated in shall be forfeited. The opposing school shall be notified of this violation.
- 4. Part of an IHSAA member school's obligation is to uphold the By-Laws of its association and furthermore to self-report any violation to the Commissioner (Rule 3).

South Central (Union Mills) HS – Cross Country - Rule 18-1 (A student-athlete participated in a contest while academically ineligible)

- 1. The South Central (Union Mills) Jr-Sr High School Cross Country program is issued a warning. This warning is official notice that a member school By-Law violation act has occurred, is a matter of record, and shall not be repeated.
- 2. The student-athlete involved in this violation shall be declared ineligible for further competition until they meet the minimum standards for eligibility.
- 3. In accordance with Rule 3-9, the contest(s) in which the ineligible student-athlete participated shall be rescored to remove any points earned by the ineligible student-athlete and the opposing school(s) shall be notified of this violation.
- 4. Part of an IHSAA member school's obligation is to uphold the By-Laws of its association and furthermore to self-report any violation to the Commissioner (Rule 3).

South Knox HS – Cross Country - Rule 50-1 & Rule 101-1 (*The boys and girls team participated in a contest without completing the required ten* (10) *separate days of practice under the direct supervision of the school coaching staff*)

- 1. The South Knox High School Boys and Girls Cross Country program is issued a warning. This warning is official notice that a member school By-Law violation act has occurred, is a matter of record, and shall not be repeated.
- 2. The student-athletes involved in this violation shall be declared ineligible for further competition until they meet the minimum standards for eligibility.
- 3. In accordance with Rule 3-9, the contests in which the ineligible student-athletes participated shall be rescored to remove any points earned by the ineligible student athletes and the opposing school(s) shall be notified of this violation.
- 4. Part of an IHSAA member school's obligation is to uphold the By-Laws of its association and furthermore to self-report any violation to the Commissioner (Rule 3).

South Putnam HS -Boys Tennis – Rule 3-10 (2) (A student-athlete practiced without an approved pre-participation physical examination and consent form on file)

- 1. The South Putnam High School Boys Tennis program is issued a warning. This warning is official notice that a member school By-Law violation act has occurred, is a matter of record, and shall not be repeated. This is a health and safety issue, and it is imperative that the "IHSAA Pre-Participation Evaluation Form" complete in every detail be on file for all student-athletes prior to their participation.
- 2. The student-athlete involved in this violation was declared ineligible until such time the student-athlete provided a fully completed pre-participation physical and consent form to the school.
- 3. The Tennis match the student-athlete participated in shall be rescored to remove any team points earned by the student athlete. The opposing school shall be notified of this violation.
- 4. Part of an IHSAA member school's obligation is to uphold the By-Laws of its association and furthermore to self-report any violation to the Commissioner (Rule 3).

Switzerland County HS – Rule 18-1 (A Cross Country student-athlete participated in multiple contests while academically ineligible)

- 1. The Switzerland County High School Girls Cross Country program is issued a warning. This warning is official notice that a member school By-Law violation has occurred, is a matter of record, and shall not be repeated.
- 2. The student-athlete involved in this violation shall be declared ineligible for further competition until they meet the minimum standards for eligibility.
- 3. In accordance with Rule 3-9, the contest(s) in which the ineligible student-athlete participated shall be rescored to remove any points earned by the ineligible student-athlete and the opposing school(s) shall be notified of this violation.
- 4. Part of an IHSAA member school's obligation is to uphold the By-Laws of its association and furthermore to self-report any violation to the Commissioner (Rule 3).

Tri-County HS – Girls Cross Country - Rule 19-7 (A student-athlete participated in a Cross Country Meet without an approved Foreign Exchange Student transfer report on file)

- 1. The Tri-County High School Girls Cross Country program is issued a warning. This warning is official notice that a serious rule violation has occurred and shall not be repeated.
- 2. The student-athlete was declared ineligible until a completed transfer report was submitted and ruled upon.
- 3. The Cross Country meet the ineligible student athlete participated in shall be forfeited and rescored to remove any points earned by the student athlete if a team score was calculated. The opposing schools shall be notified of this violation.
- 4. Part of an IHSAA member school's obligation is to uphold the By-Laws of its association and furthermore to self-report any violation to the Commissioner (Rule 3).

Whitko HS – Football – Rule 19-3 (A student-athlete participated in multiple interscholastic Junior Varsity Football contests without an approved transfer on file)

- 1. The Whitko High School Football program is issued a warning. This warning is notice that an IHSAA member school rule violation has occurred and shall not be repeated.
- 2. The student-athlete is declared ineligible until a completed transfer report is submitted and ruled upon.
- 3. The interscholastic contests in which this student-athlete participated in shall be forfeited. The opposing schools shall be made aware of this violation.
- 4. Part of an IHSAA member school's obligation is to uphold the member school By-Laws of its association and furthermore to self-report any violation to the Commissioner (Rule 3).

# ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION

### 22) REACTIONS TO FALL AREA PRINCIPAL MEETINGS

# 23) CONGRATULATIONS

• Congratulations to Assistant Commissioner Kerrie Schludecker who is getting married to Philip Rosati on Saturday, Oct. 9.

# 24) COMMUNICATIONS

 A letter from Bill Sahm, President of Indianapolis Bishop Chatard HS – Girls Track & Field Mental Attitude Recipient

# **25) FOR THE GOOD OF THE ORDER**

- Commissioner Paul Neidig and Assistant Commissioner Robert Faulkens reported on the meeting they had with the Crispus Attucks National Alumni Association.
- John Steinhilber offered praise to Illiana Christian which is hosting its first-ever IHSAA tournament event this week in boys soccer.

The next meeting of the Executive Committee will be Friday, November 5, 2021.
Victor Bush, Chairman
Paul Neidig, Commissioner

A motion to adjourn the October 7, 2021 meeting of the IHSAA Executive Committee was made by Jeff Doyle;

seconded by Tom Finicle; motion approved 18-0.