

Kansas State High School Activities Association

MINUTES

Note: Minutes are subject to approval by the Board at its next meeting.



Executive Board Meeting
KSHSAA Board Room
Wednesday, November 15, 2023

The Executive Board of the Kansas State High School Activities Association met in their office on Wednesday, November 15, 2023, with the following in attendance: President Justin Seuser, Kellen Adams, Justin Briggs, Rick Byers, Eric Hofer-Holdeman, Deena Horst, Mike Kastle, Alan Penrose, Travis Powell, Casey Seyfert, Linda Wiley, Paul Zuzelski, and Bill Faflick, Executive Director. Assistant Executive Directors Mark Lentz, Jeremy Holaday, Craig Manteuffel, Rod Garman, Kyle Doperalski, Sarah Smith, Director of Operations Brent Unruh, and Director of Officials Scott Goodheart were also present.

CONSENT AGENDA ITEMS

The following items were all approved unanimously via consent:

- Minutes of the September 12-13, 2023, Executive Board meeting.
- Items approved by KSHSAA staff on behalf of the Executive Board. *(A list of these items may be found at the end of these minutes.)*

ADMINISTRATIVE REPORTS AND UPDATES

The Board heard reports from Executive Director Bill Faflick and the Assistant Executive Directors regarding the status of programs and services of the Association. The Executive Director provided a review of events and actions completed on behalf of the Board and Association since the previous meeting, including a financial report in conjunction with the financial services director. Administrative staff reviewed fall activities which have been completed and gave a preview of winter activities.

2023 REGIONAL MEETINGS

The Executive Director reported 150 middle/junior and 283 senior high schools were represented by 409 people who attended the seven KSHSAA Regional administrator and Board of Education Meetings. The attendance figures were as follows:

Monday, October 16	Topeka, KSHSAA Office	55
Tuesday, October 17	Salina South High School	60
Wednesday, October 18	Oakley High School	26
Thursday, October 19	Dodge City USD 443 District Office	44
Monday, October 23	Blue Valley USD 229 Hilltop Conference Center	66
Tuesday, October 24	Maize South High School	117
Wednesday, October 25	Fort Scott High School	41
	(351 in 2022)	409

Member School Representation was as follows:

Class 6A	34 out of 36 (94%)
Class 5A	33 out of 36 (92%)
Class 4A	30 out of 36 (83%)
Class 3A	56 out of 64 (88%)
Class 2A	50 out of 64 (78%)
Class 1A	80 out of 115 (70%)
	283 (69/352 schools absent) = 81% in attendance
Mid/Jr. High	150 (250/400 schools absent) = 38% in attendance
	433 Member Schools Present

Previous Year's Attendance

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	*2020	2021	2022	2023
Sr. High Schools	183	249	228	247	205	226	188	272	195	201	283
Jr. High Schools	63	107	90	128	63	80	62	135	60	128	150
Total Schools	246	356	318	375	268	306	250	*407	255	329	433
Total Attendance	296	360	321	357	285	327	276	*541	290	351	409

* Regional meetings were held virtually due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

Discussion Topics, Voting Results and Executive Board Actions

(NOTE: Detailed votes by Classes and Middle/Junior High Schools are available upon request)

1. **(Basketball - Classes 6A & 5A Only)** Should the KSHSAA add a 35 second shot clock to all varsity basketball games in 5A and 6A (both boys and girls basketball)?

Classes 6A & 5A: YES **47** NO **22**

All Classes: YES **116** NO **279**

EB Action: Staff will prepare a recommendation for an experimentation year with schools that already have a shot clock available (All Classes) during the 2024-25 school year to be presented to the Executive Board at their January meeting.

2. **(Basketball - Classes 3A, 2A & 1A Only)** Should the KSHSAA split the State into four groups of 16, and create two sub-states?

YES **78** NO **105**

EB Action: Item will be reworked and again referred to the KCA and KIAAA.

3. **(Basketball - All Classes)** Should the KSHSAA consolidate state championship sites, playing multiple championships at fewer venues?

YES **161** NO **122**

EB Action: Staff will prepare an item to be presented to the Executive Board at a future meeting.

4. **(Basketball - All Classes)** Shall the KSHSAA advance 4 school teams to the state tournament final site (currently taking 8)?

YES **30** NO **253**

EB Action: No action was taken on this item.

5. **(Golf)** Should KSHSAA allow 2 tournaments to start before 12 p.m. and the rest can start at 1 p.m.?

YES **206** NO **14**

EB Action: Staff will prepare an item to be presented to the Executive Board at their January meeting, with the expectation an item will be ready for consideration by the Board of Directors as part of their spring meeting.

6. **(Tennis)** Should the KSHSAA change **Handbook Rule 41, Tennis (Girls & Boys), Section 2, Article 4** to read:

Art. 4: No student representing a member school shall participate in more than eight days of interschool competition during a season, exclusive of regional, sub-state and state KSHSAA postseason tournaments.

- a. Two dual meets may be substituted for one day of tournament competition ~~provided no loss of instructional time would take place for competition and/or travel.~~
- b. Schools are encouraged to schedule as many quadrangular or smaller events as possible. It is recommended these events start after school hours.
- c. On those days when school time is used, only four matches or tournaments may start prior to 3 p.m. C.T.

YES **133** NO **9**

EB Action: This proposal was approved and forwarded to the Board of Directors for consideration at their spring meeting.

7. **(Tennis - Junior High/Middle Schools Only)** Should the KSHSAA modify the Junior High/Middle School tennis competition limit in **Handbook Rule 41, Tennis (Girls & Boys), Section 3**, by adding a new **Article 2** to read:

Art. 2: Two dual meets may be substituted for one day of tournament competition provided no loss of instructional time would take place for competition and/or travel.

YES **23** NO **1**

EB Action: The Executive Board determined to amend the proposed language to the Junior High/Middle School rule to mimic the High School language proposed. The new language is as follows:

Art. 2: Two dual meets may be substituted for one day of tournament competition provided no loss of instructional time would take place for competition and/or travel.

a. On those days when school time is used, only four matches or tournaments may start prior to 3 p.m. C.T.

This proposal was approved and forwarded to the Board of Directors for consideration at their spring meeting.

8. **(Track & Field - All Classes)** Should the KSHSAA consider allowing schools to submit additional entries for individual events if all athletes have met a qualifying standard for that event. Currently, schools are only allowed to have three entries. Three entries would remain the limit if they do not all meet the qualifying standard.

YES **213** NO **70**

EB Action: Item will be referred for additional input from the KCA and KIAAA.

9. **(Track & Field)** Should the KSHSAA modify the qualifying procedure for all classifications of the State Track & Field meet? Currently, the top four place winners in all events at each regional meet qualify. The proposed language for the manual would have the top three (3) finishers for the event in each regional automatically advance to the state championship. The next best four (4) qualifying times/distances/heights in the event from all regional competitions would also advance to the state track and field championship.

YES **184** NO **99**

EB Action: Item will be referred for additional input from the KCA and KIAAA.

10. **(Volleyball - Classes 3A, 2A & 1A Only)** Should the KSHSAA split the State into four groups of 16 and create two sub-states?

YES **145** NO **35**

EB Action: Item adopted with implementation to begin in the 2024-25 school year.

11. **(General)** This past school year, the KSHSAA convened a Summer Coaching Rule Committee to review the rules governing the amount of interaction between school coaches and athletes from their school. Schools should choose one option of preference:

- **Option 1 – Establish designated windows for coach-athlete contact in specified activities.**
- **Option 2 – Establish a specific number of days of coach-athlete contact**
- **Option 3 – Status Quo**

Option 1 **116** Option 2 **89** Option 3 **212**

EB Action: Staff have been asked to reconvene the Summer Coaching Rule Committee to review feedback from the regional meetings and revise options for future consideration.

FALL STATE CHAMPIONSHIP EVENTS

At the time of the meeting, seven of ten fall championships had been completed thanks to the hard work of the host sites, support staff, and administrative leaders for each activity. KSHSAA staff provided the Board members with a review and learning from each activity. Discussion focused on changes for future fall postseason events.

KSHSAA TRUEBLUE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM UPDATE

A draft of the KSHSAA Covered TrueBlue Scholarship program rubric was provided to Board members in anticipation for the 2023-24 school year award process. The program comes from the partnership between the KSHSAA and Capitol Federal and is a featured component of KSHSAA Covered.

BASEBALL AND SOFTBALL MANUAL UPDATES

Staff led discussion on possible amendments to the baseball and softball manuals for the 2023-24 season. Current manual language allows for walkup music during the regular season games for baseball only. The Board directed an inclusion of language that would allow for walkup music in softball during the regular season, similar to what is allowed in baseball. Both baseball and softball language would include a stipulation that music cannot affect the game pace-of-play. Also discussed was the number of schools in baseball Class 2-1A growing and causing a possible need to provide championships for Classes 2A and 1A separately. This review included the affect current cooperative teams may have, possible changes to postseason formats, and what information to provide in the manual which will be printed soon. Staff were directed to create language for inclusion in both the baseball and softball manuals for splitting classification groups to be presented to the Board for discussion at their January meeting.

HONORING VETERANS

For the first time, the KSHSAA honored veterans by providing complimentary admission to all active military veterans to football games played during the week of Veterans Day. Announcements were also read at games in appreciation of service members during the game. The Board was given a chance to provide feedback to staff and discuss additional ways to honor our Nation's military service members in the future.

GOLF EVENT REVIEW

Per Handbook **Rule 36-1-9** which details *"The Executive Board has the authority to revise the participation regulations and to establish regulations for outside tournament competition"*, a member school requested the Red River Challenge Tournament in Ardmore, OK be given approved event status for student participation during the upcoming spring season. Following a review of the event and a discussion on the merits of inclusion, the Executive Board voted to deny approved event status to the Red River Challenge Tournament.

NFHS NETWORK CONTRACT UPDATE

Staff gave an update on the current KSHSAA and NFHS Network contract which was previously signed to extend into 2029. Also provided was an update on legislative activity related to live website streams of postseason competitions.

UNSPORTSMANLIKE BEHAVIOR

Data was provided to the Board on anti-sportsmanship at KSHSAA events during the fall season. This data showed as of November 1, there were 333 reported ejections from Kansas interscholastic activities. Discussion was held on current consequences given for bad behavior and how the KSHSAA can lead our member schools in prevention of unsporting behavior. The Board asked staff to provide a framework for changes to the ejection policy at their next meeting in January.

CHANGES TO FORMAT FOR PHYSICAL FORM APPROVED

The KSHSAA Sports Medicine Advisory Committee proposed a recommendation to modify the current PPE form, allowing parent/guardians the choice to supply schools with the entire form or just the clearance information currently on page 4 of the form. While the committee supports member schools collecting the entire form, a review of current practices recognizes a conflict may occur with regard to confidentiality. Following discussion, the Executive Board requested staff and the SMAC team work together to create a different layout to the current PPE form allowing for parent/guardians to confirm their confidentiality request and still give member schools access to 'red flag' information in addition to clearance permissions. The new layout would then be brought back to the Executive Board for a final review and approval before it goes live for the next school year.

DRONE POLICY TO BE UPDATED

Since 2015, the KSHSAA has used a policy prohibiting the use of aerial drones at all postseason contests and events. With new advancements in technology, staff discussed with the Board limitations this policy has created for member schools. The Board directed staff to review the current policy compared to surrounding states and taking local licensing and flight path laws into consideration, rewrite the policy for review at an upcoming meeting.

EXECUTIVE SESSION – RETIREMENT ANNOUNCEMENT

At the request of the Executive Director, the Board entered an Executive Session to discuss matters related to non-elected personnel. Following the Session, Assistant Executive Director Craig Manteuffel announced his plans to retire October 1, 2024. Mr. Manteuffel has served at the KSHSAA since 2015 and as a Kansas educator since 1986 as a classroom teacher, director, coach and KSHSAA Assistant Executive Director responsible for Music, Speech, Debate, and Spirit activities. The Executive Board approved, with reluctance, releasing Mr. Manteuffel from his employment contract at the designated time.

NEXT MEETING

The next regularly scheduled meeting will be held as follows:

Wednesday, January 10, 2024 - 10 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Thursday, January 11, 2024 - 8:30 a.m. – 3 p.m.

ADMINISTRATIVE RULE ITEMS

NOTE: In the following listing, middle/junior high schools are indicated in all capital letters.

QUALIFICATIONS OF COACHES/DIRECTORS RULE 10

The following were approved under Rule 10-1-2 (Supervised)

- (1) Derek Thrash, Andover Central HS
Wrestling
- (2) Hanna Mowdy, Belle Plaine HS
Volleyball
- (3) Zane Colson, Beloit HS
Wrestling
- (4) Greg Rowh, Beloit HS
Basketball
- (5) Alexis Stephens, BENTON-CIRCLE MS
Basketball
- (6) Blair Bryce, Caney Valley HS
Basketball
- (7) Brea Buoy, Caney Valley HS
Cheer
- (8) Jessica Reed, Caney Valley HS
Volleyball
- (9) Robert Eden, CANEY VALLEY JH
Basketball
- (10) Reed Stephens, Colby HS
Basketball
- (11) Derrick Carpenter, DE SOTO-LEXINGTON TRAILS MS
Basketball
- (12) Tiffany Seeliger, Dexter HS
Basketball
- (13) Jollette Almaraz Martinez, Dodge City HS
Wrestling
- (14) Angelica Plata, Dodge City HS
Debate
- (15) Lane Chew , Effingham-Atchison Co Community HS
Wrestling
- (16) Cory Eckert , Effingham-Atchison Co Community HS
Basketball
- (17) Gunner Koontz, Effingham-Atchison Co Community HS
Football
- (18) Alyssa Richardson , Effingham-Atchison Co Community HS
Softball
- (19) Tate Smith , Effingham-Atchison Co Community HS
Basketball
- (20) Gunner Koontz, EFFINGHAM-ATCHISON CO COMMUNITY MS
Wrestling
- (21) Layne Mottin , EFFINGHAM-ATCHISON CO COMMUNITY MS
Basketball, Football
- (22) Racheal Newquest, EFFINGHAM-ATCHISON CO COMMUNITY MS
Basketball
- (23) Hunter Ostertag , EFFINGHAM-ATCHISON CO COMMUNITY MS
Wrestling
- (24) Dalton Hensley, Ellis HS
Wrestling
- (25) Lynita Delcastillo, FORT RILEY MS
Basketball
- (26) Savannah McMahon, FORT RILEY MS
Basketball
- (27) Kyle Crumbaker, FRANKFORT JH
Basketball
- (28) Jonathan Coker, GARDNER-TRAIL RIDGE MS
Basketball
- (29) James Harralson, GARDNER-TRAIL RIDGE MS
Wrestling
- (30) Mandy Charles, Great Bend HS
Swimming
- (31) Kel Grafel, Great Bend HS
Wrestling
- (32) Kaden Kraus, HALSTEAD MS
Wrestling
- (33) Derek Sheler, HAYSVILLE MS
Wrestling
- (34) Anissa Pfeifer, HILL CITY JH
Cheer
- (35) Joseph Gilliland, Holton HS
Wrestling
- (36) Blake Mulroy, Holton HS
Basketball
- (37) Mark Starr, Holton HS
Wrestling
- (38) Megan Montgomery, HOLTON MS
Wrestling
- (39) Riley Althaus, Holton-Jackson Heights HS
Basketball
- (40) Jaelynn Kelley, Hugoton HS
Basketball
- (41) Darren Nelson, HUTCHINSON-TRINITY CATHOLIC JH
Basketball
- (42) Bryan McClellan, INMAN JH
Basketball
- (43) Grant Cantrell, Kiowa-South Barber HS
Football
- (44) Mario Saucedo, Kismet-Southwestern Heights HS
Basketball
- (45) Braiden McKee, Lansing HS
Wrestling
- (46) Haley Brooks, Larned HS
Basketball, Track & Field, Volleyball
- (47) John Pritchett, LARNED MS
Basketball
- (48) Jason Harred, Leroy-Southern Coffey County HS
Scholars Bowl, Track & Field
- (49) Evette Camarillo, LIBERAL-EISENHOWER MS
Basketball
- (50) Zeth Mansell, LIBERAL-EISENHOWER MS
Wrestling
- (51) Andrew Hurlburt, Madison HS
Basketball
- (52) Alleynah Ronnau, Manhattan HS
Wrestling
- (53) Jayce Nider, MANHATTAN-DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER MS
Wrestling
- (54) Jared Emmitt, MANHATTAN-SUSAN B. ANTHONY MS
Tennis
- (55) Brianna Hable, McPherson HS
Basketball
- (56) Taylor Werts, McPherson HS
Baseball
- (57) Shannon Wilson, McPherson HS
Wrestling
- (58) Preston Woodruff, Meade HS
Basketball
- (59) Caley Love, Montezuma-South Gray HS
Volleyball
- (60) Jennifer Cervantes, Mulvane HS
Bowling
- (61) Byrd Milic, Mulvane HS
Basketball
- (62) Lane Stephens, Mulvane HS
Wrestling
- (63) Blaine Cole, Neodesha HS
Basketball
- (64) Jacob Bradley, Olathe East HS
Wrestling
- (65) Randall Campbell, Olathe East HS
Basketball
- (66) Gary Anderson, Olathe-Heritage Christian Academy
Basketball
- (67) Ben Fischer, Olathe-Heritage Christian Academy
Basketball
- (68) Brandon Shay, PAOLA MS
Wrestling
- (69) Jennifer Bush, Peabody-Burns HS
Scholars Bowl
- (70) Adriana Newman, Peabody-Burns HS
Volleyball

- (71) Duke Eldridge, PEABODY-BURNS JH
Basketball
- (72) Paul Golden, POMONA-WEST FRANKLIN MS
Basketball
- (73) Alyssa McCain, POMONA-WEST FRANKLIN MS
Basketball, Volleyball
- (74) Nikolas McAnarney, Rolla HS
Basketball, Football
- (75) Deserae Schwindt, Rolla HS
Volleyball
- (76) Isidra Villegas, Rolla HS
Cheer
- (77) Jamie Williams, Rolla HS
Cheer
- (78) Isidra Villegas, ROLLA JH
Cheer
- (79) Jamie Williams, ROLLA JH
Cheer
- (80) Bonita Powell, ROZEL-PAWNEE HEIGHTS JH
Basketball
- (81) Jay Hepler, Shawnee Mission East HS
Golf
- (82) Rick Rogers, Shawnee Mission East HS
Basketball
- (83) Adrian Doolin, SHAWNEE MISSION-WESTRIDGE MS
Wrestling
- (84) Mallory Meade, Spring Hill HS
Wrestling
- (85) Edgar Gonzalez, Syracuse HS
Football
- (86) Frank Garcia, SYRACUSE JH
Football
- (87) Elaina Heavner, Topeka HS
Wrestling
- (88) Grady Jones, Topeka HS
Basketball
- (89) Jason Jones, Topeka HS
Dance/Drill Team
- (90) Dwayne Anthony, Topeka West HS
Basketball
- (91) Lauren Gomez, Topeka West HS
Dance/Drill Team
- (92) Sabrina Kuhn, Topeka West HS
Basketball
- (93) Brad Minkens, Topeka West HS
Golf
- (94) Brent Reese, Topeka West HS
Basketball
- (95) Heather Fay, Topeka-Cair Paravel Latin School
Tennis
- (96) LaShad Buffett, Topeka-Highland Park HS
Football, Softball
- (97) Jason Garland, Topeka-Highland Park HS
Football
- (98) Immani Jones, Topeka-Highland Park HS
Volleyball
- (99) Angel Martinez, Topeka-Highland Park HS
Soccer
- (100) Steven Massey, Topeka-Highland Park HS
Dance/Drill Team
- (101) Bill Nicholson, Topeka-Highland Park HS
Softball
- (102) Kawanda Richardson, Topeka-Highland Park HS
Track & Field
- (103) Carol Smith, Topeka-Highland Park HS
Basketball
- (104) Carmelita Soto Roberts, Topeka-Highland Park HS
Cheer
- (105) Silva Soto Roberts, Topeka-Highland Park HS
Cheer
- (106) Alisha Stubblefield, Topeka-Highland Park HS
Bowling
- (107) Clarence Tyson, Topeka-Highland Park HS
Basketball
- (108) Nate Wallace, Topeka-Highland Park HS
Basketball
- (109) Edward Saddler, TOPEKA-JARDINE MS
Soccer
- (110) Jesamine Jones, TOPEKA-MARJORIE FRENCH MS
Track & Field
- (111) Julie Gomez, Topeka-Washburn Rural HS
Unified Bowling
- (112) Amber Walthers, Towanda-Circle HS
Cheer
- (113) Wyatt Wright, Towanda-Circle HS
Wrestling
- (114) Kate Bailey, WAKEENEY-TREGO GRADE SCHOOL
Track & Field
- (115) Gabe Good, Wellsville HS
Wrestling
- (116) Dalton Sikes, Wellsville HS
Wrestling
- (117) Halle Rico, Wichita-Haysville Campus HS
Softball
- (118) Emmalene Wenci, Wichita-Haysville Campus HS
Wrestling
- (119) Cody McIntyre, Wichita-Heights HS
Tennis
- (120) Sarena Nichols, Winona-Triplains HS
KAY, Scholars Bowl, Speech

The following were approved under Rule 10-1-2 (Unsupervised)

- (1) Jake Callaway, Argonia HS
Basketball, Football
- (2) Reise Holt, Belle Plaine HS
Cheer
- (3) Brian Barlow, Caney Valley HS
Baseball
- (4) Mandi Griffin, Claflin-Central Plains HS
Track & Field
- (5) Devan Selby, Colby HS
Basketball
- (6) Ashlee Henwood, DERBY NORTH MS
Cheer
- (7) Nolan Smith, Ellis HS
Basketball
- (8) Marc Compton, Ellsworth HS
Basketball
- (9) Kyla Clark, FRANKFORT JH
Volleyball
- (10) Noel Montgomery, HOLTON MS
Wrestling
- (11) Brooke Allen, HOPE JH
Basketball
- (12) Nathan Shelton, HUTCHINSON-RENO VALLEY MS
Basketball
- (13) Andrea York, Independence HS
Tennis
- (14) Darrin Eddy, Inman HS
Basketball
- (15) Reesa Nuss, JETMORE-HODGEMAN COUNTY MS
Basketball
- (16) Michael Bexley, JUNCTION CITY MS
Wrestling
- (17) Mason Dusseault, JUNCTION CITY MS
Wrestling
- (18) Jourdan Trevino, JUNCTION CITY MS
Wrestling
- (19) Charles Vogan, JUNCTION CITY MS
Basketball
- (20) Randy Freivogel, Lansing HS
Basketball
- (21) Janessa Jaime, Lyons HS
Basketball
- (22) Andy Cassel, Manhattan HS
Basketball
- (23) MacKenzie Magee, Marion HS
Swimming
- (24) Theodore Patz, McLouth HS
Wrestling
- (25) Kyle Zarda, McLouth HS
Wrestling
- (26) Ben Roberts, Meade HS
Basketball
- (27) Mark Pierce, Newton HS
Soccer

- (28) Jack Gabrielson, Olathe East HS
Swimming
- (29) Joe Smith, Olathe East HS
Basketball
- (30) Kelley Johnson, Paola HS
Debate
- (31) Branden Powell, Paola HS
Wrestling
- (32) Ana Villegas, ROLLA JH
Basketball, Track & Field
- (33) Bonita Powell, ROZEL-PAWNEE HEIGHTS JH
Basketball
- (34) Walker Lowdermilk, SABETHA MS
Wrestling
- (35) Sara Gardner, Spring Hill HS
Dance/Drill Team
- (36) Tyrone Platt, Topeka-Highland Park HS
Basketball
- (37) Dennis Kelly, TOPEKA-MARJORIE FRENCH MS
Basketball
- (38) Ryan Garrison, Topeka-Washburn Rural HS
Wrestling
- (39) Eugene Ray, Towanda-Circle HS
Wrestling
- (40) Dagny Waldmeier, Towanda-Circle HS
Cheer
- (41) Alex Haxton, WAKEENEY-TREGO GRADE SCHOOL
Basketball

SEMESTER REQUIREMENTS RULE 16 (Hardship)

The following were ruled (Eligible) for the activities listed under Rule 16-1-4

- (1) Blayzn Alexy-Dowdle, AUGUSTA MS
- (2) Terry Edwards, Kansas City-Washington HS
- (3) Isaac Ramsey, Shawnee Mission East HS

AGE REQUIREMENTS RULE 17 (Hardship)

The following were ruled (Eligible) for the activities listed under Rule 17-1-1

- (1) Sydney Smith, Baldwin HS
Unified Bowling
- (2) Eli Adamson, Baldwin HS
Unified Bowling
- (3) Katherine Cook, Basehor-Linwood HS
Unified Bowling
- (4) Kaitlynn Howard, Basehor-Linwood HS
Unified Bowling
- (5) Adrianna McGee, Bonner Springs HS
Unified Bowling
- (6) Raiden Graham, Bonner Springs HS
Unified Bowling
- (7) Aeriana Ortiz, Bonner Springs HS
Unified Bowling
- (8) Addisan Naff, Eudora HS
Unified Bowling
- (9) Skiler Rattanakoun, Garden City HS
Unified Bowling
- (10) Christopher Ames, Hutchinson HS
Unified Bowling
- (11) Alexandra Smith, Junction City HS
Unified Bowling
- (12) Faith Garcia, Kansas City-Piper HS
Unified Bowling
- (13) Jonathan Braithwaite, Kansas City-Piper HS
Unified Bowling
- (14) Ryan Theno, Kansas City-Piper HS
Unified Bowling
- (15) Brady Keller, Kansas City-Piper HS
Unified Bowling
- (16) Hudson Boyd, Lawrence-Free State HS
Unified Bowling

- (17) Elijah Henderson, Overland Park-Blue Valley Northwest HS
Unified Bowling
- (18) Paden Landis, Topeka-Washburn Rural HS
Unified Bowling
- (19) Aiden Grammer, Topeka-Washburn Rural HS
Unified Bowling

TRANSFER RULE 18 (Transfer from Non-Member School)

The following were ruled (Eligible) for the activities listed under Rule 18-1-4

- (1) Zoey Tucker, Cherryvale HS
Formerly attended Home School
- (2) Kinsey Simons, Fort Scott HS
Formerly attended Fort Scott Christian Heights HS
- (3) Joshua Woellhof, Fort Scott HS
Formerly attended Fort Scott Christian Heights
- (4) Cody Coen, Hugoton HS
Formerly attended Home School
- (5) Nick Wilkinson, Shawnee-Maranatha Christian Academy
Formerly attended Overland Park-Brighton Academy
- (6) Sydney Westerdale, Topeka West HS
Formerly attended Home School
- (7) Chanse Lomdale, TOPEKA-LANDON MS
Formerly attended HOME SCHOOL

TRANSFER RULE 18 (Possible Limited Eligibility)

The following were ruled (Eligible) for the activities listed under Rule 18-1-6

- (1) Avonte' Housh-Battle, Atchison HS
Formerly attended Topeka-Washburn Rural HS
Varsity: Football 11-Player, Baseball, Vocal Music
- (2) Amelia Reuber, Atwood-Rawlins County HS
Formerly attended Tribune-Greeley County HS
Non-Varsity: Volleyball
Varsity: Girls Basketball, Girls Wrestling, Girls Track & Field
- (3) Slater Knutson, Bonner Springs HS
Formerly attended Basehor-Linwood HS
Non-Varsity: Football 11-Player, Baseball
- (4) Aiden Heckathorn, Derby HS
Formerly attended Mulvane HS
Non-Varsity: Football 11-Player, Baseball
- (5) Paul Medrano, Goodland HS
Formerly attended CA - Paradise HS
Varsity: Football 11-Player, Boys Wrestling, Baseball
- (6) Jace Martin, Haven HS
Formerly attended Burrton HS
Non-Varsity: Football 8-Player, Boys Basketball
- (7) Maddox Martin, HAVEN MS
Formerly attended BURRTON MS
Non-Varsity: Football 8-Player, Boys Basketball
- (8) Noah Roemer, Healy HS
Formerly attended Dighton HS
Non-Varsity: Football 6-Player, Boys Basketball, Boys Track & Field
- (9) Clara Boutwell, HEALY JH
Formerly attended SCOTT CITY MS
Varsity: Cheerleader, Scholars Bowl
- (10) Luke Kerns, Hutchinson-Trinity Catholic HS
Formerly attended Buhler HS
Varsity: Football 11-Player, Boys Golf, Boys Track & Field, Baseball
- (11) Levi Kapler, Inman HS
Formerly attended Hutchinson HS
Non-Varsity: Football 11-Player, Boys Basketball
Varsity: Boys Track & Field, Baseball
- (12) Mahala Burris, Iola HS
Formerly attended Moran-Marmaton Valley HS
Non-Varsity: Volleyball
Varsity: Girls Basketball, Girls Track & Field, Softball

- (13) Naythan Hall, Junction City-St. Xavier HS
Formerly attended Chapman HS
Varsity: Boys Basketball
- (14) David Hernandez, Kansas City-Bishop Ward HS
Formerly attended Kansas City-Turner HS
Varsity: Boys Soccer, Baseball
- (15) Alexia Sanchez, Lakin HS
Formerly attended Dodge City HS
Varsity: Girls Wrestling, Softball
- (16) Jacob Micka, LAWRENCE-BILLY MILLS MS
Formerly attended LAWRENCE-LIBERTY MEMORIAL CENTRAL MS
Varsity: Boys Cross Country, Boys Basketball, Boys Tennis
- (17) Max Brown, LAWRENCE-BILLY MILLS MS
Formerly attended LAWRENCE-ST. JOHN'S CATHOLIC SCHOOL
Varsity: Boys Wrestling, Boys Track & Field
- (18) Gavin McIntosh, LAWRENCE-WEST MS
Formerly attended LAWRENCE-ST. JOHN'S CATHOLIC SCHOOL
Varsity: All Activities
- (19) Shawn Ayers, LEAVENWORTH-WARREN MS
Formerly attended MO - CLEVELAND-MIDWAY MS
Non-Varsity: Football 11-Player
- (20) Ayden Britton, LOST SPRINGS-CENTRE JH
Formerly attended MARION MS
Non-Varsity: Football 11-Player, Boys Basketball
Varsity: Boys Track & Field
- (21) Summer Bates, Lyons HS
Formerly attended Chase HS
Non-Varsity: Scholars Bowl
- (22) Kailyn Dickson, Lyons HS
Formerly attended Sterling HS
Non-Varsity: Scholars Bowl
- (23) Juilus James, Miltonvale HS
Formerly attended Brookville-El Saline HS
Varsity: Football 11-Player, Boys Basketball, Boys Track & Field
- (24) Annaliese Black, Olathe Northwest HS
Formerly attended MO - Springfield-Glendale HS
Varsity: Girls Soccer
- (25) Dylan Wiman, Olathe West HS
Formerly attended Olathe South HS
Non-Varsity: Football 11-Player
- (26) Luna Oetken, Otis-Bison HS
Formerly attended Larned HS
Non-Varsity: All Activities
- (27) Sienna Martinez, Overland Park-Blue Valley Southwest HS
Formerly attended Overland Park-Blue Valley West HS
Non-Varsity: Girls Wrestling, Girls Soccer
- (28) Tori Murphy, Overland Park-St. Thomas Aquinas HS
Formerly attended Shawnee Mission East HS
Non-Varsity: Dance Team
Varsity: Cheerleader
- (29) Brynleigh Morrow, Richmond-Central Heights HS
Formerly attended Garnett-Anderson County HS
Non-Varsity: Volleyball, Girls Track & Field
- (30) Teagan Grissom, SHAWNEE MISSION-INDIAN WOODS MS
Formerly attended SHAWNEE MISSION-WESTRIDGE MS
Non-Varsity: Volleyball
Varsity: Girls Basketball, Girls Soccer
- (31) Eliza Brockhoff, Tonganoxie HS
Formerly attended Lawrence-Bishop Seabury Academy
Non-Varsity: Speech & Drama, Girls Soccer
- (32) Caleb Menke, Topeka-Hayden HS
Formerly attended Topeka-Washburn Rural HS
Non-Varsity: Football 11-Player, Debate
Varsity: Boys Wrestling, Baseball
- (33) Cashe Dawson, Topeka-Highland Park HS
Formerly attended Topeka West HS
Non-Varsity: Boys Soccer
- (34) Mallory McReynolds, Topeka-Highland Park HS
Formerly attended Topeka West HS
Varsity: Volleyball
- (35) Victoria Villines, Topeka-Seaman HS
Formerly attended Meriden - Jefferson West HS
Non-Varsity: Girls Golf, Girls Track & Field
Varsity: Cheerleader
- (36) Micheala Lacey, Waverly HS
Formerly attended Pomona-West Franklin HS
Non-Varsity: Volleyball, Girls Basketball
- (37) Bryar Self, Waverly HS
Formerly attended Garnett-Anderson County HS
Varsity: Girls Basketball, Girls Track & Field, Scholars Bowl
- (38) Macie McNally, Wellsville HS
Formerly attended Baldwin HS
Varsity: Girls Basketball
- (39) Juaquin Burke, Wichita-Northwest HS
Formerly attended Goddard HS
Varsity: All Activities
- (40) Aaliyah Butler, Wichita-Northwest HS
Formerly attended Wichita-South HS
Varsity: All Activities
- (41) Dustin Cochran, Wichita-Northwest HS
Formerly attended Valley Center HS
Non-Varsity: Football 11-Player, Boys Basketball

TRANSFER RULE 18 (Foreign Exchange Students)

The following were ruled (Eligible) for the activities listed under Rule 18-1-12

- (1) Giorgia D'Angelo, Baldwin HS
CETUSA
- (2) Amanda Marangoni, Basehor-Linwood HS
CETUSA
- (3) Emile Lechien, Beloit HS
AFS-USA
- (4) Christina Keller, Beloit HS
iE-USA
- (5) Barbara Martinez, Beloit HS
PAX
- (6) Nils Behnke, Dexter HS
ICES
- (7) Emilija Koemeca, Dexter HS
FLAG
- (8) Fransesco Savoia, Dexter HS
ICES
- (9) Anton Peintka, Frankfort HS
STS Foundation
- (10) Laurien Berger, Goessel HS
ERDT SHARE
- (11) Nicolas Arroyo, Hill City HS
AFS-USA
- (12) Celia Kabala, Hugoton HS
FLAG
- (13) Timon Hensel, Lansing HS
Pan Atlantic Foundation
- (14) Julius Rasmussen, Manhattan HS
AFS-USA
- (15) Alucro Arria Ciudad, Marion HS
ERDT
- (16) Paulina Class, Pittsburg HS
Greenheart Exchange
- (17) Clement Aucher, Pretty Prairie HS
Greenheart Exchange
- (18) Felissia Bodenbender-Ilgen, Shawnee Mission West HS
ASSE
- (19) Peer Gerling, Silver Lake HS
Academic Year/AIFS
- (20) Nahia Zamacola, Stafford HS
ISE
- (21) Fito Garcia Moreno, Stafford HS
International Student Exchange
- (22) Riccardo Morittu, Topeka-Washburn Rural HS
AFS-USA
- (23) Gabriele Cappelio, Valley Center HS
ISE
- (24) Daniel Molina Carrasco, Valley Center HS
ASSE
- (25) Nadia Jarecka, Valley Center HS
FLAG
- (26) Nicolas Russo, Valley Center HS
ISE
- (27) Lisa Sabbia Moretti, WaKeeney-Trego Community HS
ISE
- (28) Africa Cubillo Fernandez, WaKeeney-Trego Community HS
ICES

- (29) Yuri Rossi, White City HS
ISE
- (30) Wino Maccagnan-Osty, White City HS
ISE
- (31) Lotta Schmid, Wichita-Haysville Campus HS
Children Around the World
- (32) Georgia Monastra, Wichita-Haysville Campus HS
Education Travel & Culture
- (33) Riko Sugita, Wichita-Southeast HS
FLAG
- (34) Eunice Leucci, Wichita-Southeast HS
Greenheart Exchange

The following were ruled (Not Eligible) for the activities listed under Rule 18-1-12

- (1) Gwen Verbist, Hugoton HS
FLAG

TRANSFER RULE 18 (Hardship)

The following were ruled (Eligible) for the activities listed under Rule 18-1-13

- (1) Briggs Knight, Altamont-Labette County HS
Formerly attended Cherryvale HS
- (2) Georgia Clark, Argonia HS
Formerly attended Wichita-Trinity Academy
- (3) Norah Parker, Blue Rapids-Valley Heights HS
Formerly attended MT - Dutton Brady HS
- (4) Josie Parker, Blue Rapids-Valley Heights HS
Formerly attended MT - Dutton Brady HS
- (5) Eleanor Parker, BLUE RAPIDS-VALLEY HEIGHTS JH
Formerly attended MT - DUTTON BRADY JH
- (6) Austin Keen, Burden-Central HS
Formerly attended Clearwater HS
- (7) Layla Authur-Soliven, Cherokee-Southeast HS
Formerly attended Girard HS
- (8) Isabella Guess, De Soto HS
Formerly attended Shawnee-Mill Valley HS
- (9) Lucienna Guess, De Soto HS
Formerly attended Shawnee-Mill Valley HS
- (10) Noah Roemer, Dighton HS
Formerly attended Healy HS
- (11) Bailey Walker, Girard HS
Formerly attended Frontenac HS
- (12) Cameron Jackson, Great Bend HS
Formerly attended Wichita-Haysville-Campus HS
- (13) Ava Schwien, HAYS MS
Formerly attended VICTORIA MS
- (14) Marcus Barnett, Holton HS
Formerly attended MO - Lees Summit West HS
- (15) Miah Ellis, Howard-West Elk HS
Formerly attended MO - Lamar HS
- (16) Peyton Lamb, Hutchinson HS
Formerly attended Buhler HS
- (17) Charity Treece, Hutchinson-Central Christian HS
Formerly attended Hutchinson HS
- (18) Gavin Trusskey, Kansas City-Piper HS
Formerly attended Lenexa-St. James Academy
- (19) Juan Vicente Davis, Lakin HS
Formerly attended Holcomb HS
- (20) Faridis Davis, Lakin HS
Formerly attended Holcomb HS
- (21) Alexander Davis, Lakin HS
Formerly attended Holcomb HS
- (22) Alexandre Van Vleck, Lawrence HS
Formerly attended Roeland Park-Horizon Academy
- (23) Samuel Loomis, Marion HS
Formerly attended Maize South HS
- (24) Victoire Kinyema, McPherson HS
Formerly attended Africa
- (25) Jaxon Avila, MULVANE MS
Formerly attended DERBY NORTH MS
- (26) Stanislav Kuchmuk, Olathe South HS
Formerly attended Olathe East HS
- (27) Mary Bruns, Otis-Bison HS
Formerly attended Goodland HS

- (28) Ashlynn Gould, OTTAWA MS
Formerly attended DERBY MS
- (29) Parker Seithel, Overland Park-Blue Valley HS
Formerly attended MO - Kansas City-Rockhurst HS
- (30) Brody Jaklevich, Overland Park-St. Thomas Aquinas HS
Formerly attended Spring Hill HS
- (31) Nathan Brown, Pittsburg-St. Mary's Colgan HS
Formerly attended Pittsburg HS
- (32) Kyra Janes, Prairie Village-Kansas City Christian HS
Formerly attended Overland Park-Bishop Miege HS
- (33) John Maxwell Emanuels, Prairie Village-Kansas City Christian HS
Formerly attended Shawnee-Maranatha Academy
- (34) Mason Jones, Rossville HS
Formerly attended Topeka West HS
- (35) Leonardo Balio Dhamani Ngiraidong, Salina-Sacred Heart HS
Formerly attended Chapman HS
- (36) Kohner Stout, SEDAN JH
Formerly attended CEDAR VALE MS
- (37) Tristan Keith, Sylvan-Lucas Unified HS
Formerly attended Ellinwood HS
- (38) Nolan Homer, Wathena-Riverside HS
Formerly attended Troy HS
- (39) Meg Tilma, Wichita-Classical School
Formerly attended Wichita-Kapaun Mt Carmel HS
- (40) Caleb Maholmes, Wichita-West HS
Formerly attended Wichita-South HS

The following were ruled (Not Eligible) for the activities listed under Rule 18-1-13

- (1) Logan Clark, De Soto HS
Formerly attended Shawnee-Mill Valley HS
- (2) Aiden Heckathorn, Derby HS
Formerly attended Mulvane HS
- (3) Macy Schobert, LITTLE RIVER JH
Formerly attended LYONS JH
- (4) Summer Bates, Lyons HS
Formerly attended Chase HS
- (5) Brynleigh Morrow, Richmond-Central Heights HS
Formerly attended Garnett-Anderson County HS
- (6) Dylan Saffle, Waverly HS
Formerly attended Melvern-Marais des Cygnes Valley HS
- (7) Amelia Bootsma, Wichita-The Independent HS
Formerly attended Wichita North HS

COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT RULE 29

The following were approved under Rule 29-2-1, 29-3-1, 29-3-2 (schools may be combined for interschool activities . . . for the activities listed, with the identification of the combined team in parenthesis):

Rule 29-2-1

- Atchison-Maur Hill-Mount Academy/Effingham-Atchison Co
Community HS
Girls Swimming
{Atchison-Maur Hill-Mount Academy}, 2023-2024 & 2024-2025
- Columbus HS/Baxter Springs HS/Cherokee-Southeast HS
Boys Wrestling; Girls Wrestling
2023-2024 & 2024-2025
- Hesston HS/Moundridge HS
Boys Wrestling; Girls Wrestling
{Hesston}, 2023-2024 & 2024-2025
- Highland-Doniphan West HS/Hiawatha HS
Boys Wrestling; Girls Wrestling
2023-2024 & 2024-2025
- Howard-West Elk HS/Longton-Elk Valley HS
Girls Basketball; Girls Cross Country; Girls Volleyball
{West Elk Lady Patriots}, 2023-2024 & 2024-2025
- Kansas City-Piper HS/Tonganoxie HS
Boys Swimming; Girls Swimming
2023-2024 & 2024-2025

Ness City HS/Jetmore-Hodgeman County HS
Girls Softball
{Ness City-Hodgeman County}, 2023-2024 & 2024-2025

Newton HS/Hesston HS
Boys Swimming; Girls Swimming
2023-2024 & 2024-2025

Russell HS/Sylvan-Lucas Unified HS
Boys Baseball; Boys Wrestling; Girls Softball; Girls Wrestling
{Russell/Sylvan-Lucas}, 2023-2024 & 2024-2025

Salina-Sacred Heart HS/Lindsborg-Smoky Valley HS
Boys Bowling; Girls Bowling
2023-2024 & 2024-2025

Salina-South HS/Salina-Central HS
Unified Bowling
{Salina USD 305}, 2023-2024 & 2024-2025

St. Francis HS/Bird City-Cheylin HS
Boys Wrestling
2023-2024 & 2024-2025

St. Marys HS/Rossville HS
Unified Bowling
2023-2024 & 2024-2025

Wichita-Haysville Campus HS/Clearwater HS
Boys Bowling; Boys Swimming; Girls Bowling; Girls Golf
{Campus/Clearwater}, 2023-2024 & 2024-2025

Rule 29-3-1

Paxico-Wabaunsee JH/Alma-St. John's Lutheran Elementary School
Boys Basketball; Boys Cross Country; Boys Wrestling; Football
11-Player; Girls Cross Country; Girls Volleyball
{Wabaunsee Junior High}, 2023-2024 & 2024-2025

APPROVED EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES

ATHLETIC

Date	Event	Sponsor	Sport
11/27-12/1/23	Eagle Basketball Invitational	Summit Christian Academy, Lee's Summit MO	BB
11/28/23	Sumner Academy Girls Wrestling Mixer	Sumner Academy, Kansas City KS	GWR
11/30-12/2/23	Carthage Lady Tigers Basketball Invitational	Carthage HS, MO	BB
11/30-12/2/23	Dan Gable Donnybrook	Linn Mar HS, Marion IA	WR
11/30-12/2/23	Battle of the Border	Branson HS, MO	BB
11/30-12/3/23	She Got Game Classic	Faith Family Academy, Dallas TX	GBB
12/2/23	Campus Wrestling Invitational	Campus HS, Wichita KS	WR
12/4-12/8/23	Liberty North Classic Invitational Basketball Tourn	Liberty North HS, MO	BB
12/4-12/9/23	De Soto Hardwood Classic	De Soto HS, KS	BB
12/4-12/9/23	Copan Shootout	Copan HS, OK	BB
12/7-12/9/23	Carthage Basketball Invitational	Carthage HS, MO	BB
12/7-12/9/23	Alva/NWOSU Shoot-Out	Alva HS, OK	BB
12/7-12/10/23	Freeman Lady Eagle Basketball Classic	Joplin HS, MO	BB
12/8-12/9/23	Perry Tournament of Champions	Perry HS, OK	BWR
12/8-12/9/23	Eagle Wrestling Invitational	Colby HS, KS	BWR
12/15-12/16/23	Flatwater Fracas	Grand Island HS, NE	WR
12/15-12/16/23	Battle on the Katy Trail Holiday Wrestling Tourn	Lathrop HS, MO	WR
12/15-12/16/23	Raytown South Holiday Wrestling Tournament	Raytown South HS, MO	WR
1/12/24	Port City Wrestling Tournament	Catoosa HS, OK	WR
1/13-1/15/24	Sam Martin Wrestling Invitational	Plattsburg HS, MO	WR
1/16-1/20/24	HCA Midseason Round Robin Basketball	Heritage Christian Academy, Olathe KS	BB
1/18-1/20/24	Wintz & Bowen Orange & Black Classic	Colby HS	BB
1/18-1/20/24	Caney Valley Basketball Tournament	Caney Valley HS, Ramona OK	BB
1/27/24	WaRu Girls Wrestling Invitational	Washburn Rural HS, Topeka KS	GWR
3/30/24	SMS Relays	Shawnee Mission South HS, Overland Park KS	T&F
4/22-4/27/24	Kansas City Cup Girls Soccer Tournament	Van Horn HS, Independence MO	GSCR

NON-ATHLETIC

Date	Event	Sponsor	Sport
11/9/23	Battle of the Squads Cheer Show	Wichita-Heights HS, KS	Cheer
11/15/23	SEKMEA District Jazz Clinic & Concert	Pittsburg State University, KS	Music
11/17/23	Baker University Jazz Festival	Baker University, Baldwin KS	Music
11/18-11/20/23	Glenbrooks Debate Invitational	Glenbrook South HS, Glenview IL	Debate
11/28/23	DKC Middle School Tournament	University of Missouri Kansas City, MO	Debate
12/2/23	ECKMEA Orchestra Mini Convention	Olathe West HS, KS	Music
12/2/23	ECKMEA Choir Mini Convention	Shawnee Mission North & Northwest HS, KS	Music
12/2/23	ECKMEA Band Mini Convention	Blue Valley HS, Overland Park KS	Music
12/2/23	SEKMEA District Clinics & Concerts	Pittsburg State University, KS	Music
12/2/23	SWKMEA HS Mini Convention	Dodge City HS, KS	Music
12/2/23	SCKMEA Mini-Convention	Maize HS, KS	Music
12/2/23	NEKMEA Choir Mini-Convention	Topeka HS, KS	Music
12/2/23	NEKMEA Orchestra Mini-Convention	Washburn Rural HS, Topeka KS	Music
12/2/23	NEKMEA Band Mini-Convention	Seaman HS, Topeka KS	Music
12/9/23	Best of the Midwest Holiday Showcase	Spring Hill HS, KS	Spirit
12/9/23	KC Classic Dance Competition	Liberty HS, MO	Dance
12/9/23	NWKMEA Mini Convention II	Fort Hays State University, Hays KS	Music
1/12-1/13/23	Miss Kansas Dance Competition	Olathe South HS, KS	Dance
1/19-1/20/24	Kansas Sousa Middle Level Honor Band	University of Kansas Lied Center, Lawrence KS	Music
1/19-1/20/24	LSN Northern Stars Dance Invitational	Lee's Summit North HS, MO	Dance
1/19-1/21/24	KSU Concert Band Clinic	Kansas State University, Manhattan KS	Music
1/20/24	Fort Zumwalt North Dance Invitational	Fort Zumwalt North HS, O'Fallon MO	Music
1/20/24	SWKMEA MS & Elementary Choir Festival	Dodge City MS, KS	Music
2/2-2/4/24	Innovative Dance Classic KC	Olathe Northwest HS, KS	Dance
2/8/24	MWSU Jazz Festival	Missouri Western State University, St. Joseph MO	Music
2/17/24	Innovative Dance Classic Wichita	Newton HS, KS	Dance
2/17/24	Alexandra M. Bergan Cheer & Dance Festival	Baldwin HS, KS	Spirit
2/21/24	Rally in the Valley	Valley Center HS, KS	Spirit
3/2/24	PSU Jazz Festival	Pittsburg State University, KS	Music
3/5/24	KBA Jazz Championship	Wichita State University, KS	Music
4/23/24	All-Star Percussion Ensemble	Kansas State University, Manhattan KS	Music