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**16th Annual**  
**OFFICIALS CONFERENCE**

**Big Game,  
Big Stage  
Be Ready!**

**Hosts:**

**Embassy Suites, East Peoria  
East Peoria Community High School**

**Friday & Saturday  
July 17 & 18, 2015**

**Sign up today!**

# OFFICIALS CONFERENCE PROGRAM OUTLINE

## FRIDAY, JULY 17

9:00 a.m.–4:00 p.m.	<b>Train the Trainer</b> Invited Clinicians Only @ Embassy Suites, East Peoria—Grandview Room
9:00 a.m.	<b>Golf Outing</b> @ Coyote Creek, Bartonville, IL, Shotgun start
8:00 a.m.–8:45 a.m.	Registration
3:00 p.m.–7:00 p.m.	<b>Registration</b> Embassy Suites, East Peoria
6:00 p.m.–6:45 p.m.	<b>New Official's Workshop</b> @ Embassy Suites, East Peoria—Lydia B Room "TBD" Speaker: TBD
7:00 p.m.–8:45 p.m.	<b>Opening Session</b> @ Embassy Suites, East Peoria—River Room G-J Welcome: Marty Hickman, Steve Endsley & Craig Anderson Recognize all state final officials Keynote Speaker: Joan Powell, NCAA Volleyball Coordinator of Officials
9:00 p.m.	<b>Association Sponsored Social</b> @ Embassy Suites, East Peoria, River Room F



### HOTEL INFORMATION

Contact: Embassy Suites, East Peoria  
@ 309-694-0200

(Ask for IHSA Officials Conference rate:  
\$130 single or double, includes breakfast)

Officials are responsible for making  
their own room reservations. Reservations must be  
made by June 25 in order to receive the IHSA  
Officials Conference rate.



## SATURDAY, JULY 18

7:00 a.m.–2:00 p.m.	<b>Registration</b> @ East Peoria Community High School
8:00 a.m.–12:00 p.m.	<b>Certified Clinics</b> Baseball Level 2 @ EPCHS—Rm 215E Basketball Level 1 @ EPCHS—Rm 100F Cheerleading Level 2 @ EPCHS—Rm 203E Dance Level 2 @ EPCHS—Rm 207E Football Level 2 @ EPCHS—Auditorium Soccer Level 2 @ EPCHS—Rm 208E Softball Level 2 @ EPCHS—Rm 211E Swimming Level 2 @ EPCHS—Rm 217E Track & Field Level 2 @ EPCHS—Rm 210E Volleyball Level 2 @ EPCHS—Rm 206E Wrestling Level 2 @ EPCHS—Rm 102F
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12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.	<b>Lunch</b> @ East Peoria Community High School—Cafeteria
12:30p.m.–2:00 p.m.	<b>Mandated Recognized Officials Association Delegate Meeting</b> @ EPCHS—Auditorium Annual Update & Officials' Department Updates, Craig Anderson
1:15 p.m.–2:15 p.m.	<b>Third Session</b> <b>Sport Breakout Session</b> <b>Basketball</b> "Securing Games and Improving your Schedule: Working with Assignors." <b>Speaker:</b> Joe Spagnolo, Lombard @ EPCHS—Rm 100F <b>Baseball</b> "Working Effectively with your Partner" <b>Speaker:</b> Don King, East Peoria @ EPCHS—Rm 215E <b>Cheerleading</b> "Scoring the Non-Rubric Categories" <b>Speaker:</b> John Powers, St. John, IN @ EPCHS—Rm 203E <b>Dance</b> "What is Difficulty?—A look through different styles of dance and discussion of what challenges our athletes" <b>Speaker:</b> Jessica Neibert, West Chicago @ EPCHS—Rm 207E <b>Football</b> "NFHS National Perspective on High School Football" <b>Speaker:</b> Bob Colgate, NFHS Director of Sports and Sports Medicine @ EPCHS—Rm 101F

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<b>Softball</b> "Application of NFHS Rules" <b>Speaker:</b> Jeff Brice, Gilberts @ EPCHS—Rm 211E
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<b>Volleyball</b> "All about the Libero" <b>Speaker:</b> Mark Febonio, Chicago @ EPCHS—Rm 206E
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<b>Reception and Awards Program</b> @ Embassy Suites, East Peoria—River Room G-J
<b>Reception</b> <b>Welcome &amp; Introductions</b> 50-Year Recognition 15-Year Awards 25-Year Awards 30-Year Awards 40-Year Awards IHSA Sport Officials of the year

# 16th Annual Conference Registration Form

To register, please fill out and return entire page.

What sport(s) are you licensed in: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ ID#: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Member of the following Association(s): \_\_\_\_\_

**REGISTRATION FEE - \$40 online through June 30, \$45 by check postmarked by June 30 and \$50 at the door (fee is non-refundable)**

**Please return immediately in order to maintain an accurate attendance for each session. Price includes lunch.**

**Return to: IHSA Officials Department, 2715 McGraw Drive, Bloomington, 61704. Phone: 309-663-6377.**



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**Friday, July 17**

**8:00-8:45 a.m. Registration, 9:00 a.m. Shotgun Start**

Coyote Creek, Bartonville, IL  
4-person scramble, shotgun start  
Limited to 120 applicants

\$75.00/Golfer

**Package includes:**

- Green Fees
- Golf Cart
- Balls & Tees
- Golf Hat
- Lunch

- We'll accept the first 120 applicants on a first-come, first-served basis
- Sign up a foursome or singles will be assigned to a foursome.
- Registration will begin at 8:00 a.m.—8:45 a.m. with tee off at 9:00 a.m.
- Refreshments will be sold on the course *ONLY*
- Deadline for sign-up is Monday, July 6, 2015 at the IHSA Office
- Make checks payable to IHSA Officials Golf Outing non-refundable after July 6, 2015

- **Mail to: IHSA**  
**Attn.: Officials Golf Outing**  
**2715 McGraw Drive**  
**Bloomington, IL 61704**



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ILLINOIS HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATION

### REGISTRATION FORM 2015

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Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**3** Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**2** Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**4** Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone: \_\_\_\_\_