

To: OHSAA Golf School Athletic Directors and Head Coaches

From: Tyler Brooks, Senior Manager of Officiating & Sports Administration

Re: September Update - Part 2

Date: Wednesday, September 29, 2021

As Girls Division II and Boys Divisions II and III sectional competition continues this week, I want to wish all of our golfers the best of luck and health during the tournament!

It has been a sincere pleasure to work with you all this season. I hope this season was rewarding to your players, coaching staff, and community!

1 - Warming Up on Holes Before Competition

Golfers are permitted to warm up before competition on holes that will not be part of the competition. For instance, if you are playing on the front 9, players may warm up on the back 9 prior to competition.

Similarly, if a course had 27 or 36 holes, golfers would be permitted to warm up on holes that would not be part of the competition that day.

2 - Regular Season Contests During the Tournament

I wanted to remind coaches that regular season contests can be held after your team has competed in the OHSAA tournament, regardless of your team / individuals having advanced to the next level or not. All contests must stay within the regular season limitation of 20 contests. All regular season contests must conclude by October 30.

3 - Tournament Ticket Sales

This is reminder that all spectators (under the age of 6) are required to purchase a ticket for entry to the OHSAA tournament (all levels; sectional, district, and state). The link to purchase these tickets are below:

<https://www.ohsaa.org/tickets>

4 - Next Season's Dates

In the printed 2021-22 OHSAA Handbook, you may have noticed that the future dates calendar at the end of the golf regulations was incorrect. The calendar shown is the soccer calendar. This has been corrected on the digital copy of the golf regulations, link below:

<https://ohsaaweb.blob.core.windows.net/files/Sports/Golf/GolfRegs.pdf>

You can also reference future season dates for all sports on this webpage:

<https://www.ohsaa.org/calendar/FutureDates>

5 - Out of Season Regulations

As this season concludes, please take some time to review the following OHSAA General Sport Regulations (found beginning on page 59 here):

<https://ohsaaweb.blob.core.windows.net/files/SchoolResources/Handbook.pdf>

Please take a few minutes to review the following General Sport Regulations:

7.3.2 - Regulations Permitting Students to Participate on Non-School Teams Outside of the School Team's Season

7.5.3 - Regulations Permitting Coaches to Coach Their Own Student-Athletes on Non-School Teams Outside of the School Team's Season

8.4 - Individual Skill / Coaching Instruction

As always, if you are unsure if something is permissible, please email me!

Again, best of luck in the tournament and have a great offseason!



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