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AIAetc. Newsletter

September 30, 2013

AIA/USA Basketball

The AIA is on schedule for hosting indoor AIA events at the USA Place in the Fall of 2015. In addition, the AIA staff is exploring possible opportunities to relocate the AIA Office in a co-branded and shared office space at USA Place but nothing has been confirmed at this time.

The AIA Executive Board will provide additional details as they become available.

[USA Basketball](#)

Important Dates

2013 Executive Board Meetings

October 8, 2013
(Hardship Appeals - Deer Valley)
October 21, 2013
November 18, 2013
December 9, 2013

AIA Insight Panel

The AIA Insight Panel is a collaboration of parents, coaches, and community leaders which held their first meeting on Saturday, September 21, 2013.

The role of this panel is to discuss and understand the purpose of the AIA and make recommendations for communication to parents and the community. We are also pleased to announce our Student Insight Panel which consists of students from AIA member schools.

We would like to thank our students and Insight Panel Members for their time and energy.

AIA Insight Panel Members

Robert C. Addicott
Valerie Baldenko
Jeff Bowen
Dansen J. Coleman
Bruce Cooper
Kyle D. Diemer
Susan E. Downing
Lisa J. Ellis
Marty Laurel
James M. McGuire
Chris D. Morris
Barbara R. Mozdzen
Shay L. Pausa
Donald Perkins
Gregory A. Sanders
Gregory D. Shupe
Karin E. Tierney
Dennis L. Tingey
Shawn E. Wright

Anyone Can Save A Life - Emergency Action Plan

An AIA member school must have an Emergency Action Plan in place in order to host a post season tournament. It takes only a few minutes to complete the online Anyone Can Save A Life Emergency Action Plan.

Once completed, you will receive a copy of your EAP along with the AIA office via email. A list of member schools that have completed the EAP can be found on the AIA Academy website.

[Anyone Can Save A Life - Emergency Action Plan](#)

2013-14 AIA Observed Holidays

Veterans Day - Nov.
11
Thanksgiving - Nov.
22
Christmas - Dec. 25
New Year - January 1

Upcoming Important Dates:

October 2, 2013 - AD
Workshop
October 8, 2013 -
(Hardship Appeal -
Deer Valley)
October 21, 2013 -
Executive Board
Meeting
October 21, 2013 -
Winter Hardship
Appeals Deadline
October 23, 2013 -
Superintendents' Adv.
Committee Mtg.
October 28-29, 2013 -
Winter Hardship
Appeals

Hardship Appeal Dates:

Winter Sports:
October 28-29, 2013
(Deadline - Oct. 21st)

Spring Sports:
January 27-28, 2014

(Deadline - Jan. 21st)

Move On When Ready / Grand Canyon Diploma Program

The AIA's interpretation of the Move On When Ready / Grand Canyon diploma program is the following:

Students who graduate with a Grand Canyon diploma will remain athletically eligible through what would have been their 8th semester at the school which they last attended, even though they are no longer enrolled at the school, as long as the school can provide proof of them being currently enrolled in an institution of higher learning.

Please contact the AIA office if you have any questions.

Spiritline State Qualifiers

The Spiritline State Qualifier dates are schedule for November 9th and 16th, 2013 and the Spiritline State Championship date will be January 25, 2014.

The registration process is now online!

Deadline to SUBMIT registration is, Friday, October 11th at 11:59 PM!!!
(LATE REGISTRATION WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED)

Here are step by step [Online Registration Instructions](#)

Please send inquiries or questions to Kris at spirit@aiaonline.org

Unified Strength & Conditioning Program

The AIA's newest partner, Hi-Health, are proud to promote the Unified Strength & Conditioning Program. This program offers a healthy lifestyle promoting inclusion, health and fitness for high school athletes with and without intellectual disabilities.

Please click on the link below for more details:

[Unified Strength & Conditioning Flyer](#)

Wilson 2014 Line Drive Program

Wilson, DeMarini and ATEC have joined together to bring you the 2014 Line Drive Program. NEWfor 2014, the Line Drive Program provides teams with an opportunity to qualify for Preferred Team Pricing saving approximately 30% OFF OF RETAIL. Based on the program level reached, Wilson and DeMarini Free Goods will be provided.

[2014 Line Drive Program](#)

Wilson Ball Survey

Please complete the Wilson Ball Survey if you have not already done so, by going to the following link:

[Wilson Ball Survey](#)

Student Insiders

AIA365.com is launching a new Student Insiders program that allows students to promote what is going on within their schools.

The AIA content management team has provided an opportunity where one student from each school will be able to publish content to AIA365.com.

Interested schools/students should contact Jose Garcia, jgarcia@aia365.com, to learn more on how to get involved.

The new student insiders page will be accessible at www.aia365.com under the Stories tab, launching soon.

Accounting: RefPay Update

RefPay UPDATE

If you are a NEW AD or you are an AD at a NEW SCHOOL THIS YEAR, your school's RefPay must be updated.

PLEASE EMAIL DENISE DOSER at ddoser@aiaonline.org stating:

New AD Information:

1. AD Name:
2. AD Email Address:
3. School Name:

The AD will receive an email confirming UserName and New Temporary Password.

Only the Password can be changed. The UserName must remain the same for each school.

When prompted, all security question answers are (lowercase): aia

Do not change any security question answers to your personal answers. *They must remain: aia*

The AD & Athletic Assistant/Secretary may share the RefPay login as the AIA/RefPay portal is READ ONLY. No transactions may be made from this portal.

For RefPay issues concerning:

- Schools - contact Denise Doser @ ddoser@aiaonline.org
- Officials - contact Jeanie Kosower @ jkosower@aiaonline.org

eKnowledge - SAT & ACT Exams

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eKnowledge and the SAT/ACT Donation Project are offering \$250 SAT and ACT test prep programs for just the cost of providing the programs (under \$20)...the fee covers everything, including: *materials, shipping, student support, and streaming.*

You may request your programs at:

www.eknowledge.com/AZIA

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Please click the following link for a full detailed flyer from eKnowledge:

[The SAT/ACT Donation Project](#)

A Note from Dr Parsons / Sports Medicine Advisory Committee

This important statement is the product of a collaboration between several national organizations, including representatives from the National Athletic Trainers' Association, the National Federation of State High School Associations (NFHS), and the National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA), among others.

The purpose of the statement is to address a growing national concern of sports medicine providers, including physicians and athletic trainers, with the potential for conflicts of interest and bias inherent in many current employment and administrative arrangements for the provision of sports medicine services in both high schools and colleges /universities. The statement asserts the importance of "athlete-centered medicine" and clearly establishes that medical decisions for student athletes should be made without interference from personal or professional bias, and should be primarily based on what is in the best

interest of the student-athlete's health and welfare. Those decisions are the primary legal responsibility of team physicians working collaboratively with athletic trainers, and should be made objectively and in a manner free from influence or threat.

The statement also reminds non-providers, such as administrators and coaches of the shared responsibility that they have to sport safety and to the health and safety of their student athletes. Lastly, it provides important guidance for the administrative structure and oversight of sports medicine services, especially the employment of athletic trainers. This guidance minimizes the risk of conflicts of interest, while maximizing the parity and equity of the employment environment, as well as the organizational benefits of employing sports medicine professionals.

[Sports Medicine Management](#)

Spiritline Course Dates

The NFHS Spirit Rules and AACCA Course dates are posted on the Spiritline page of the [AIA Website](#).

Registration is to be completed online

Wrestling - Skin Lesion Medical Release Form

The NFHS Sports Medicine Advisory Committee has developed a medical release form for wrestlers to participate with skin lesion(s).

The NFHS Sports Medicine Advisory Committee conducted a survey among specialty, academic, public health and primary care physicians and reviewed extensively the literature available on the communicability of various skin lesions at different stages of disease and treatment. No definitive data exists that allow us to absolutely predict when a lesion is no longer shedding organisms that could be transmitted to another wrestler.

The Committee feels that the components of the form are very relevant to addressing the concerns of coaches,

parents, wrestlers and appropriate health-care professionals that led to the research into this subject and to the development of this form.

Please click on the following link for further information and the skin lesion release form.

[NFHS Medical Release Form](#)

AIA Brainbook Concussion Education Online Course

The AIA Brainbook Concussion education online course has reached a new milestone with 186,687 student athletes completing the course to date.

Barrow Concussion Network FAQ

Please click on the link to view the Barrow Concussion Network FAQ:

[Barrow Concussion Network FAQ](#)

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2013-14 Quick Glance Calendar / Sports Timeline

Please click on the link below to view the AIA Quick Glance Calendar.

[2013-14 Quick Glance Calendar](#)

Please click on the link below to view the AIA Sports Timeline

[2013-14 AIA Timeline by Sport](#)