

SECTION V

FINANCE

5.2 OFFICIALS FEES/DUES

5.2.3 Officials Annual Dues

A. Annual Dues

Members	Dues/Sport
All sports – all levels	\$80.00 first sport, free second sport, \$20 each additional sport
Reciprocal	\$20.00 each sport

- B. Annual dues for officials are determined by the Executive Board. Any official registered for the current year in a sport may be assessed a \$25 late fee if he/she registers for the coming year in that sport after the deadline date. Deadline dates are as follows:

Football, Soccer, and Volleyball - June 1

Basketball, Powerlifting, Spirit, Swimming & Diving and Wrestling – September 1

Baseball, Softball, and Track & Field - December 1

5.2.4 Sanctions for Officials

- A. **Level I Sanctions – Written Reprimand, Placement on Probationary Status, depending on severity of act) – These violations are under the auspices of the local association and suspensions are levied by the local group leader and/or the local supervisory committee. Individuals who commit violations of this nature must take the NFHS Online Course prescribed by the NMAA Managers of Officiating Services and are subject to the sanctions as stated above.**

1. Out of approved regulation uniform.
2. Late arrival for game or at game site without a valid excuse.
3. Failure to report incidents involving officials, spectators, teams and/or schools by the specified time.
4. Failure to reply to the State Commissioner or State Supervisory Committee when investigating an incident by the specified time.
5. Failure to submit examinations by the due date.

- B. **Level II Sanctions (Temporary Suspension or Expulsion, based upon the severity of the act) – These violations are under the auspices of the NMOA and suspensions are levied by the Commissioner of Officials or State Supervisory Committee. Individuals who commit violations of this nature must take the NFHS Online Course prescribed by the NMAA Managers of Officiating Services and are subject to the sanctions as stated above.**

1. The responsible official, commissioner or assignor will be subject to a fine for an individual working a varsity game or match who is not registered and in good standing with the NMAA.
2. Unprofessional conduct or unethical conduct and practices
3. Failure to fulfill contracts except when given an approved release.
4. Soliciting games, sitting in on local and state meetings for the purpose of politicizing the assignment of games or officials unless so sanctioned by the school principal, and/or otherwise meddling in the affairs rightly the duty of the NMAA and/or school officials.
5. Dereliction of duty or falsification of reports or records. Dereliction of duty can include rules misapplications during contests.
6. Engaging in behavior contrary to the tenets of the NMAA's Compete with Class initiative.