

## Handbook Edits:

Page 8 – Joe Schmidt – Eliminate “present” replace with **2011**

Page 10 Definitions: - Add Faculty Member Definition

**Faculty Member - An individual with a license issued by the Illinois State Board of Education permitted to conduct instruction in a classroom without supervision during the school day. (3.031.4)**

Page 12 Definition - Skill of Sport – Add Lacrosse Definition

**Lacrosse – Any catching, cradling, passing, shooting, or groundball battles using or simulating the use of a lacrosse stick and ball.**

Page 16 - Illustration 1 – What is Approved School Status?

- Q. Are “approved schools” members of the Association?
- A. The Board of Directors may grant approved status to a school only in the event that it is not eligible for membership. Approved schools may participate with member schools in ~~club~~ **competition the regular season** only. (Constitution 1.270)

Page 39 – 3.000 Amateurism/**Name, Image and Likeness (NIL)**

Page 55 – 3.080 Amateurism/**Name, Image and Likeness (NIL)**

Page 60 – Illustration 201

- Q. May a high school coach serve as a non-school **high school** club administrator who doesn’t coach an individual team in the club when the number of participants in the club from his/her school exceeds one half the number of players needed to field a team in actual IHSA state series competition?
- A. No. During the school term a coach may not be involved “in any respect” with a non-school club program when the number of players from his/her school exceeds one half the number of players needed to field a team in actual IHSA state series competition (By-law 3.107).

Page 88 – Policy 38. ~~Fall~~ Sport Acclimatization/**Risk Minimization**

Page 88 – New Policy **35. Name, Image and Likeness (NIL) Policy** (Renumber Remaining Illustrations)

Page 120 – Add New: **Policy 35 Name, Image and Likeness (NIL)** (Renumber Remaining Illustrations)

IHSA By-law 3.084 permits a student athlete to earn compensation from the use of that student’s name, image, and likeness defined as “NIL Activity.” NIL is subject to the following limitations:

1. The student may not use the IHSA name, logos, or trademarks in association with receiving the compensation or imply that the IHSA approves of the NIL Activity as that term is defined in the By-law;
2. The student may not use the name, logos, mascots, or trademarks of any member school in association with receiving the compensation or imply that any member school approves of the NIL Activity;
3. The student may not use any member school’s facilities in association with the NIL Activity;
4. The student may not engage in any NIL Activity during school hours, while traveling to or from any IHSA event, or during an IHSA event including any practice, rehearsal, meeting, game, tournament, or any similar event that the Board deems inappropriate or distracting;

5. The student may not engage in any NIL Activity associated with gaming/gambling, alcoholic beverages, tobacco, cannabis, banned or illegal substances, adult entertainment products or services, firearms, or other weapons; or any other product or service that the Board deems inappropriate or distracting; and
6. The student is responsible for determining what, if any effect, the NIL Activity may have on eligibility with the NCAA, NJCAA, and/or NAIA.

Illustration 166 - ~~\$75~~ **\$150**

Illustration 167.1 - ~~\$75~~ **\$150**

Illustration 167.2 - ~~\$75~~ **\$150**

Illustration 167.3 - ~~\$75~~ **\$150**

Illustration 172 - ~~\$75~~ **\$150**

- IL. 85) Q. If a student is only participating in one sport that runs during one semester, does the student only need to be taking and passing the member school course for that semester?  
A. No. Students must meet the attendance by-law for all semesters to maintain eligibility for interscholastic competition during their 8 semesters of eligibility. (3.011)
- IL. 86) Q. Does a blended or virtual course offered by the member school meet the requirements for taking and passing a course offered by the member school?  
A. Yes. The course must be offered by the member school to all students and be counted as credit towards graduation at the member school. (3.011)
- IL. 87) Q. Does a physical education course meet the requirements of taking and passing one course at the member school?  
A. Yes. If the physical education course is offered by the member school, the course meets the requirements. (3.011)
- IL. 88) Q. Does the one course requirement apply to students taking all their coursework at an alternative learning setting whether by choice or required by the member school? Dual enrollment at a local community college?  
A. Yes. If the alternative learning setting or dual credit courses are an extension of course offerings by the member high school, the courses meet the requirements of IHSA By-law 3.011.
- IL. 181) Q. May a school provide students with support/education on future NIL opportunities beyond high school? Is there a timeline for when this may be offered to students?  
A. Yes. Once students are enrolled and attending a member high school, guidance for NIL opportunities beyond high school may be offered to students.
- IL. 182) Q. Are schools/students required to report NIL deals to IHSA?  
A. No. Schools may have students report NIL deals to a coach or administrator to make sure IHSA by-laws and policies are followed. (3.080)
- IL. 196) Q. May a high school student participate in any collegiate tournament/contest or organized college practice at any time?  
A. No. (3.105)