INSTRUCTION

Interscholastic Athletics

Procedures for Prevention of Incidents Involving Officials at County High School Athletic Events

Prior to the beginning of each sports season, the activities director shall notify the appropriate official’s association, in writing, of the procedures to be employed at their respective schools.

The procedures for all regular season and post-season sports contests and events including district, conference, regional, and state tournaments are as follows:

I. Officials will report directly to the activities director (or designee) at a prearranged time and place;

II. The activities director (or designee) will review procedures and, where applicable, escort the officials to a designated dressing room;

III. The activities director (or designee) will escort the officials to and from the area of play and to and from the dressing room at half-time;

IV. In the event that it is necessary, the activities director (or designee) will escort the officials to their automobiles and from the school; and

V. Additional precautions and/or actions will be taken by the activities director (or designee), if warranted, before, during, and after the event.

The Associate Superintendent for Student Learning and Accountability (or designee) and the Associate Superintendent for High Schools (or designee) shall be responsible for implementing and monitoring this regulation.

This regulation and related policy shall be reviewed at least every five years and revised as needed.