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AIAetc. Newsletter

December 6, 2013

Fall Sport Runner-Ups & Champions

We would like to congratulate all of our member schools for working hard throughout the season.

A special congratulations to the State Champions and Runner-Ups of the fall season and good luck to our members schools in the upcoming winter season.

2013 Runner-Ups:

Badminton

Mountain Pointe - D I

Boys Cross Country

Desert Vista - D I

Greenway - D II

Rio Rico - D III

Important Dates

2013 Executive Board Meetings

December 9, 2013

2013-14 AIA Observed Holidays

Christmas - Dec. 25
New Year - January 1

Pinon - D IV

Girls Cross Country

Xavier Prep - D I
Catalina Foothills - D II
Mingus Union - D III
Pusch Ridge Christian - D IV

Football

Hamilton - D I
Chaparral - D II
Queen Creek - D III
River Valley - D IV
Round Valley - D V
Mogollon - D VI

Boys Golf

Mountain View - Mesa - D I
Notre Dame Prep - D II

Girls Golf

Pinnacle - D I
Notre Dame - D II

Boys Swim & Dive

Chaparral - D I
Queen Creek - D II

Girls Swim & Dive

Xavier Prep - D I
Notre Dame Prep - D II

Volleyball

Hamilton - D I
Campo Verde - D II
Cactus - D III
Veritas Prep - D IV
St. Johns - D V

Boys Soccer

Blue Ridge - D IV

Girls Soccer

River Valley - D IV

2013 State Champions:

Badminton

Xavier Prep - D I

Boys Cross Country

**Upcoming
Important Dates:**

January 21, 2013 -
Spring Hardship
Appeal Deadline
January 27-28, 2013 -
Spring Hardships

**Hardship Appeal
Dates:**

Spring Sports:
January 27-28, 2013
(Deadline - Jan. 21st)

Sponsor Links



Corona del Sol - D I
Catalina Foothills - D II
Tuba City - D III
Hopi - D IV



Girls Cross Country

Desert Vista - D I
Flagstaff - D II
Rio Rico - D III
Hopi - D IV



Football

Mountain Pointe - D I
Salpointe Catholic - D II
Saguaro - D III
Blue Ridge - D IV
Yuma Catholic - D V
Bagdad - D VI



Boys Golf

Red Mountain - D I
Thunderbird - D II

Girls Golf

Xavier Prep - D I
Sahuaro - D II

Boys Swim & Dive

Brophy Prep - D I
Catalina Foothills - D II

Girls Swim & Dive

Desert Vista - D I
Catalina Foothills - D II

Volleyball

Xavier Prep - D I
Sunnyslope - D II
Flagstaff - D III
Northwest Christian - D IV
St. David - D V

Boys Soccer

Chino Valley - D IV

Girls Soccer

Blue Ridge - D IV

"It has little to do with the number on your shirt,

or the roar of the crowd. But everything to do with the dream in your heart and the desire to give everything you have to the game."

AIA Fall Sport Tournament Recognitions

The AIA Staff would like to thank all those who contributed to making this fall season tournaments outstanding.

Your work is greatly appreciated!

Football

Don Cerimeli

Tyler Cerimeli

John McDonnell

Matt Widmann

Bob Sietsema

Bobby Ferriera

Pat Peters

Steve Huddleson

Mike Gillespie

Bob Kosower

Mike Warren

Anthony Marchese

Rick McCutcheon

Sunny Resch

Kevin Standerfer

Nathan Richardson

Jeremy Reusing

Cory Nenaber

Cory Newland

Mark Cisterna

Rod Huston

Dan Haasch

Renne Rigoli

Lisa Dombly

Shelly Arredondo

Monika Montiel Turner

Armando Soto
Shewania Holmes
Yvonne Winsbury
Duane Ediger
Kevin Derryberry
Matt Reese
Briand Duguid
Dr. Joe Hernandez
Ron Kordonowy
Ryan Wolff
Chantal King
Kevin Mooney
Cliff McKenzie
Dave Hayward
Mark Sherlock
David Mesman
George Goodridge
Ashley Dickey
Kayla Botts
Emily Clark
Melissa Kern
Kim Hansen
Janet Oitzman

Badminton

Karen Jacobson
Bob Estrada
Chris Chilton
Phil Chilton
Lynn Jakubik
Kelly Cully
Brain Galbreath
Guy Chadwick
Sheri Anderson
Sarah Schlesinger
James Imhoff

Golf

Larry Boyles
Morton Ortega
Sally Christensen
Cindy Kirk
Mike Cornish

Nick Trakas
Shawn Rustad
Bob Estrada

Cross Country Sectionals

Dave Shapiro
Laura Sample
Dan Reynolds
Dennis Hanson
Sisto Rosales
Paul Sitter
Randy Collyer
Andrew Hagler
Kyle Sawyer
Jeff Guy
Rachel Shapiro
Ron Smith
Mark Cisterna
Dave Heyward
Joe Hajek
Monika Montiel Turner
Gary Smyth
Dave Kaemerer
Susan Westfall
David Barnes
Paul Demuth
Mike Elder
Tim Yazzie
Dan Nielson
Lelia Demuth
Jay Edelson
Mike Iauch
Tara Lowy
Branson Peilke
Ron Kordonowy
Ryan Wolff
Marlin Porter
Jim Hershberger
Faron Volkmer
Andrew Giddings
Crannie Hysong
Diane Martin
John Martin
Chandler Evens
Andrea Williams
Erin Stuart
Thomas Clarke
Lindsay Nelson

Cross Country State Championships

Dave Shapiro
Jeff Guy

Dennis Hansen
Crannie Hysong
Cisto Rosales
Dave Kamerer
Shawn Mc Cosh
Tony Murphy
Jim Wherman
Sally Christensen
Jerry Halfman
Philip Shapiro
Jim Hershberger
Joe Hajek
Chauncey Crenshaw
John Armstrong
Craig Millbranth
Jay Kopas
Tony Hamilton
Austin Kopas
Dallas Kopas
Ryan Ridenour
Lynette Smith
Becky Ridenour
Bob Estrada
Susan Perreault
Chandler Evans
Marc Mur
Karen Pratt
Melissa Hobson
Lucy Kennedy
Pat Devito
Randy Collyer
Marlin Porter
Clif McKenzie
Dan Reynolds
Jim Pouquett
Ron Smith
Andrew Giddings
Kathy Nehjar
Susan Westfall
Gary Smyth
Mark Saraficio
Sabestine Onyepunuka
Keri Schoeff
Faron Volkmer
Steve Johnson
Arbia Jones
John Martin
Diane Martin
Damon Rucker
Sally Picket
Ron Kordonwy
Ryan Wolff

Jeff Suman
James Imhoff
Jason Lathom
Scott Ramsey
Robert Olvera
Bernadette Vasques
Alicia Leon Guerrero
Joseph Monjie
Gloria Gibson
Michelle Ramsey

Soccer

Jim Burgess
Elaine Burgess
John Enroth
Bob Dianovsky

Swim & Dive

Erin Shields
Art Gramer
Bill Haney
Greg Schultz
Marcia Andrews
Rhet Andrews
Sheila Arredondo
David Brooks
Roger Brooks
Ron Corbin
Mark Conte
Michael Coutts
Barbara Crothers
Craig Cummins
Jeff Daniels
Carolyn Duffield
Pat Dunn
Ray Eynon
George First
Laura Forbes
Debbie Freeborn
Lia Fusara
Art Gramer
Sam Grombacher
Bill Haney
Starre Haney
Christina Johnson
Richard Joos
Sue Jurek
Julie Link
Ashley Low
William Low
Craig Luketich
Lupita Martinez

Ellen McCoy
Robert Messing
Dawn Milligan
Keddi Murrish
James Pooler
Rusty Pooler
Ben Posniak
Kristin Pruitt
John Rajadas
Chris Rinchack
Shawn Rustad
Greg Schultz
Jessica Schultz
Terry Shamley
Barry Shannahan
Erin Shields
Kevin Sondrup
Jane Stump
Robert Tran
Ken Vigil
Ken Walker
Calvin Wilson
Kay Woodbury

Volleyball

Beverlee Nielsen
Kathy Langston
Kim Cramer
Mike Scholtz
Barry Lum
Bill Fernow
Jason Grantham
Christine Kelly
Jim Barnett
Roger Burger
Chris Chilton
Phil Chilton
Jason Grantham
Christine Kelly
Ron Korodowy
Christina Olsen
Larry Olsen
Matt Reece
Vikki Smith
Glen Treadaway
Susan Waidelich
Chris Wells
George Werner

Spiritline

Derek Fahleson

Kris Guy (AIA Liason)
Karen Zahora
Janine Adams
Stephanie Gonzalez
Kim Witzak
Sam Shaffer-Cheatham
Alice Crupi
Matt Lees
Gregg Pelka
Julian DeSantos
Michael Jensen
Susi Griffin
Leslie Standerfer
Charles Little
Ryan Dorn
Polly Grahm
Lance Wilson
Joe Steele
Nina Aviles
Lisa Nonnenmacher
Sarah Judy
Nicole Kaufman
Kathy Langston
Beverlee Nielsen
Stevie Holgate
James Paramo
Helene Whitman
Jerry Williams
Amy McCubbins
Alesandra Viera
Jen Kalis
Carin Hart
Danielle Geary
Tiffany Kleman
Chanise Hart
Jessica Neill
Shelby Reiger

Judy Jiron
Krishna Jiron
Michelle Jiron
Debbie McComb
Rodney Pittman
Darien Cornett
Gary Cummins
Elliot Hawkins
Michael Parker
Iris George
Amanda St Vincent
Gabbie Alvarado
Pat Olson
Jennifer Stickler
Antonio Rivera
Maria Quevedo
Bruce Butts
Jeff Jankowski
Euguen 'Buddy' Dudko
James Nottingham
Casey Grant
Elisabeth Brenly
Ashley Green
Carla Mexia
Rudy Cardenas
Tricia Gritano
Russ Spencer
Taya Benton
Jaime Arismendez
Sierra Romagnoli
Jocelynn Duguid
Estrella Foothills HS Spiritline (Runners)

Trainers
Ron Kordonowy

AIA Holiday Break

The AIA Office will be closed for the Holiday Break starting Monday, December 23, 2013 until Thursday, January 2, 2014

We wish everyone a happy, safe and enjoyable holiday season!

AIA Racial Sensitivity Summit - UPDATE

The AIA will host a Racial Sensitivity Summit on January 13, 2014 at the Twin Arrows Navajo Casino Resort. This summit will take place in the format of a forum from 9:00 am - 12:00 pm to hear the concerns from individuals in the Northeast portion of the state and discuss possible solutions in regards to the issues of racial sensitivity.

If you are interested in attending the Racial Sensitivity Summit or have any questions, please contact Mr. Chuck Schmidt at cschmidt@aiaonline.org or Ms. Michele Staples at mstaples@aiaonline.org.

Positive Coaching Alliance

The AIA has partnered with Positive Coaching Alliance (PCA) to transform the culture of youth sports and give every youth & high school athlete a positive, character building sports experience. PCA annually selects 20 youth and high school sports coaches throughout the country who embrace PCA's model of a Double-Goal Coach®, whose first goal is winning and whose second more important goal is teaching life lessons through sports.

Nominations may come from a school's organizational leader, fellow coach, parent, athlete, friend or family member. I would highly encourage all of you to consider who from your school or district might be deserving of this award. The deadline to nominate is December 31st. For more details **and to nominate coaches, please visit the links below.**

We're thrilled to be associated with this great program.

Regards,

Harold Slemmer
Executive Director

Please click on the following link for the [PCA flyer](#).
[Nominate a coach today for PCA's National Double-Goal Coach® Award](#)

ASBA/ASA PowerPoint Presentation

The Arizona Interscholastic Association will be conducting a presentation about the Current and Future Challenges and Opportunities of the AIA at the Arizona School Board Association/Arizona School Administrators Conference in Phoenix.

Please Click on the following link to view the PowerPoint Presentation:

[ASBA / ASA Presentation - AIA Current, Future Challenges and Opportunities](#)

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](#)

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 Coaches Certification Course

** LAST CHANCE SPIRITLINE COACHES CERTIFICATION COURSE DATE **

The AIA will be hosting the FINAL date for the Spiritline Coaches Certification courses. The NFHS Spirit Rules and AACCA courses will be held at the AIA office located at 7007 N. 18th Street, Phoenix, AZ 85020 on Saturday, December 14, 2013. Any Spiritline coaches who are not in compliance after this course date would result in a school violation.

Please contact Ms. Kris Guy at spirit@aiaonline.org to register or if you have any questions.

Spiritline State Championship

The Spiritline State Championship date will be January 25, 2014.

[Spiritline](#)

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: Tournaments

TOURNAMENT SITE DIRECTORS:

Reminders

- As per AIA Policies & Procedures Manual - Site Director payments will be held until all Tournament Event items are returned and confirmed. This includes the TIER, Deposit Confirmation, and Return of Unsold Tickets.
- Tournament Employees cannot be paid until

all new Employee forms are *complete*.

Accounting: RefPay

RefPay:

Please be sure your school's RefPay activity is funded before events are completed to insure timely payment to Officials.

Accounting: Fiscal In-Service

FISCAL IN-SERVICE WEBINAR - WINTER - ONE OPPORTUNITY ONLY:

Thursday, January 16, 2014

Webinar only - email Maria at mferrell@aiaonline.org for registration information. *You must follow emailed instructions to register.*

Version 1.0 to start at 10:00 am - *full version - required of all new AD's who have never attended any in-service (Assistants/Secretaries recommended to attend)*

Version 2.0 *if needed*, starts at 1:00 pm - for any AD's who have attended a prior in-service (updates and changes only).

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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](#)

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 199,447 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](#)