

# Pre-Game Public Address Announcement Welcome and Opening Remarks



Ladies & Gentlemen,

As a member school of the Ohio High School Athletic Association, \_\_\_\_\_ High School welcomes you to this interscholastic contest between \_\_\_\_\_ High School and \_\_\_\_\_ High School.

To honor America, please stand and join in the singing/playing of our National Anthem.

### *Playing of the **NATIONAL ANTHEM***

Today/Tonight's Tournament game is sponsored by the Ohio High School Athletic Association. Your attendance and support of the student-athletes and coaches is appreciated by member schools competing for the right to move on.

Though both teams are rivals, they are expected to exhibit the qualities of good sportsmanship throughout the contest and the administration of both schools request the same from all fans.

The officials assigned to this tournament game have met extensive requirements set by the Ohio High School Athletic Association and have been assigned based upon the process approved by the OHSA's Board of Directors.

The officials for this game are:

\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, and \_\_\_\_\_

The athletes, coaches and officials are guests of \_\_\_\_\_ High School. ALL fans are asked to respect the effort each of them has put forth preparing for today's/tonight's contest. We ask all attending to show courtesy and respect for fellow fans, officials, coaches, those administrating the contest and of course – your team and your opponent. And, as important today as ever, PLEASE "**Respect the Game**".

Now let's meet the players in today's/tonight's game.

**Visiting Coaches and Team** – Announcing all players with Starters last

**Home Coaches and Team** – Announcing all players Starters last

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