



MHSAA SEEKS CANDIDATES FOR ASSISTANT DIRECTOR

EAST LANSING, MI – AUGUST 1, 2013 . . . The February 2014 retirement of Assistant Director Randy Allen causes the Michigan High School Athletic Association to invite candidates for an administrative level employment position at the MHSAA's East Lansing headquarters.

Candidates must be able to demonstrate deep respect for the educational philosophy of school-sponsored sports and the positive contributions they make to students, schools and society. While warm interpersonal relationships and the ability to communicate effectively in writing and speaking are essential and more necessary than any specific sport or subject background, the MHSAA will be addressing the following responsibilities during this hiring and/or the reorganization of duties of existing staff:

Administration of Sports

Primary: Bowling, Golf, Ice Hockey

Secondary: Basketball, Girls Competitive Cheer, Cross Country/Track & Field, Football, Girls Gymnastics, Wrestling

Coaches Education

Daily details; expansion of Coaches Advancement Program.

Officials Services

Daily details; expansion of camps and clinics.

Health & Safety

Daily details; long-term strategic priorities and programs.

The MHSAA will be looking for the unique or extra dimension that a candidate offers to help the MHSAA provide leadership in rapidly changing times. During this hiring process the MHSAA will also attempt to "deepen its bench" with respect to student leadership initiatives, corporate sales and technology, although each of these areas or a combination of them may be subject to a separate search for applicants when supporting resources are solidified.

The MHSAA will provide a salary and benefits package comparable with those of full-time school administrators in Michigan. It is expected that the assistant director will work many evenings and weekends and will reside in mid-Michigan.

Those persons who wish to be considered for this assistant director position should, by **Sept. 12, 2013**, email their resume and a one-page cover letter to MHSAA Executive Director John E. Roberts at jroberts@mhsaa.com. The starting date for this new hire will be at a mutually agreeable date in January 2014.