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NMAA Bylaw Adjustment
Recommendation for the Selection of Football Playoff Officials

Consider a proposal to revise the selection process for football playoff officials, as agreed upon by the football officials’ selection process ad hoc committee. The committee’s proposal is as follows:

1) Varsity Regional Assignors will provide a list of eligible officials (at all positions) to the NMAA office prior to August 15th each year.
2) The list of eligible white hats (Referees) will be sent to coaches by the NMAA office on August 15th.
3) Coaches will rank “acceptable” white hats in order of preference. They must list a minimum of eight preferred white hats, with minimally one coming from each region. This list is due back to the NMAA office no later than October 1st each year.
4) Prior to each playoff contest, if there are no common officials between two coaches, the NMAA Assistant Director in charge of football will contact the coaches to see if they can agree on a white hat. If there is no agreement, the NMAA office will select the crew for that contest.
5) Due to coaches picking multiple acceptable white hats, the NMAA office will have more control of game dissemination/distribution.
6) If a coach does not submit a list by the October 1st deadline, he/she has no input into playoff assignments.

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NMAA Bylaw
Bylaw 7.17.1.L.4
Soccer

Implement NMAA Soccer Bylaw, to read, "Sub-varsity games are considered an official game at the end of regulation, regardless if the game is tied."

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**NMAA Bylaw Adjustment**

*Recommendation for the Standardization of Volleyball Pool Play Officials’ Fees*

Consider a proposal to standardize the pool play pay scale for volleyball officials.

The proposed pool play fee schedule is as follows:

$15.00 per pool play match

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