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Upcoming Events

Spring Hooplines
May 15th

Boys Showcase
Capital University
June 27th

NHSBCA Summer Conference
Cleveland Marriott
Downtown
July 7th - 9th

Hall of Fame Induction Banquet
Marriott Columbus
University Area
August 22nd

OHSBCA Fall Clinic
Battelle Hall
Downtown Columbus
September 20th - 21st



MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

David Sheldon, Colonel Crawford HS



On behalf of the Ohio High School Basketball Coaches' Association, we hope that this message finds you and your family safe and well. The sport of basketball, the spirit of competition, and the passion of coaches and athletes is always at a peak this time of year, with the pinnacle of those ideals within the tournaments of March Madness. Unfortunately, the time has come for the OHSAA to make the decision to cancel the 2020 regional and state boys' and girls' basketball tournaments. We, as the Executive Committee of OHSBCA, support Jerry Snodgrass and the OHSAA office in this decision to prioritize the health and safety of our communities around the state and follow the precedent set for the pandemic by Governor DeWine. Some of your teams and communities have all missed the thrill of victory and the agony of defeat that comes in those regional and state games. We do not dismiss your grief in experiencing this abrupt end to what has been championship seasons; however, our responsibility, as is the OHSAA, is to put what is best for all teams, coaches, and student-athletes first in every area of our lives, health and safety. Thank you for understanding our support of this decision and congratulations on your seasons.

OHSBCA AWARDS 2020

The Ohio High School Basketball Coaches Association made the selections to all of the awards for the 2019-2020 season - Player of the Year, Coach of the Year, Assistant Coach of the Year, Academic All-Ohio, Academic Teams, Scholarship Society, 2-Point FG, 3-Point FG, FT Individual and Team, and Coaches Scholarship. Winners will be featured in the Spring *Hooplines*.

Coaches of the Year awards will be presented at our Fall Clinic in September. Players of the Year awards will be mailed to head coaches. Winners of Academic All-Ohio, Academic Teams, Statistical Awards, and Gold/Silver certificates have been mailed to head coaches. Scholarship winners will receive checks in the mail.

OHSBCA Hall of Fame Banquet Postponed to August 22

The Ohio High School Basketball Coaches Association 2020 Hall of Fame Banquet has been rescheduled to Saturday, August 22, 2020. The event will still take place at the Marriott Columbus University Area on Olentangy River Road. Social Hour will begin at 5:30 pm and Dinner will follow at 6:30 pm. Cost will be \$40.00.

This year's Hall of Fame Class is Chris Adams of Elida, Dave Kleman of Ottoville, Randy Montgomery of Triway / Hoover / West Branch, and Dan Schwieterman of Shenandoah.

If you have any questions please contact me or Paul Wayne, Hall of Fame Chairman at wayno14@em-barqmail.com.

BOYS SHOWCASE

The Covid-19 pandemic continues to affect all of us. At this time, the NCAA has not changed the June recruiting period and Ohio has not extended any bans that would cancel the events. This situation changes daily and we will adjust as needed. We are waiting until late April to move forward with inviting top nominated players. You may still nominate at the association web site at this time.

This year will mark the 2nd OHSBCA Division-I Recruiting Showcase presented by the Ohio High School Basketball Coaches Association in conjunction with the Ohio High School Athletic Association. The event will be held during the new NCAA Division I Recruiting Period in June. On Saturday, June 27, 2020 the top players from Ohio will assemble at Capital University in Columbus to participate in this day-long evaluation event. This event is designed to provide aspiring high school players with the opportunity to perform in front of NCAA Division I coaching staffs. Last year's event drew over 100 college programs from the division 1 and 2 levels.

This year will see an added team event on Sunday June 28th. 16-24 high school teams from Ohio will be invited to participate in the shootout with teams playing 3 or 4 games depending on the final format. If your team has division 1 talent and you are interested in playing, you can email Joe Bogdan (joe.bogdan.44@gmail.com) to get more information and apply to be considered.

As with the popular April showcase that was run for 13 years, the new showcase has high school coaches from around the state working the event. The Showcase is open to the public, and admission to the event is \$5.

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2020 COACHES SPORTSMANSHIP AWARD RECIPIENT

Each year all 26 Ohio High School Athletic Association sanctioned sports' coaches associations can recognize and honor one of their members with an OHSAA Sportsmanship, Ethics, and Integrity Award. The recipients are selected by the directors of the respective associations. Individuals selected should reflect the values of sportsmanship, ethics, and integrity through all of their professional responsibilities and should be a role model for others.



Boys Basketball Winner Alan Januzzi Firelands

Alan just completed his 21st year as a head boys' basketball coach in Northeastern Ohio, his 5th at Firelands High School. He has compiled over 230 wins and led his 2003 Open Door

Christian Team to the State Final Four. His Lutheran West Teams won back to back Patriot Athletic Conference Championships from 2014 to 2016.

He was a recipient of the OHSBCA Hall of Honor Award in 2012 and the North Coast League Scholastic Recognition Award in 2008. In addition to coaching basketball, Alan also serves as an assistant coach in Cross Country Coach and Track at Firelands.

Alan has been the volunteer treasurer of the Lorain County Boys Basketball Coaches Association for 20 years. That association has provided over \$90,000 in scholarships to Lorain County Boys Basketball Seniors since its inception.

He is a 1982 graduate and captain of the Lorain Catholic Spartans District Championship Team.



Girls Basketball Winner Bob Bell Kirtland

Bob Bell has coached basketball for 49 years, including 41 years as a head coach. He coached boys' basketball for the first 27 years, 23 years as a head coach at Wil-

loughby South and Painesville Riverside. Bob then spent 22 years as a girls' basketball coach, 18 as the head coach at Kirtland. Bell has accumulated 511 varsity basketball wins (212 wins with boys and 299 wins with the girls).

During his tenure at Kirtland, his teams won 10 league championships, 13 sectional titles and one district crown (2005). He has won many Coach of the Year Awards, cumulating in AP Ohio Division III Girls Coach of the Year. He retired from teaching after 37 years in 2009.

Throughout his coaching career, Bell has tailored his coaching style around two things – being consistent and doing things the right way.

He was a graduate of Hannibal River High school where he played football, basketball, and baseball.



2020 OHSBCA NORTH-SOUTH ALL-STAR GAME

The OHSBCA featured event, Ohio North-South All-Star Game, has been canceled for the 2020 basketball season, due to the outbreak of the Coronavirus. The Boys have been playing this event since 1958 and the Girls since 1981. Once before in 1962 and 1963, the Boys North-South Game was canceled due to the NCAA and the OHSAA State Board not sanction All-Star games.

The Boys and Girls North-South Coaches selected this year will roll over to next year. The games will be played on Friday, April 23, 2021, with the D1 & D2 game starting at 6:30 pm followed by the D3 & D4 game at 8:15 pm. The following rosters are this year's Boys and Girls North and South All-Stars that would have played in the game.



Girls Division I & II North Roster

Player	School	Hgt
Grace Mangapora	Canfield	5' 11"
Destiny Leo	Eastlake North	5' 10"
Lindsay Linard	Medina	6' 3"
Peyton Davis	Hoover	5' 6"
Jenna Riccardo	Beaver Local	6' 0"
Olivia Howard	Perkins	5' 6"
Sam Schofield	Anthony Wayne	5' 8"
Carly Caywood	St. Mary's Memorial	5' 9"
Gina Adams	Westlake	5' 10"
Sammi Mikonowicz	Rossford	5' 10"
Coach	School	
Nick Blanch	Poland Seminary	
Maggie Ferrando	Walsh Jesuit	

Boys Division I & II North Roster

Player	School	Hgt
Tahj Staveskie	Sandusky	6' 0"
Kade Ruegsegger	Dover	6' 4"
Zach Szul	Anthony Wayne	6' 4"
Josiah Fulcher	Lima Senior	6' 2"
Jonny Manning	Midview	6' 6"
Derrick Anderson	Boardman	6' 1"
Christian Parker	GlenOak	6' 5"
Connor O'Toole	Gilmour Academy	6' 3"
Luke Frazier	Lake Catholic	6' 4"
Grant Huffman	St. Edwards	6' 3"
Coach	School	
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Girls Division I & II South Roster

Player	School	Hgt
Mickayla Perdue	Springfield	5' 9"
Gabbie Hutcherson	Westerville South	6' 3"
Gabby Stare	Newark	5' 9"
Kendyl Mick	Sheridan	5' 9"
Molly Grayson	Vincent Warren	5' 3"
Shawna Conger	Washington CH	5' 9"
Makira Cook	Mt Notre Dame	5' 6"
Lexi Fleming	Mercy-McAuley	5' 4"
Madison Linn	Hebron Lakewood	5' 9"
Saige Glover	Northland	6' 1"

Coach	School
Johnathan Hedgepeth	Pickerington Central
JD Walters	Sheridan

Girls Division III & IV North Roster

Player	School	Hgt
Caitlyn Condoleon	Warren JFK	5' 7"
Madison Cloonan	Cornerstone Christian	5' 10"
Ally Winnen	Elyria Catholic	6' 1"
Makenna Geiser	Dalton	5' 9"
Karlee Altimore	Sandy Valley	5' 6"
Taylor Malson	Margaretta	5' 7"
Claire Sinn	Wayne Trace	5' 8"
Caitlin Elseser	Liberty-Benton	6' 3"
Jalen Gibbs	Wellington	6' 0"
Michaela Cloonan	Cornerstone Christian	5' 9"

Coach	School
Katie Miller	Dalton
Craig Nettleton	Ravenna Southeast



Girls Division III & IV South Roster

Player	School	Hgt
Corina Conley	Franklin Monroe	6' 0"
Sakima Walker	Columbus Africentric	6' 5"
Katrina Davis	Bellaire	5' 2"
Lexie Arden	Ironton	5' 11"
Camryn Pickerill	Eastern Brown	5' 7"
Kenzie Saunders	Middletown Madison	5' 4"
Rachel Martin	Summit Country Day	5' 6"
Sylvie Sonneman	Greeneview	5' 10"
Ashley Howell	Beallsville	6' 0"

Coach	School
Jamie Edwards	Cardington-Lincoln
Kevin Pickerill	Eastern Brown



Boys Division I & II South Roster

Player	School	Hgt
Jonathan McCall	Meadowbrook	6' 0"
Tyler Eberhart	Kenton Ridge	6' 7"
Paul Burris	Delaware Hayes	6' 6"
Brandon Noel	Chillicothe	6' 8"
Von Cameron Davis	Walnut Ridge	6' 5"
Caleb Wallis	Jackson	5' 7"
Max Land	Archbishop Moeller	6' 4"
Trey Robinson	Hamilton	6' 6"
Matt Allocco	Hilliard Bradley	6' 4"
Carl Blanton	Trotwood-Madison	6' 2"

Coach	School
Doug Fisher	Sheridan
Eric Coulter	Archbishop Alter

Boys Division III & IV North Roster

Player	School	Hgt
Angelo Milini	Canton Central Catholic	6' 5"
Luke Howes	Fairview	6' 1"
Lukas Swartz	Mogadore	6' 0"
Zach Rasile	McDonald	6' 1"
Ben Westrick	Ottawa Glandorf	6' 6"
Joey Holifield	Cardinal Stritch	6' 3"
Keegan Offenberger	Sandy Valley	6' 1"
Simon Blair	South Central	5' 10"
Gbolahan Adio	Richmond Heights	6' 3"
Cooper Parrett	Willard	6' 3"

Coach	School
Jeff Winslow	Upper Sandusky
Dave McWhinnie	Toledo Christian

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Boys Division III & IV South Roster

Player	School	Hgt
Kelly Hendershot	Shadyside	6' 2"
Michael Stammen	Versailles	5' 11"
Bryson Vogel	Fisher Catholic	6' 4"
Cam Evans	Zane Trace	6' 0"
CJ Anthony	Harvest Preparatory	6' 0"
Weston Baer	Meigs	6' 2"
Billy Southerland	Cincinnati Hills	6' 5"
Grant Whisman	Middletown Madison	6' 7"
Brian Collier	Grandview Heights	5' 10"
Chase Hammond	Oak Hill	6' 4"

Coach	School
Mike Harrison	National Trail
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2020 OHIO-KENTUCKY ALL-STAR GAME

The 29th Annual BSN Sports Ohio-Kentucky All-Star Game has been CANCELLED due to the COVID-19 outbreak. The Ohio-Kentucky All-Star committee decided to reveal this year's 2020 All-Star Teams. "The Ohio-Kentucky All-Star Committee wants to say congratulations to this year's All-Stars and Coaches. We really appreciate your understanding with our decision during these tough times." Here are the selections for the Ohio All-Star Teams.



Ohio-Kentucky All-Star Game Ohio Girls Roster

Player	School	Hgt
Dy' Jhanik Armfield	Oak Hills	5' 9"
Madison Bartley	Kettering Fairmont	6' 4"
Alana Carter	Mason	5' 11"
Sean Kelly Darks	Walnut Hills	5' 9"
Nevaeh Dean	Lakota West	6' 2"
Kate Ellis	Toledo Central Cath	5' 10"
Lexi Fleming	Mercy-McAuley	5' 6"
Nyla Hampton	Huber Heights Wayne	5' 8"
Jillian Hayes	Loveland	6' 1"
Gabby Hutcherson	Westerville South	6' 2"
Aliah McWhorter	Sycamore	6' 1"
Gabby Stare	Newark	5' 10"
Nicole Stephens	Pickerington Central	5' 7"
Ashley Tudor	Mercy-McAuley	6' 1"
Madeline Westbeld	Kettering Fairmont	6' 3"
Coach	School	
Jeremey Finn	Kettering Fairmont	
Nick Baltimore	Mercy-McAuley	
Derek Christerson	Sycamore	



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OHSBCA VIRTUAL COACHING CLINIC

The OHSBCA will be hosting Two Virtual Coaching Clinics. A link to attend the clinic will be sent out one day prior to the clinic. Each clinic can hold a Maximum of 100 individuals. If you have any questions, please contact Adam Hall (ohsbcpublicrelations@gmail.com). We hope you can make plans to join us.

Monday, April 6th - 7:00 PM

Kevin Bille, General Manager of Plain Values & JPV Press will discuss the topic "Connecting within Your Culture."

Thursday, April 9th - 7:00 PM

Pat Estep, Head Men's Basketball Coach at Cedarville University will present the topic "Match-Up Zone Defense."



Ohio-Kentucky All-Star Game Ohio Boys Roster

Player	School	Hgt
Matt Allocco	Hilliard Bradley	6' 4"
Jackson Arnes	West Clermont	6' 10"
CJ Anthony	Harvest Preparatory	6' 0"
Carl Blanton	Trotwood-Madison	6' 3"
Von Cameron Davis	Walnut Ridge	6' 5"
Cameron Evans	Zane Trace	6' 0"
Josiah Fulcher	Lima Senior	6' 2"
Chase Hammond	Oak Hill	6' 5"
Joey Holifield	Cardinal Stritch	6' 2"
Grant Huffman	St Edward	6' 3"
Maxwell Land	Archbishop Moeller	6' 4"
Mo Njie	Centerville	6' 9"
Brandon Noel	Chillicothe	6' 8"
Trey Robinson	Hamilton	6' 7"
Kade Ruegsegger	Dover	6' 4"
Coach	School	
David Dennis Sr	Harvest Preparatory	
Jamie Kachmarik	Cardinal Stritch	
Rocky Rockhold	Trotwood-Madison	

GIRLS SHOWCASE

After lengthy discussions with showcase personnel and receiving feedback from girls district directors and the executive board, the Girls Showcase will be suspended for this year, 2020. We will not be taking nominations for the girls showcase this year.

We will revisit the showcase next year with hopes that the NCAA will rearrange their recruiting calendar to better support scholastic events as they did with the boys calendar.

We are always open to suggestions and ideas on how we can reinvent the Girls Showcase to make it a positive event in the future.



FUTURE ELECTIONS

In 2020, the following positions are to be elected:

1. **Even Number Districts Directors** (3-year term)
2. **Girls District Directors of Districts 2 & 3, District 6 & 7, Districts 5 & 12, and Districts 15 & 16** (3-year term)

For these **ALL POSITIONS**, the candidate must be a member of the OHSBCA. Election Procedures can be found on Page 17 of the January 2020 Constitutional Issue.