

NJSIAA PSA FOR MEMBER SCHOOL CONTESTS

Per the Memorandum of Understanding between the NJSIAA and the State Attorney General's Office, the following is a Public Service Announcement (PSA) that is required to be read several times before and during any and all contests in which the public announcement system is operated:

TODAY'S CONTEST IS BEING CONDUCTED ACCORDING TO THE RULES OF THE NEW JERSEY STATE HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION. THESE RULES PROVIDE FOR FAIR COMPETITION AMONG PLAYERS. SPECTATORS CAN HELP PROMOTE GOOD SPORTSMANSHIP BY OBSERVING THE RULES OF FAIR PLAY. ANY VERBAL, WRITTEN, OR PHYSICAL CONDUCT RELATED TO RACE, GENDER, ETHNICITY, DISABILITY, SEXUAL ORIENTATION OR RELIGION SHALL NOT BE TOLERATED, COULD SUBJECT THE VIOLATER TO EJECTION, AND MAY RESULT IN PENALTIES BEING ASSESSED AGAINST YOUR TEAM. EACH ONE IS REQUESTED TO TAKE PERSONAL RESPONSIBILITY FOR KEEPING THIS COMPETITION AT A HIGH LEVEL OF GOOD SPORTSMANSHIP.