IOWA HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION



Baseball Memo #8

June 20, 2024

Good afternoon, Head Baseball Coaches & AD's -

1. 1A/2A Postseason Assignments

I have had a few reach out so just a reminder for all that per the <u>2024 Baseball Postseason Manual</u>, 1A/2A parings were scheduled to be released this week and the 3A/4A pairing the following. Below is a link with district and substate assignments and brackets for class 1A & 2A. <u>Classes 3A and 4A will be released next week (the week of June 24)</u>.

- https://www.iahsaa.org/baseball-2024-postseason-brackets/
- These are also entered in Bound for 1A & 2A and in the process of making them live to schools and public now.
- More postseason details including ticketing, umpire assignments, weather procedures, score reporting, etc. will be included in the memo next week with assignments for all classes included.

2. Stats Entry into Bound

As we approach the start of postseason ensure that stats are all updated and should be entered into Bound within 24 hours of a contest. This is not optional and part of your program's expectations for the entire season. We all need to do our part to keep the integrity of the game and complete this requirement. This does also include pitch count and the tools given to track it. Plan to discuss penalties enforcement of these polices with our baseball advisory in the fall.

3. Sportsmanship

Although we are in a better place than a year ago, we have had an uptick since our last memo. Ensure we are always making this a point of emphasis as we continue to the end of the regular season and into postseason as coaches, players, fans, etc. Respect all parties involved in our contests and the roles we all play to ensure these games can happen in our communities.

Thanks, and do not hesitate to reach out with any questions as we start to wrap up the regular season and jump into postseason play.



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