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FROM THE COACHES' BOX BY MIKE HACKETT

Welcome back to what we know will be another exciting season. We are certain everyone's offseason was busy. We hope that you also took some time to relax, reflect and energize for the upcoming season.



The IBCA traditions and goals always have high expectations. We look forward to working together as an organization to continue promoting Indiana high school basketball. Our organization continues to take on more and more to provide our student-athletes the best opportunities to showcase their talents and our game.

Please take care of your membership. Membership runs from October to October each year. We would like to see 100 percent membership from our head coaches. Your membership not only benefits you as a coach, but it also allows your athletes to be eligible for scholarships and awards. Please consider registering your entire staff. We want to have one of the largest organizations in the country. Use the IBCA website and check out the more than 20 benefits of being a member.

The IBCA is extremely fortunate in these economic times to have the amount of sponsorships that we have make contributions to our organization. BSN Sports, Pacers Sports & Entertainment, Best Choice Fieldhouse and others continue to support our organization in many capacities.

We also encourage all coaches to participate in the Subway Player of the Week program by sending nominations each week to Pat McKee. Subway Restaurants of Indiana have been a generous sponsor with this program. Subway also has supported our IBCA All-State

teams the past two years and provided IBCA Clinic meal for the past several years. We appreciate everything that our sponsors do for us. A full list of sponsors is located on our website.

The responsibilities of the term "coach" go far beyond winning games. The impact and influence we have on shaping and molding young athletes into men and women are as important as ever. We need to take that responsibility very seriously while we are helping these young people to become good citizens through the game of basketball.

Finally, I'm excited, proud and honored to begin my term to serve as your president. Our Executive Board and District Representatives are here for you. Please do not hesitate to contact us if there is any way we can help.

Good luck to you this season, and we wish you the best on and off the court. --Mike Hackett

JOIN THE IBCA

Here are some of the many benefits of joining the Indiana Basketball Coaches Association.

- 1. Utilize members-only IBCA website to stay abreast of issues related to our profession.
- \$1 million liability insurance for active high school, junior high and elementary coaches
- 3. Become active and have ownership in the IBCA and IHSAA working relationship.
- 4. Utilize free job-placement service.
- 5. Receive IBCA newsletter.
- Be elected to the Board of Directors or be appointed to a committee.
- 7. Be selected as a District Coach of the Year.
- 8. Receive an award at the IBCA Spring Clinic.
- 9. Receive college credit for Spring Clinic attendance.
- Be selected as a Spring Clinic speaker and grow professionally by hearing other successful coaches speak.
- Nominate a player, student manager, statistician or cheerleader for one of the IBCA Marion Crawley Memorial Scholarship or Pat Aikman Scholarship college financial grants.
- Nominate a handicapped student for a Junior Mannies Scholarship Grant funded by the IBCA.
- 13. Nominate your player for Academic All-State.
- 14. Nominate players for the Top 100 Underclass Boys' or Girls' Show-cases.
- 15. Be eligible to become an Indiana All-Star Coach.
- Be eligible to be selected to coach at one of the Top 100 Showcases.
- 17. Become more professional by joining your professional association.
- 18. Free admission to the IBCA/IHSAA Showcases.
- 19. Free admission to the All-Star Shootout events.
- Promote your players through the IBCA/Subway Player of the Week program.
 - 21. Discounted membership when joining the Indiana Basketball Hall of Fame as an Active Coach.
 - 22. NABC (National Association of Basketball Coaches) offers a reduced membership rate for High School Coaches. Usual rate of \$70 has been reduced to only \$29 per year for IBCA Members. Also membership will give each member the potential of getting NCAA Final Four tickets.
 - 23. By joining the IBCA, you also become a member of the National High School Basketball Coaches Association (NHSBCA) and have a voice for high school basketball on the national level.
- 24. Discount tickets to the Indiana-Kentucky All-Star Games.
- 25. Access to the Winning Hoops "Play of the Day."
 - Be professional and be an active part of your professional IBCA organization. The IBCA is yours ... join and make it better.



FROM THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

BY STEVE WITTY

It's that time of the year again.

Each season, players, coaches and the school community begin a new journey together. Teaching and coaching is a great profession that provides opportunities for many men and women to make a difference in the lives of the student-athletes we serve by helping them arow through their involvement in the game of basketball. Hopefully when the season ends, beyond the wins and losses, it was a memorable season for everyone involved.



This past year has brought some changes and potential changes to our great game.

As most of you know, our compromise tournament proposal was not accepted. Instead, the IHSAA created a task force to study the issue and present another proposal to the full IHSAA Board of Directors for consideration. The board's decision on the task force's proposal is expected sometime in November.

The length of quarters in Junior Varsity games was increased to seven minutes, and, if schools choose to do so, each may add two games to its schedule.

In an effort to bring the Girls' Basketball State Finals back to Indianapolis, the IHSAA decided to begin the Girls' Basketball season one week earlier (beginning in 2015-16). By starting one week earlier, this creates an overlap with the volleyball season. The IBCA is continuing to look at potential ways to address this issue.

Thanks to Charlie Hall, Pay McKee, Beth DeVinney and Mike Broughton, the Indiana-Kentucky All-Star series and the national Rising Senior Academy event once again were a huge success. More than \$35,000 was raised for charity through the All-Star series.

The Indiana-Kentucky Challenge Cup got off to a good start this past season with five Indiana schools participating against five Kentucky schools in a day of competition at Freedom Hall in Louisville. Special thanks to Tom Beach and Aaron Garrett for their efforts in organizing this event. More information about this year's games is featured in this E-newsletter.

Under the leadership of Marty Johnson, Renee Turpa, Kathie Layden and the coaches who took time from their busy schedules to participate, the Boys' and Girls' Top 100 Underclass Showcases were successful again for the 12th year

Special thanks to Chris Benedict and Tom Beach for their work in putting together the IBCA Tournament proposal that was presented to the IHSAA. Even though we did not have the result that we would have liked, it was not because of any lack of effort or preparation on their part. They represented the IBCA in a first-class fashion.

For this season, we hope everyone will continue to be involved with the "Coaches vs. Cancer" program during the month of January. To date, more than \$680,000 has been raised over the past seven years by participating Indiana basketball programs.

Also in January, you will be receiving a mailing with numerous nomination forms. Please make sure to meet the deadlines. You must be an IBCA member to nominate anyone for postseason awards. Please do not eliminate a deserving student-athlete for postseason recognition because you missed the deadlines or forgot to join your professional organization.

In closing, I wanted to provide another copy to you of a memo that Marty Johnson, Mike Hackett and I issued to IBCA member coaches in late August. If you have any questions about those topics, please let me know.

We appreciate your support of your professional organization. If you have questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact your IBCA representatives. Best wishes for a successful season.

--Steve Witty



AUG. 25 MEMO TO IBCA MEMBER COACHES

DATE: Aug. 25, 2014 TO:

IBCA Members

FROM: Steve Witty, Executive Director, IBCA Marty Johnson, Associate Executive Director, IBCA Mike Hackett, President, IBCA

We wanted to take this opportunity to communicate with you about a couple of basketball issues and misconceptions that have arisen over the past few months.

1. Moving of Girls Basketball Season starting date

We knew the IHSAA leadership was having discussion on this topic, and we expressed the membership's overwhelming support with regard to how such a move would allow the Girls Basketball State Finals to be played in Indianapolis.

The IBCA, however, at no time proposed that we move the start of the Girls Basketball season without addressing the overlap (or potential overlap) with volleyball. The first the IBCA knew of the adopted change (start of girls basketball without a corresponding change to the end of volleyball) was when it was released by the IHSAA. We are working with our membership and others to address this issue.

2. The Basketball Tournament proposal

For the past two years, an IBCA Committee has been working on a proposal to address issues that our membership communicated to us with regard to the State Basketball Tournament (boys and girls).

When that proposal was presented to the IHSAA, it was tabled before a vote could take place. Instead, the IHSAA Board of Directors formed a Task Force with the charge of reviewing the IBCA proposal and subsequently submitting its own proposal to the full IHSAA board.

It is the Task Force's proposal that will be voted on by the IHSAA on October 2, not a proposal put forth by the IBCA.

There are some components in the Task Force's proposal that the IBCA had addressed in our earlier proposal and we believe will make our tournament better. However, the Task Force's proposal was not submitted by the IBCA.

The process for change is a long and, at times, frustrating endeavor. We will continue to strive to communicate your thoughts and appreciate your input into any future proposal ideas.

Please contact Marty Johnson, Mike Hackett or me if we can assist you in any way.

INDIANA HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL RECORD BOOK BY GENE MILNER READY

The Indiana High School Basketball Record Book has statistics on nearly every high school in the state of Indiana -- 400-plus overall.

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IBCA ALL-STATE TEAMS FOR 2014-15

The IBCA has decided to upgrade the organization's All-State honors program for the 2014-15 season.

The organization still will recognize top players from across the state – boys and girls – with Senior All-State and Underclass All-State accolades. In total, there are four groups of honorees – Boys Senior All-State, Boys Underclass All-State, Girls Senior All-State and Girls Underclass All-State.

Like in the past, the IBCA will use two 22-member panels of coaches (one panel for boys, one panel for girls) to identify All-State candidates and collect information about them. The panel members then will forward that information to a committee chairman for compilation. The respective full committees will meet in March to discuss candidates and vote to select players for various honors.

The IBCA All-State Teams will be announced shortly after those meetings (March 9 for girls, March 24 for boys).

Unlike last season and the past several seasons, when only two levels were chosen within each grouping (a 15-member First-Team All-State Team and an Honorable Mention All-State list of about 120 players), the new format for 2014-15 will include the following sets within each All-State group:

- IBCA Supreme 15 All-State (top 15 players, regardless of the class of a player's school, taking the place of the old "First-Team All-State")
- IBCA Large School All-State (15 players from Class 3A and Class 4A schools, not on the Supreme 15)
- IBCA Small School All-State (15 players from Class A and Class 2A schools, not on the Supreme 15)
- An Honorable Mention All-State list of about 85 players.

With the new format, there will be four levels that each senior or each underclass player could be designated within the IBCA's All-State program.

- IBCA Senior Boys Supreme 15 All-State, IBCA Senior Boys Large School All-State, IBCA Senior Boys Small School All-State and IBCA Senior Boys Honorable Mention All-State.
- IBCA Underclass Boys Supreme 15 All-State, IBCA Underclass Boys Large School All-State, IBCA Underclass Boys Small School All-State and IBCA Underclass Boys Honorable Mention All-State.
- IBCA Senior Girls Supreme 15 All-State, IBCA Senior Girls Large School All-State, IBCA Senior Girls Small School All-State and IBCA Senior Girls Honorable Mention All-State.
- IBCA Underclass Girls Supreme 1 5 All-State, IBCA Underclass Girls Large School All-State, IBCA Underclass Girls Small School All-State and IBCA Underclass Girls Honorable Mention All-State.

Ultimately, approximately 260 boys and 260 girls will receive honors through this process. That will be 130 seniors and 130 underclass players per gender.

Subway Restaurants of Indiana have partnered with the IBCA the past two years and served as the title sponsor of the IBCA/Subway All-State Teams. IBCA leaders are hopeful that discussions with Subway leadership will result in that partnership being continued for 2014-15.

David Wood of West Lafayette is the chairman of the IBCA's Boys' All-State committee. Pat McKee of Columbus North is chairman of the IBCA's Girls' All-State committee.

Each committee consists of 22 coaches from across the state. Sixteen coaches represent regional areas from across the state with the charge of identifying top players from approximately 25 schools each in most cases. Six coaches represent the three IHSAA districts, one east and one west from each district. They have the specific charge of identifying top players from Class A and Class 2A schools in this process.

Both committee lists will be posted when they are finalized on the IBCA web site so that coaches from all schools will know which committee member represents their school in the player-identification process.

GATORADE



INDIANA-KENTUCKY CHALLENGE CUP

The IBCA calendar in 2014-15 again will include the Indiana-Kentucky

Challenge Cup, a five-game event between teams from Indiana and Kentucky. The second Challenge Cup will be Jan. 10 at New Castle Fieldhouse in

New Castle, Ind. Teams representing Indiana are Homestead (girls), South Knox, Scecina, Hamilton Heights and Zionsville.

The event is being coordinated by the Indiana Basketball Coaches Association and the Kentucky Association of Basketball Coaches. The schedule for the day is:

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Girls: Homestead vs. Elizabethtown, 11 a.m.

Boys: South Knox vs. Newport Central Catholic, about 1 p.m.

Boys: Scecina vs. Pulaski Southwestern, about 3 p.m. **Boys:** Hamilton Heights vs. Wayne County, about 5 p.m.

Boys: Zionsville vs. Scott County, about 7 p.m.

Kentucky prevailed in last season's inaugural challenge, winning four games to Indiana's one, that was played in Freedom Hall in Louisville. Last year's event raised \$12,000 for charities, including the Wounded Warrior Program as well as the Indiana Basketball Hall of Fame and the Kentucky High School Basketball Hall of Fame.

Admission is \$10.00 per person for the entire day of games. Military service veterans and their immediate families will be admitted at no charge. Tickets will be available from participating schools or on game day at Freedom Hall.

A best-of-five-game format will determine the winner of the 2015 Challenge Cup. The 10 participating teams feature multiple NCAA Division I prospects.

Plans are for this event to be hosted at a Kentucky site in January 2016. It then will continue to rotate between the states following years.

Proceeds from the 2015 inaugural event again will go to the Wounded Warrior Program as well as the Indiana Basketball Hall of Fame and the Kentucky High School Basketball Hall of Fame.

Event Summary

- Event co-sponsors: Indiana Basketball Coaches Association and Kentucky
 Association of Basketball Coaches
- Saturday, Jan. 10, 2015 Five games beginning at 11 a.m. in New Castle Fieldhouse
- A traveling trophy (Challenge Cup) will be given to the state winner of the best-of-five-game format
- All players will receive individual participant awards
- Complimentary admission for Military Service Veterans and their immediate families
- Admission is \$10 per person for all day
- Proceeds to the Wounded Warrior Program as well as the Indiana Basketball Hall of Fame and the Kentucky High School Basketball Hall of Fame

2015 CLINIC DATES SET

April 24 & 25, 2015 37th Annual IBCA Clinic in Indianapolis

Quality Speakers

Numerous Vendors will show their products and services Honor fellow coaches at Special Recognition Ceremony

Lawrence North High School

Friday, April 24, 2015 | Noon to 10 p.m. Saturday, April 25, 2015 | 8 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

About 800 coaches were in attendance at the 2014 IBCA clinic. The speakers were entertaining and informative. Numerous vendors displayed their products and services. It also provided an opportunity for fellowship among those coaches in attendance. It was good to see so many coaches who are students of the game.

For 2015, the DoubleTree Suites by Hilton Hotel in Carmel will be the headquarters hotel (and preferred lodging provider) for the clinic. IBCA members are offered a rate of \$119 per night for a double room for the clinic. To get this discounted rate, you must reserve the room by March 24. The address of the DoubleTree is 11355 N. Meridian St., Carmel, IN 46032. Its phone number is 317-844-7994.

The Hilton Hotel-Indianapolis North, which had been the clinic's headquarters hotel for a number of years, is closing. It no longer will be open at the time of the 2015 clinic.





JANUARY IS 'COACHES VS. CANCER' MONTH

The IBCA again has designated January as "Coaches vs. Cancer" month for high school Basketball in Indiana. In the first seven years of this initiative, boys' and girls' coaches across Indiana raised nearly \$700,000. In 2013-14 coaches, teams and communities that reported raised \$72,000. That makes the seven-year total from Indiana basketball coaches more than \$680,000 (\$680,446 thru spring 2014).

For 2014-15, ideally pick a date in January for a "Coaches vs. Cancer" game. If not January, please pick a date that works for you and host a "Coaches vs. Cancer" game.

The American Cancer Society also will present banners to programs that meet certain levels of donations. Categories are Champion (\$10,000 or more), MVP (\$5,000 to \$9,999) and All Star (\$2,500 to \$4,999).

This January, we are asking every IBCA boys' and girls' coach to select a game to promote "Coaches vs. Cancer."

All participating schools will be recognized this year on www.coachesvscancerindiana.org; those raising a total of \$2,500 or more through all sports will receive a "Coaches vs. Cancer" recognition banner imprinted with the school's name. To be eligible, all funds raised from throughout

the school year must be turned into the local American Cancer Society office no later than June 1, 2015.

"We are very proud of Indiana high schools," said American Cancer Society Coaches vs. Cancer specialist Kim Hoffman, who helps coordinate the IBCA initiative while overseeing ACS efforts in Indiana, Illinois and Michigan. "And we are extremely proud of our partnership with the IBCA in this extraordinary campaign.

"The commitment of the coaches, teams, parents and participants makes a real impact in the lives of those touched by the disease. We are truly grateful for the continued support. By working together, we can all join the team to create a world with less cancer and more birthdays."

Once you have determined the date for your "Coaches vs. Cancer" game, please e-mail this info to Gene Milner (gmilner@tds.net) so we can list the game dates on our "Coaches vs. Cancer" calendar. During this game, we are asking you to pass a container through the crowd (or make one available at your ticket counter) for fans to make donations. Checks should be made payable to "American Cancer Society."

After the game, we ask you to do the following:

- E-mail or write Steve Witty to let him know you participated and how much money was collected
- Call Bob Lovell of Indiana SportsTalk and let him know how much you collected
- Send a check for the amount collected (payable to the "American Cancer Society") to Steve Witty, P.O. Box 638, Plainfield, IN 46168, who will forward it to the Coaches vs. Cancer office, or you can send it directly to the American Cancer Society, Attention: Kim Hoffman, 1755 Abbey Rd., East Lansing, MI 48823.
- Please make plans now to include a "Coaches vs. Cancer" game on your schedule for the 2014-15 season. Our goal is 100 percent participation of all high schools in Indiana.

To help support activities at your school, the American Cancer Society will provide a Coaches vs. Cancer Tool Kit with information on how to get started, ideas for fundraising, sample materials to help with local promotion, and a post -event reporting form to submit along with all donations to your local American Cancer Society office.

To request a Coaches vs Cancer Game Day Toolkit for your school, sign up at http://coachesvscancer.org/youth.

For questions or to learn more, please contact Kim Hoffman at

kim.hoffman@cancer.org or by phone at 517-664-1409. Or you can go online to coachesvscancer@cancer.org or call 800-227-2345.

INDIANA ALL-STARS

BY CHARLIE HALL

The Indiana All-Stars are alive and well despite what some would have our fans believe.

Growing our crowd from 5,095 in 2008 to 6,250 for the All-Star doubleheader against Kentucky in Bankers Life Fieldhouse in 2014, to go along with our boys and girls consistently beating Kentucky is a GOOD thing.

This is the message that we need to get out as we continue to bring people back to the games.

The Indiana National Guard, the IBCA Scholarship Fund and the Indiana Basketball Hall of Fame are among the beneficiaries of the game's continued growth. We were able to make significant donations to all three groups. This growth has been a direct result of Steve Witty and the IBCA's administrating the games the last few years.

The "All-Star Game Day Shootout" has gone from 24 teams in 2009 to 84 teams this past June. We not only are growing the participation level, we are making it even better. Lids donated four sets of practice gear as door prizes and, with the support of our sponsors (IBCA, Lids, McDonald's, Best Choice Fieldhouse, Ben Davis High School and Methodist Sports Medicine), we have kept the cost of being a part of the Game Day Shootout to just \$8 per player/coach (for that amount, teams receive entry into the Shootout and two games, T-shirts for their players/coaches and All-Star game tickets for their players/coaches valued at \$16 each). If you would be interested in having your team participate in 2015 (tentatively June 13), please let me know at chall33@msn.com.

We are just starting a season-ticket drive for the 2015 All-Star game at Bankers Life Fieldhouse. With the help of Rick Fuson and the Pacers, we are offering a 10-year ticket price freeze, preferred seat selection and a complimentary parking pass. We will release a form in the IBCA's spring e-newsletter that will allow you to sign up for this package.

For families with children, we had goals set up in the Bankers Life Fieldhouse pavilion so youngsters could shoot for a T-shirt. Also, Freddy Fever was in attendance to offer additional game-day entertainment. We are going to continue to improve the game-day experience.

I am really excited about the direction we're headed, and, as always, we appreciate the IBCA's efforts as an organization.

In closing, I would be remiss in not thanking Eric Thornton, Amy Brauman, Gretchen Miles, David Benter, Clint Swan and James Blackman for their efforts with the Seniors along with Jamie Kolkmeier, Chad Ballenger, Brent Keck, Kristi Kaniewski Ulrich, Donna Keck and Terry Rademacher with the Juniors.

Hope to see you at the games in 2015!

--Charlie Hall

Promotional Ideas for Coaches vs. Cancer

- Sell Coaches vs. Cancer donation cards prior to the event and/or at the game and create a Wall of Hope with the names of those touched by cancer
 Coins for cancer / bring loose change
- Home Room competition
- Signed basketball give-away (Wilson might donate basketballs)
- Posters in memory of cancer victims
- Donate money to put up poster, with name of cancer survivor
- Paper airplanes at halftime: Fans pay \$1 when they enter gym. At halftime, fans try to fly their paper airplane into the center of jump circle for prizes
- Coaches or players wear pink socks
- Sell specifically designed T-shirts with appropriate message Coaches vs.
 Cancer
- · Cheerleaders wear pink sock and bows in their hair
- Some ADs donated \$1 for each ticket purchased
- Classes set up donation bucket at home games
- Dress-down day for high school students
- Pink warm-up shirts and pink shoe laces
- Players wear game shoes with shirt, ties, dress pants and go into stands to collect
- 10 percent of gate sales donated
- Silent auction
- Proceeds from the sale of cookies and ice cream during lunch break
- Name a favorite community cancer survivor and sell pink carnations in his or her honor

2014-15 NEW COACHES

From the beginning of last season through September 2014, 190 people have been hired as new varsity basketball coaches in Indiana high schools -- 92 to boys' basketball positions and 98 to girls' basketball positions -- for the 2014-15 season.

The number of changes is the greatest number over the past 17 years. In the spring and summer of 2007, there were 188 changes made.

According to data compiled by the IBCA and HickoryHusker.com, here are the number of changes for the 16 years prior to the 2014 offseason: 2013 – 138; 2012 – 167; 2011 - 154; 2010 - 162; 2009 - 146; 2008 - 148; 2007 -188; 2006 - 152; 2005 - 146; 2004 - 147; 2003 - 141; 2002 - 135; 2001 -139; 2000 - 125; 1999 - 129; 1998 - 133.

Here is a list of the 2014 changes for Indiana boys basketball and girls basketball varsity positions.

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Alexandria Dean Moorhead	d						
Argos Gordon Mosso	n						
Attica Jake Turne							
Blackford Troy Burkhar							
Brebeuf JesuitTodd Howard							
Brown County Chuck Hutchin							
Center Grove Zach Hah							
Central NobleEthan Mars							
Charlestown Jason Conne							
ClarksvilleBrian McEwe							
CowanLee Ingle							
Culver Community Tom Kruege							
DeKalbJeremy Rauc							
Delphi Adam Ballare							
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NCAA DIVISION I ACADEMIC REQUIREMENTS FOR CLASS OF 2016 AND BEYOND

The NCAA has released an SAT/ACT sliding scale that corresponds with the increased GPA requirements for the class of 2016 and beyond. Any current high school freshman, sophomore or junior who is even remotely considering the possibility of playing a sport collegiately needs to pay attention. The wiggle room to correct academic shortcomings has been greatly reduced.

Here is a summary of the NCAA Division I academic requirements for a Full Qualifier that take effect for the class of 2016 and beyond:

- The minimum core course GPA has increased from 2.00 to 2.30.
- 10 of the 16 core course requirements must be satisfied prior to the start of the senior year.
- 7 of those 10 core courses must be from English, Math and Science subsections.
- Grades earned in the 10 core courses are "locked in" for the purposes of calculating the final core course GPA.
- Any retakes of the first 10 core courses must be completed prior to senior year.

The NCAA also has introduced a new status for the class of 2015 – the "Academic Redshirt." An "Academic Redshirt" may receive a scholarship and practice with his/her team, but he/she may not participate in game competition as a college freshman. Students with a GPA of 2.30 or above may achieve either "Academic Redshirt" or "Full Qualifier" status, depending on their SAT/ ACT test scores. Students with a core course GPA between 2.00 and 2.29 cannot attain "Full Qualifier" status but may achieve "Academic Redshirt" status by meeting minimum sliding scale test score requirements.

The new sliding SAT/ACT scale results in significant changes in minimum test score requirements. The minimum SAT score required to compete as a college freshman increased by 180 points while the minimum ACT score increased by an average of 14 points (sum score).

Here are two examples of changes to the new sliding scale:

Example 1

Prior to 2016: 2.00 core course GPA + 1010 SAT or 86 ACT = Full Qualifier 2016 and after: 2.00 core course GPA + 1020 SAT or 86 ACT = Academic Redshirt

Example 2

Prior to 2016: 2.50 core course GPA + 820 SAT or 68 ACT = Full Qualifier 2016 and after: 2.50 core course GPA + 1000 SAT or 85 ACT = Full Qualifier

Remember, the NCAA does not include the writing component of the SAT or ACT and the ACT score is a sum score (not average) of the English, math, reading and science sections.

Finally, just because a student-athlete meets the minimum NCAA academic standards, it does not mean they will be admitted to play sports at the college of their choice. Many universities have academic standards for incoming freshman athletes that are higher than the NCAA minimum requirements.

What does all this mean? Student-athletes must start tracking courses early. A student-athlete should calculate his/her initial core course GPA at the conclusion of his/her first semester in high school and continue to do so each semester thereafter.

Now more than ever, every semester counts.

The NCAA initial eligibility sliding scale					3.525	410	590	38	50
(class of 2016 and beyond)					3.500	420	600	39	50
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3.875	400	450	37	41	3.300	500	680	44	56
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SECOND NATIONAL RISING SENIOR ACADEMY A SUCCESS

The second national Rising Senior Academy was held at Ben Davis High School in July 2014.

This event was created by the National High School Basketball Coaches Association and supported by the National Association of Basketball Coaches. The purpose of this event was to bring some of the top players in the nation together to develop leadership and basketball skills.

The following five states participated with nine teams as the event was expanded to include boys and girls – Indiana, Iowa, Ohio and Wisconsin each had boys' and girls' teams; Washington brought only a boys' team.

During the three-day event, which included an Opening Ceremony at New Castle Fieldhouse and a tour of the Indiana Basketball Hall of Fame in New Castle, the teams participated in four games utilizing round-robin format. The players heard presentations related to leadership, the recruiting process, social media and the student-athlete, and reaching one's full potential as a person and player.

These speakers addressed the players: David Ginsberg, NHSBCA, Executive Director; Paul Biancardi, ESPN basketball analyst and former college coach; Ira Childress, Childress Sports Consulting; Bob Lovell, Indiana Sports Talk host, former college coach, author; and Brett Ledbetter, a nationally known basketball skills trainer.

 $\sf NCAA$ Division II, $\sf NCAA$ Division III, $\sf NAIA$ and Junior College coaches were in attendance to observe the event.

The Indiana boys' team went 2-2 in the 2014 event. Representing Indiana were Sean McDermott, Pendleton Heights; Joel Okafor, Richmond; Jordan Geist, Penn; Drew Hackett, Munster; Matt Holba, Guerin Catholic; Tahjai Teague, Pike; Adam Eberhard, Evansville Memorial; Chris Palombizio, Chesterton; and Brennan Gillis, Ben Davis. Indiana coaches were Jamie Kolkmeier of Corydon Central, Chad Ballenger of Hamilton Heights and Brent Keck of Perry Meridian.

The Indiana girls' team went 3-1 in the 2014 event. Players for Indiana were Josie Fisher, Homestead; Lamina Cooper, Lawrence North; Alexa Bailey, Bedford North Lawrence; Darby Maggard, Fort Wayne Canterbury; Tiara Murphy, South Bend Washington; Olivia Crozier, Madison; Tori Schickel, Evansville Mater Dei; Dominique McBryde, Bedford North Lawrence; Brittany Ward, Pike. Victoria Gaines of Merrillville and Jordyn Frantz of NorthWood also attended, but played just briefly because of injury. Coaches were Pat McKee of Columbus North, Lisa Blalock of Muncie Central and Ron Patberg of Columbus North.

Teams from Wisconsin went 4-0 in the boys' and girls' competitions. For a more thorough recap and to see some photos from the event, go to http://www.ibcacoaches.com/news-events/rising_stars.aspx.



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IBCA/SUBWAY PLAYER OF THE WEEK PROGRAM

About 100 high school boys and girls will have the opportunity to win IBCA/Subway Player of the Week recognition in 2014-15.

Initiated in 2008-09 thanks to support from the Indiana Pacers and Indiana Fever, these awards were given to deserving boys and girls who had outstanding weeks during the last five seasons. Last season, 92 players – 48 boys and 44 girls – were cited.

For the coming season, plans are for at least one boy and one girl from each of the three IHSAA districts to be honored each week, so long as there are nominees for the awards. The IBCA would prefer that nominations come from coaches of potential winners or from media in those areas. Coaches are to be IBCA members to nominate players.

To submit a nominee, please e-mail info to IBCA Director of Special Projects Pat McKee (patmckee77@aol.com) by noon Monday each week of the playing season (girls from Nov. 17 through March 9; boys from Dec. 1 through March 30).

If you nominate a player, please include the player's name, school, grade, height, position, year in school and a recap of the player's performance in his/ her game or games of the preceding week, Monday through Saturday. Please also include the coach's name, e-mail address and best phone number to reach the coach.

After all players are selected during a given week, they will be added to a growing list of IBCA/Subway High School Players of the Week. The weekly listings will be posted no later than noon Tuesday. Coaches and/or Athletic Directors of the weekly winners will be notified by Pat McKee.

The first deadline for reports for the coming season will be noon on Monday, Nov. 17 for girls and Monday, Dec. 1 for boys. These will continue each week through the Monday following the IHSAA Boys and Girls State Finals.

INSURANCE COVERAGE INFORMATION

What to do if involved in a suit?

Camp coverage, certificates of insurance, participant/accident insurance? As a membership benefit, coverage is provided by the Commercial General Liability Policy issued to the National Organization of Coaches Association Directors. This policy will protect the Indiana Basketball Coaches Association and its active members who are high school coaches, junior high coaches or elementary coaches from claims made by negligent acts accidentally committed resulting in bodily injury, personal and advertising injury or property damage to others.

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HOOSIER BASKETBALL MAGAZINE HOSTS ANNUAL TOP 60 SENIOR WORKOUTS BY GARRY DONNA

Sixty of Indiana's best senior boys as well as 60 of Indiana's best senior girls high school players will be invited to participate in Hoosier Basketball Magazine's 2015 Top 60 Senior Workouts held in conjunction with the IHSAA and the Indiana Basketball Coaches Association.

The 33rd annual Girls' Top 60 Senior Workout will be Sunday, March 15, 2015, on the campus of Marian University on the west side of Indianapolis. The 28th annual Boys' Top 60 Senior Workout also will take place at Marian University in Indianapolis on Sunday, April 12, 2015.

Both Top 60 Senior Workouts will begin at 1:00 p.m. and include two sessions — 1:00-3:00 p.m. and 3:30-5:30 p.m.

The two workouts are coordinated by Hoosier Basketball Magazine publisher Garry Donna. Former state championship coach Rick Risinger of Heritage Christian will serve as on-court director of the 2015 Girls' Top 60 Senior Workout, assisted by IBCA-member coaches. IBCA-member coaches will also be conducting the Boys' Top 60. Director Steve Lynch of Brownsburg will lead the on-court activities.

These workouts give the state's outstanding seniors a chance to meet and compete. They also afford college coaches an opportunity to observe the players against top-quality competition.

While NOT a tryout for the Indiana All-Star teams, these events give Indiana-Kentucky All-Star game director Charlie Hall and his Indiana All-Star coaches, both boys and girls, the opportunity to observe the state's best senior players against top-flight competition.

For further details, call Garry Donna at (317) 496-1700 or (317) 925-8200. Or send him an e-mail at hoosierbbllmag@att.net.

TOP 100 SHOWCASE RECAP

Some of the top players with returning high school eligibility in the state participated in the 12th annual Boys' and Girls' Top 100 Showcase events. The IBCA would like to thank the IHSAA, McDonald's, Gatorade, Champion, Anaconda Sports and the IHSAA basketball officials who called the scrimmages and all the high school coaches for their support in making these Showcase events successful.

For 2015, these events have been scheduled for July 7 (girls) and July 8 (boys) at Ben Davis High School in Indianapolis. For this year, the Girls' Showcase again will run from 2 p.m. to 8 p.m. For this year, to fit in the NCAA recruiting window, the Boys' Showcase will run from 3 p.m. to 9 p.m.

See the attachment of photographs from the 2014 showcases, and be watching for the 2015 timeline for the nomination and selection of participants for the 13th annual Showcase events.

Sixty-nine colleges - including 21 NCAA Division I programs -- attended the Boys', Girls' or both Showcases in 2014. Colleges and universities represented by one or more coaches at one or both of the Showcases were:

Alabama-Huntsville, Anderson University, Ball State University, Bellarmine University, Bethel College, Bowling Green State University, Butler University, DePauw University, Earlham College, Elmhurst College, Florida State University, Franklin College, Georgetown College, Goshen College, Grace College, Hanover College, Hillsdale College, Holy Cross College, Huntington University, Indiana State, Indiana Tech, Indiana University, Indiana University-East, Indiana University-Kokomo, Indiana University-South Bend, Indiana University-Southeast, Indiana Wesleyan University, IUPUI, John A. Logan College, Kentucky Wesleyan College, Lake Forest College, Lake Superior State University, Lawrence Tech University, Manchester University, Marian University, Miami University (Ohio), Mercer University, Millikin University, Northeastern University, Northwood University, Ohio Northern University, Olney Central College, Parkland College, Purdue University, Purdue-Calumet, Rose-Hulman, Saint Bonaventure University, Saint Joseph's College, Saint Mary-of-the-Woods College, Salem International University, Southern Illinois-Edwardsville, Taylor University, Tennessee-Martin, Trine University, University of Evansville, University of Findlay, University of Illinois, University of Indianapolis, University of Minnesota, University of Saint Francis, Valparaiso University, Vanderbilt University, Wabash College, Western Michigan, Wilmington College, Wisconsin-Platteville, Wofford College, Wright State University, Youngstown State

NFHS COACH OF THE YEAR NOMINEES

Pat Rady of Cloverdale and Terry Minix of Oregon-Davis have been chosen as Indiana's nominees for the National Federation of State High School Associations national basketball coaches of the year.



Rady completed his 50th season as a varsity coach in 2013-14 by leading Cloverdale to a 19-2 record. In 50 seasons, he has compiled a 739-415 record, including a 121-101 mark over the past 10 seasons with the Clovers.

Rady began his career as eighth-grade coach for one season at Scribner Junior High in New Albany. He then coached five seasons at Bainbridge (83-33), five years at Winchester (79-33), one year at Southmont (9-12), five years at Shelbyville (72-56), 24 years at Terre Haute South (375-180) and the past 10 seasons at Cloverdale.

His teams have won 19 sectionals, eight regionals and one semistate. He was the Indiana All-Star coach in 1989 and has been inducted into the Hanover College, Indiana Basketball, Terre Haute South and Montgomery County halls of fame.

Rady is a 1959 graduate of Roachdale High School and a 1963 graduate of Hanover College. He earned a master's degree from Indiana State in 1970. He and his wife, Margaret, have two sons and three grandchildren.



Minix guided the Oregon-Davis girls to a 23-2 campaign last season, including the Class A state championship. In 21 seasons with the Bobcats, Minix's teams have gone 313-146 with eight sectional, two regional, two semistate and two state championships. OD's previous state crown came in 2007.

Minix is a 1980 graduate of Oregon-Davis and attended Bethel College in Mishawaka, where he played basketball for three seasons. He was an OD assistant coach for two seasons before becoming the Bobcats' head coach.

Minix and his wife, Cheryl, have three daughters -

Aubrey, 24, Gabrielle, 22, and Lexi, 16. All three daughters played for Coach Minix.

JUNIOR MANNIES / MARION CRAWLEY / PAT AIKMAN **SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS**

The IBCA offers financial support for the families of selected IBCA scholarship winners in the amount of \$750 for each award winner.

IBCA Junior Mannies, Marion Crawley and Pat Aikman Scholarships were awarded last spring to deserving young people who helped perpetuate our great game of basketball in Indiana. These are students who help make coaching a great profession.

The Mannies Scholarship is presented to students who have a physical handicap but have contributed to their respective school's athletic program.

Criteria for the Crawley Scholarship include achievement in basketball, achievement in academics, participation in extracurricular activities and service to one's school and community.

Criteria for the Aikman Scholarship include achievements and contributions in basketball, scholastic achievement, extra-curricular activities, and service to school and community. Also, those considered for the Aikman Scholarship are students who plan to enter the fields of journalism, sports management, athletic training or physical therapy.

Through the years, the IBCA has awarded more than \$572,000 in scholarships to our young people. The following 36 students were awarded scholarships in 2014.

Student School Coach

2014 JUNIOR MANNIES AWARD David Glander Roncalli

2014 MARION CRAWLEY AWARDS Bovs Players

Shane Beaman Courtland Betz Jacob Bury **Dalton Demeter** Calvin Furniss **Bennett Hazelgrove** Frank Podkul Ben Shriver Lucas Sipe Jack Trittipo Haley Carmean Sydney Elliott Katie Ernstberger **Taylor Frederick** Patty Jones Hannah March Alexa McKinsey Amanda Middleton Reagan Mosley Libby Moyer Nikki Muensterman

Heather Ray

Emmy Schabel

Rosa Schwartz

Rene Spauldina

Katija Tarailo

Joey Elliott

Lee Enkoff

Miranda White

Rigoberto Lopez

Paisley Morton

Jasper Evansville Mater Dei Perry Meridian Cowan North Putnam Andrean Tippecanoe Valley Hamilton Heights Noblesville **Girls Players** Vincennes Lincoln

North Putnam

Rising Sun Eastern (Pekin) Corydon Central Knightstown Speedway Southmont Argos Corydon Central Argos **Evansville** Central Speedway Columbus North Perry Central Oak Hill Crown Point Fremont Roncalli Columbus East

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John Goebel Kurt Wildman Brent Keck Mike King Lukas Haworth Scott Hicko **Bill Patrick** Chad Ballenger Dave McCollouah Travis Connor Noel Bostic Michael McBride Michael Uhl Dawn Basicker Jordan Dever Clarissa Allen Gary Teel Michael Uhl Gary Teel **Brittany Maners** lordan Dever Pat McKee Ty Guillaume Todd Law Annie Equihua Neal Frantz

Michael Wantz

Lukas Haworth

Student Managers/Statisticians Michael Wantz Brent Chitty Brian Bechtel Cheerleaders

Marilyn Hankins

2014 PAT AIKMAN AWARDS

Tanner Davis Caleb Gabler Daisy Heath Skyler Overleese Matt Luce Ryan Watson John Steinhilber Jeremy Powers



2013-14 BOYS CHAMPIONSHIP COACHES



Class 4A: Jason Delaney, Indianapolis Tech. Delaney led the Titans to the Class 4A state championship with a 63-59 victory over Lake Central. Delaney's teams are 64-12 during his tenure at Tech, including a 27-2 mark in 2013-14. In 10 seasons as a head coach, his career record is 145-90. Delaney is a 1995 graduate of Lafayette Central Cathlic and a 2001 graduate of Ball State University. He previously was a head coach at Waldron for one year

(winning a Class A state title), Southport for four seasons, Anderson Highland for one season and Indianapolis Washington for one season. He also served as an assistant coach at Muncie Burris.

Class 3A: Stacy Meyer, Greensburg. Meyer guided the Pirates to a 28-1 season, including an 89-76 win over Bowman Academy for the 3A state title. Meyer has a record of 146-48 in eight seasons at Greensburg and is 204-104 in 13 seasons as a head coach. A graduate of Greensburg and Hanover College, he previously was head coach at Southwestern (Shelby) and Whiteland.





Class 2A: Kyle Cox, Park Tudor. Cox directed the Panthers to a 24-4 record and the Class 2A title in his first season as a head coach, beating Westview 84-57 in the final. Cox is a 2002 graduate of Blue River Valley High School and a 2006 graduate of Ball State University. He was an assistant coach for two years at BRV, one year at Winchester and four years at Park Tudor before becoming the Panthers' head coach. Cox participated in the State

Finals as player in 2001 and also as an assistant coach in 2010, 2011 and 2012.

Class A: Donovan Garletts, Marquette Catholic. Garletts guided the Blazers to a 20-6 season, including a 70-66 victory over Barr-Reeve in overtime for the Class A championship. Garletts has a 55-38 in four seasons at Marquette Catholic. He is a 2005 graduate of Crown Point High School and a 2008 graduate of Indiana University. He



previously was an assistant coach at Bloomington South for three seasons and was a part of its staff when it won the 4A title in 2009.

45th year of Hoosier Basketball Magazine By Garry Donna

This fall Hoosier Basketball Magazine will publish its 45th annual issue. As usual, this 296-page publication will be a comprehensive survey of all high school basketball in Indiana (both boys and girls). All men's and women's college teams, plus the Indiana Pacers and Indiana Fever, also will be included.



Publisher Garry Donna reports that five outstanding senior high school players will be featured on the center of the 2014-2015 front cover of Hoosier Basketball Magazine. They are Caleb

Swanigan (Homestead), Ryan Cline (Carmel), Hyron Edwards (East Chicago Central), Ali Patberg (Columbus North) and Dominique McBryde (Bedford North Lawrence).

Other high school senior boys to be pictured on the front cover include Ryan Fazekas (Marquette Catholic), Brennan Gillis (Ben Davis), Drew Hackett (Munster), Matt Holba (Guerin Catholic), Bronson Kessinger (Corydon Central), Josh Speidel (Columbus North), K.J. Walton (Brownsburg) and Ryan Welage (Greensburg).

High school senior girls to appear on the cover are Jenna Allen (Bedford North Lawrence), Alexa Bailey (Bedford North Lawrence), Lamina Cooper (Lawrence North), Victoria Gaines (Merrillville), Darby Maggard (Fort Wayne Canterbury), Nakeya Penny (Logansport), Tori Schickel (Evansville Mater Dei) and Brittany Ward (Pike).

Three college standout players — Yogi Ferrell (Indiana), A.J. Hammons (Purdue) and Liza Clemons (Purdue) — also will be featured on the cover. So will Indiana Pacers forward David West and Indiana Fever player Shavonte Zellous.

Coaches interested in acquiring copies at a discounted price for sale at their school can call (317) 925-8200 or e-mail us at hoosierbbllmag@att.net. They can also write to Hoosier Basketball Magazine, 3750 N. Guion Rd., Suite 315, Indianapolis, IN 46222 or check out our web site at www.hoosierbasketball.com.

For further information about Hoosier Basketball Magazine's 45th annual issue, please call publisher Garry Donna anytime at (317) 496-1700.

2013-14 GIRLS CHAMPIONSHIP COACHES



Class 4A: Damon Bailey, Bedford North Lawrence. Bailey directed the Lady Stars to a 27-1 record in his only season as head coach, capped by a 51-41 victory over Penn for the 4A championship. He resigned his position at the end of the season to become a women's basketball assistant coach at Butler University. Bailey was a legendary player, leading BNL to the 1990 boys' state title and setting the state's all-time scoring record with 3,134 points. He was an All-American player at Indiana University and played professionally for several years.

He started his coaching career as the BNL boys' head coach, compiling a 23-19 mark in two seasons. He returned to the BNL bench as a girls' basketball assistant for four seasons prior to taking over as head coach in 2013-14.

Class 3A: Chris Keisling, Western. Keisling guided the

Panthers to a 23-3 season, including a 38-35 decision over Evansville Mater Dei for the 3A state title. He compiled a 61-15 in three seasons at Western, stepping down from coaching at the conclusion of the season. He previously was a boys basketball head coach at Tri-County (1991-95) and Northfield (1995-98) and owns a boys-girls combined career mark of 146-62. Keisling is a 1982 graduate of North Miami High School and a 1985 graduate of Ball



State University. He started his coaching career as a boys basketball assistant at Eastern (Greentown) for one year and Delta for two years.



Class 2A: Rick Risinger, Heritage Christian. Risinger has coached the Eagles for nine seasons, including a 27-1 mark in 2013-14 and a 64-61 win over Fort Wayne Canterbury for the 2A state crown. He has a career record of 203-37, including previous 2A state titles in 2006, 2007, 2008 and 2009. Risinger was an Indiana All-Star player in 1969 for Richmond High School, then played four years of basketball at Purdue. He became

coach at Heritage Christian in 2005 and the Eagles have won seven sectionals, six regionals, five semistate and five state titles during his tenure.

Class A: Terry Minix, Oregon-Davis. Minix directed the Bobcats to a 23-2 season, including a 69-64 victory over Vincennes Rivet for the Class A state championship. Minix has coached Oregon-Davis for 21 seasons, compiling a 313-146 during his tenure that includes eight sectionals, two regionals, two semistates and two state titles. The previous state win came in 2007. Minix is a 1980 graduate of Oregon-Davis and attended Bethel College in Mishawaka, where he played basketball for three seasons. He



was an OD assistant coach for two seasons before becoming the Bobcats' head coach.



2015 'HOOSIERS' REUNION ALL-STAR CLASSIC

BY GARRY DONNA

The Historic HOOSIER GYM Committee of Knightstown, Ind., in conjunction with Hoosier Basketball Magazine and Pacesetter Sports of Terre Haute, will host the 10th annual "Hoosiers" Reunion All-Star Classic on Friday, June 5, 2015.

This high school All-Star girls' and boys' doubleheader will be played on the movie home court of the Hickory Huskers in Knightstown.

Forty-eight of Indiana's very finest senior boys' and girls' basketball players from the graduating class of 2015 will be invited to participate in this event. The girls' game will begin at 6 p.m. with the boys to follow at 8 p.m.

All four rosters for the "Hoosiers" Reunion All-Star Classic — both girls and boys — will be finalized in early 2015. When complete, the rosters will be released to the media for publication statewide. They will also be available at www.hoosierbasketball.com and on the Indiana Basketball Coaches Association web site.

Only 665 tickets are available for this historic basketball doubleheader. All seats are reserved.

For more details and ticket information about the "Hoosiers" Reunion All-Star Classic, please call Classic coordinator Garry Donna of Hoosier Basketball Magazine at (317) 496-1700 or (317) 925-8200. Or send e-mail to him at hoosierbbllmag@att.net.

INDIANA BASKETBALL HALL OF FAME REPORT

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BY CHRIS MAY

As the season approaches, the Indiana Basketball Hall of Fame wishes each of you the best in the 2014-15 campaian.

An event to mark on your calendars is the 2014 City Securities Hall of Fame Classic; please take note of the schedule below. The games take place Friday, Dec. 26, and Saturday, Dec. 27, 2014, at the world's largest and finest high school fieldhouse in New



11:00 A.M. (ET) - Mooresville vs. Center Grove to follow - Heritage Christian vs. Gary West 6:00 P.M. - Consolation Game to follow - Championship Game

37th City Securities Boys Hall of Fame Classic - Saturday, Dec. 27, 2014

11:00 A.M. (ET) - Southport vs. Batesville to follow - Brownsburg vs. Penn 6:00 P.M. - Consolation Game to follow - Championship Game

Tickets are available in advance from the participating schools or the Hall

for \$10 per day. Tickets purchased at the door will be \$10 per session. Coaches interested in bringing their team to the tournament should contact our office in advance for a discounted rate.

We expect two fields lined with star players, outstanding teams and some of the top coaches in the state. The tournament features some of the best competition from the state and is a great opportunity to bring your team for a day of basketball.

The Hall of Fame museum, a 14,000-square-foot shrine to Indiana high school basketball, is another great opportunity for a team outing. A number of our memorabilia displays have been updated this summer. We have had visitors from coast to coast visit this summer who have come away impressed with the history and Indiana's passion for high school basketball. In the month of July alone, we had visitors from 27 states as well as from Australia and Japan.

As a team-building trip, to build excitement for the season or for a midseason history lesson, we offer an affordable option for teams – \$1.00 per player with coaches free. Keep in mind that no player on your roster this year had been born when more than 41,000 fans watched the IHSAA boys state finals at the Hoosier Dome 25 years ago this season. (How many of your players would know what the Hoosier Dome was?)

Including artifacts and images from those games in 1990 and plenty more from many years prior, touring the Indiana Basketball Hall of Fame is a true history lesson that all current players could use.

We encourage you to visit our website at www.hoopshall.com, which features sections on our inductees and honorees, upcoming events, press releases and our online aift shop.

The Indiana Basketball Hall of Fame continued to add to our membership last year with a special offer to IBCA members. Coming again this year, we encourage you to support the Indiana Basketball Hall of Fame by becoming an Active Coach member for \$25. This is a savings of 75 percent off of our typical rate and gives you the same benefits as a regular member, including free admission to the museum and a 20 percent discount off items in our gift shop or online store.

I hope you will enjoy some of our numerous activities with the Indiana Basketball Hall of Fame this year. We appreciate your support as we celebrate the history, tradition and memories of basketball in our state, while educating and cultivating the next generation of Indiana basketball fans.

Contact our office at (765) 529-1891 or email chris@hoopshall.com for more information or if we can help you.

--Chris May

NFHS RULE CHANGES FOR 2014-15

Players in marked lane spaces will be able to move into the lane when the ball is released by the free-throw shooter beginning with the 2014-15 high school basketball season. Previously, players could not release until the ball touched the ring or backboard or until the free throw ended.

This change in Rule 9-1-4 was one of four major rules changes recommended by the National Federation of State High School Associations (NFHS) Basketball Rules Committee at its April 14-16 meeting in Indianapolis. All recommendations were subsequently approved by the NFHS Board of Directors.

The committee noted that the current rule of players in marked lane spaces not releasing until the ball touches the ring or backboard creates two obstacles for officials: 1) attempting to watch the ball strike the ring or backboard while simultaneously attempting to observe if any players/free thrower violate the lane-line restrictions, and 2) insufficient time for the perimeter official(s) to obtain optimum angles on the players involved in rebounding a missed try.

"In recent years, we have moved players along the lane spaces up and removed excess players along the lane lines, so the rationale for changing this rule to its current status is no longer an issue," said Theresia Wynns, NFHS director of sports and officials education and staff liaison to the NFHS Basketball Rules Committee.

In an effort to eliminate excessive contact on ball-handlers and dribblers outside of the lane area, the committee added Article 12 to Rule 10-6 on contact. As a result, the following acts will constitute a foul when committed against a ball-handler/dribbler: 1) placing two hands on the player, 2) placing an extended arm bar on the player, 3) placing and keeping a hand on the player and 4) contacting the player more than once with the same hand or alternating hands.

The rules committee also expanded the definition of an intentional foul in Rule 4-19-3d, which now states that an intentional foul is "excessive contact with an opponent while the ball is live or until an airborne shooter returns to the floor.

Wynns said that this revision will address the issue of contact with the elbow and should reduce the subjectivity in making rulings on intentional fouls.

In the final rules change, the committee expanded Rule 3-5-3 by identifying anything worn on the arm and/or leg as a sleeve, except a knee brace. These items, including tights, will now be permitted but must meet the color and logo restrictions in Rule 3-5-3. Previously, this rule permitted only arm sleeves and leg-compression sleeves.

Basketball is the second-most popular sport for girls and third-most popular for boys at the high school level, according to the 2012-13 High School Athletics Participation Survey conducted by the NFHS, with 433,120 girls and 538,676 boys participating nationwide. The sport ranks first in school sponsorship of girls and boys teams with 17,493 schools sponsoring the sport for girls and 17,856 sponsoring the sport for boys.

27TH ANNUAL NORTH/SOUTH INDIANA ALL-STAR CLASSIC **BY GARRY DONNA**

Hoosier Basketball Magazine announces that the 27th annual North/South Indiana All-Star Classic, Indiana's only state-wide all-star series, will be Sunday, April 19, 2015, at Indiana Wesleyan University in Marion, Ind.

Forty-eight of Indiana's best boys' and girls' senior basketball players will participate in this annual statewide doubleheader. The girls' game will begin at 2:00 p.m. with the boys to follow at 4:00 p.m.

A news release and all four team rosters for the 2015 North/South Indiana All-Star Classic will be available on the Hoosier Basketball Magazine web site (www.hoosierbasketball.com) and the Indiana Basketball Coaches Association web site in 2015 when finalized.

For more details and ticket information about the 2015 North/South Indiana All-Star Classic, please call Classic coordinator Garry Donna of Hoosier Basketball Magazine at(317) 496-1700 or (317) 925-8200. Or e-mail him at hoosierbbllmag@att.net.

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