Support Urged for State Associations

It is a duty of those responsible for directing and coaching interscholastic athletics to support the program of the State High School Athletic Association of which their school is a member. Unfortunately, this duty is not always fulfilled.

When the application of a regulation brings criticism to the State Association, too many administrators, too many athletic directors and too many coaches neglect to support the program they helped develop. The easy way out, then, is to use inurement or indirectness, leaving the idea that the State Association is superfluous. The school representatives had no part in formulating. Not only is this most unfair, but it tends to weaken programs which have been developed for the benefit of the student-athletes.

Those who have the responsibility of administering interscholastic athletics must have the courage and fortitude to stand up and be counted when unwarranted criticism is levied at the organization which carries out the policies it establishes.

A State High School Athletic Association must have rules if the welfare of the participants is to be protected. If equitable competition is to be insured, the program is to be conducted in a sportslike manner. If the program of the member schools is to be protected. It is acknowledged that the rules are rules of State High School Athletic Associations are uniformly high. Satisfactory programs require high standards and anything less would be unconscionable to the schools involved.

The protection of the schools programs by the State Association is an honorable and needed objective. Such protection is, and has been, an essential element for organizing and maintaining athletic programs. The purpose is not the neatness but rather, in the case of athletic scholarships, to make the competition contribute a portion of the expenses of the participants. Some of the procedures might be streamlined and the administration improved.

The fact that particular programs are not as popular or successful as others is provided in many ways. It is the responsibility of those administering the program to improve and maintain interest and enthusiasm. The requirement that conferences control, the adoption of eligibility rules which permit the participation of bona fide student athletes, the adherence to standards which make competition, and assurance that expenses maintain the same high level as those associated with football were developed through experience.

School and athletic administrators have the privilege of participating in the development of rules and regulations which determine the policies and procedures for the activities which their school will take part. Along with this privilege is the responsibility for supporting the regulations which have been established. If the school administration does not support these regulations, the school may not be worthwhile. Thus, school representatives have obligation of defending rules of their State High School Athletic Association. It is necessary that they perform this obligation with similar dedication as do the CIF, Council presented a CIF, SS, Play-Offs to Harry Bigger, retired principal of Fillmore High School, at January meeting at Gaher High School.

HARRY BIGGER
Given Life Pass

Harry Bigger Honored With Life Pass Award

Recognizing his contribution of more than 20 years to service of Southern California interscholastic athletics, the CIF, SS, Council presented a CIF, SS, Play-Offs to Harry Bigger, retired principal of Fillmore High School, at January meeting at Gaher High School.

Claud Hardsey, principal at Santa Barbara and a member of the CIF, SS, Committee, made the presentation to the longtime administrator in his work with the Council and Executive Committee which spanned the period from 1947 until his retirement.

Harry began his association with Fillmore High School in 1933 and was assistant-coach, vice-principal, and head principal, holding the latter position from 1936 until June, when he retired.

Honor greatly by the presentation, he commented that he sincerely believed that he had contributed as much as he had received from his association with the CIF, SS.

"I am not sure of these (Life Pass) presentations myself," he said. "I never dreamed that I would be honored one day. It is truly an honor."

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

FEBRUARY

17 Wrestling Prelims
23 "AA" and "A" Basketball Play-Offs Begin
24 Wrestling Finals, Cal State (Fullerton)
27 "AAA" Basketball Play-Offs Begin Begin Round, Second Round, "AA" and "A" Basketball Play-Offs
MARCH

1 Basketball Play-Offs, All Levels
4 Soccer Play-Offs Begin
5 Basketball Play-Offs, All Levels
9 "AAA" Basketball Semi-Finals "A" Basketball Championship, Site To Be Determined
9 "AAA" "A" Basketball Championship, Long Beach Sports Area
11 Soccer Championships

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Minor Changes due for CIF, SS, Cage Play-Offs

Plans for the 1968 CIF, SS, basketball play-off games have been slightly changed as follows: CIF, SS, "A" and "A" levels and on February 27 in the "AAA" division. The programming on schedule and only minor changes are anticipated over procedures used last season.

A poll was taken among "A" division league members to determine whether or not those leagues preferred to play their final game at the Long Beach Arena in conjunction with the "AAA" and "A" and "AAA" championships or whether they wished to continue playing the championship game on a neutral court located close to one of the participating schools.

According to Commissioners of Athletics Ken Faggan, the majority of the leagues preferred to continue playing the game at a neutral site on the Fri day night preceding the Long Beach games.

The poll was taken since some difference of opinion had arisen as to where the game should be played. Results show that competing schools would rather play the game close to home, possible, rather than traveling.

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CIF, SS, Treasurer Assumes Head Role at New School

Keith Lee, CIF, SS, treasurer and principal at Dominguez High School for 10 years. He will move the metropolitan Los Angeles area early this month to become principal of Yucaipa Valley High School, which is scheduled to open in September, 1968.

Keith, a former student at Compton High and a longtime member of the CIF, SS, Council and Executive Committee, said he was looking forward to the new post at the desert school.

Beginning his career in the education field as a teacher at Lynwood Junior High School, Keith has spent more than 30 years in service to the Compton Union High School District, including duties as teacher-coach at Roosevelt High School and Compton and Dominguez High Schools and Compton College.

Keith, who owns property at Yucaipa Valley and is looking forward to making his permanent residence there, assumed the position of CIF, SS, treasurer in September, 1968, when he was elected to a three-year term.

Married and the father of two married children, Keith will be living at 7537 Dumont Drive in Yucaipa Valley (P.O. Box 639). He can be contacted through Twenty Three Palms High School.
MURNEY LAZER
To Address Clinic

It wasn't until one Ingleswood family became suspicious of the boy's activities that he might attempt to find his birth certificate. He flew instead to Washington, D.C., where he went in for a job and applied for an ID as an Israeli, selling FBI officials how he "huckwinded" the city of Ingleswood for over a year. His records showed that he was not a 15-year-old high school student but a 22-year-old with two years of college who was wanted on a parole violation charge in Louisiana.

The situation caused a great deal of embarrassment for Ingleswood High School officials, and because of the eligibility requirements, the boy was disqualified from Ingleswood, the school was forced to forfeit all athletic contests in which the boy participated.

The case graphically illustrates what can happen in transfer cases when all eligibility requirements are not checked and documented. A boy's worst birth certificate, and proof of legal guardianship are on file before he is allowed to compete. A boy's worst case, has created a 30-4 record at the Pennsylvania High School, Harris plays to 10 in each of the NCAA's 3 meet in the Big Ten, and so the rest. The highest achievement is not, the requirement in the same—only documentary evidence will suffice. Harris' teams have broken the school scoring standards in each or the three seasons, scoring 47 points in 1966, 47 points in 1966, and 47 points in 1967. Harris graduates are single in numerous colleges and universities throughout the nation, and in 1967, and 1967.

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discuss the proposed increases in their respective budgets and are prepared to respond to the motion at the May Council meeting.

7. RELEAGUE COMMITTEE—

The Releague Committee, reported that the committee had completed its study and had adopted the 1967-68 Releague plan. The committee had met at its September meeting, only one change had been necessary.

The committee recommended that two schools that requested membership be

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He explained that Larry had been forced to miss two years of school because of a serious case of polio. Upon his return to school Larry became interested in gymnastics and by 1967 had worked up to the upper torso to the point that he became an outstanding competitor in the long horse and rope climb events.

Although Larry became 19 years old on August 28, 1967, he would graduate from high school until June, 1968. Mr. Kryce noted that a scholarship was awarded to Larry for his participation in the sport by the LaSalle gymnastics team.

He reported that many parents in the area were concerned that the present level of competition was too low, the season too early, and the cost too high for this level of competition. The commissioner stressed that this was a national problem that was being fixed both on the local and national level. He promised that this matter would be referred to the state SIF during the current session in order to have a better plan for development.

9. ELIGIBILITY RULES COM-

mittee Report—Dick Spaulding, Chairman of the Eligibility Committee, presented the committee's recommendation for revision of our current eligibility rules. The following changes had been made in our eligibility rules:

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4. BASKETBALL PLAY-OFF ELIGIBILITY — It was moved, seconded and carried to approve the basketball play-off and financial regulations for 1967.

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Entry Fees Eliminated
For Wrestling Prelims
Due to the overwhelming success of this year's CIF, SS, wrestling prelims, the Executive Committee, at its January meeting moved to do away with entry fees for this year's CIF, SS, Wrestling Championships.

This year's prelims will be held at four sites—Mira Costa HS, Arcadia HS, Fountain Valley HS and Polytechnic College in Pomona. From the sectional boys will qualify for the finals, to be held at Fullerton College.

Sectional competition is slated for Saturday, February 13, and the final, February 24. The elimination of entry fees in wrestling means that no entry fees are charged in any sport by the CIF, SS.

The move was another in a continuing effort by the Executive Committee to furnish members school top-quality services at the lowest possible cost.

MINOR CHANGES DUE TO Long Beach Arena
This year’s basketball championships are scheduled for Saturday, March 9, at the Long Beach Arena. The “AAAA” division semi-finals will also be played at the Arena, on Friday, night, March 8.

HEAD ROLE AT NEW SCHOOL
School until the Yuca Valley facility is completed.
He is looking forward to spending his spare time enjoying his outdoor hobbies, which include fishing, hunting and golf.

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Respectfully submitted,
J. Kenneth Fagan,
Commissioner of Athletics
HARRY BIGGER HONORED WITH LIFE PASS AWARD
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the Council for this presentation.
In addition to his services to the Executive Committee, Harry served on the committee for many years. Harry was respected by his associates for the four years in his retirement.

Palmers, Siefer, Giebler
Honored at Cage-Play-Offs
Three outstanding Southland baseball coaches between them have served in the local area for 60 years were honored at the "AA" Division championship of the local baseball game at on Saturday, March 9.

Sid Siefer, former baseball mentor at Mira Costa Beach High; Richard "Palm," athletic director and three cage coach at Fillmore High, Harri Gryb, former cage coach at El Toro Junior High in Fullerton were honored with a special recognition of the Southern California Inter-sectional Basketball Coaches’ Association at the high school game.

Siefer, whose Redondo five capt the 1941 CIF, SS, championship with a 26-0 victory over Pasadena, is also a winner of the innovation of the "AA" division zone and his offensive unit; a make a a deal great used during his years at the Redondo in.

Palmer, whose Fillmore five won Fillmore in 1964, was honored. He was with School, SS, play-off for two occasions, is a firm believer in losing, as to agree. A try this with the experimental several years, has still and recommends.

Giebler, the third member of the Palmier-Miller-Siefer trio with the annual SCI-awards this year, has coached basketball and track at El Toro High School. His teams was a 13 championships during period and individuals coached. Helms of the "B" in the region of the Brown Red Sox; Bob, UCLA basketball; George, Westmont, Brame.

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