

May 2013

2013 Summer Officials Conference Invitation

To All IHSA Licensed Officials:

As we near the completion of the 2012-13 school year, I would like to thank you for your continued efforts in helping the IHSA provide equitable participation of student athletes that enrich their educational experience. Your dedication towards preparation and professionalism is significant to the quality officiating that occurs throughout the school year.

Our first opportunity to prepare for the 2013-14 school year will be at our 14<sup>th</sup> Annual Officials Conference. The Conference will be held on July 19-20, 2013. This year's theme is "**Sportsmanship – It Starts With Us**". The host hotel will be at the Embassy Suites in East Peoria. The conference committee has been very busy preparing for the upcoming conference. The clinics and mini-sessions planned shall be resourceful for all who attend.

Registration for this year's conference will be available online at the same time you will be renewing your officiating license, which starts May 1, 2013. Online payment for the conference will be \$40 in advance through June 30<sup>th</sup>. You may pay by check for \$45 with the mail-in registration; envelope must be postmarked by June 30<sup>th</sup> to receive the advanced rate. After June 30<sup>th</sup>, registrations can only be done at the door for \$50.

Please reserve the date and make plans to attend "**Sportsmanship – It Starts With Us**" in Peoria on July 19<sup>th</sup>-20<sup>th</sup>.

Respectfully,

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