



Rochester District Basketball Officials Board 60

PROUD MEMBERS OF THE
INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF APPROVED BASKETBALL OFFICIALS, INC.



IAABO BOARD 60 PAUL CONLEY JV/SUB-VARSITY CLINIC

INFORMATION & REQUIREMENTS

Clinic Leaders

Instruction: Larry Swan & Mark McElroy

Interpreter: Sandy Swingle

Clinic Requirements

- Enrollment fee is **\$85**, payable by November 27th. **Checks or Money Orders Made out to RDBABO.**
- All first-year officials are required to take the online IAABO University course. It is included in the first-year dues.
- Contact the Board #60 Treasurer, Dan Goebert with any questions you may have.
- Each clinician must attend a total of **nine (9) clinics**.
Attendance at 6 clinics is required before the I.A.A.B.O. written test can be taken on **Monday, November 28, 2022. There is NO make-up date for the closed book test**
- After the test, the candidate must attend **three (3)** additional clinics, whether he or she passes the test or not.
- Clinicians' **not attending three (3)** clinics in the second half **will not** be able to advance to the next level for next season. Please forward any excuses due to business or personal complications to Larry Swan or Mark McElroy in writing (E-mail).
- **The total of nine (9) clinics** was arrived at due to the complexity of the game, and it is the average number of clinics given at the national level.
- No one will be allowed to take the I.A.A.B.O. test without a minimum of six (6) clinics being attended. To be eligible, all fees must be paid no later than **November 27th**.
- Clinics will now be held in-person at Brighton High School, Room 262 or in the Brighton High Gym. Some classes will be held virtually- Dates, TBD. Make-up dates will be at the discretion of the Board Directors of Board 60.
- The sessions will run from **7 to 8:30 p.m.**, unless otherwise noted. To receive credit for a meeting, you must be in attendance no later than **7:10 p.m.**
- All Clinicians & Sub-Varsity officials **MUST** take at least one Varsity Interpretation Meeting. This does not count as a credit towards a clinic class, but it is a requirement to officiate in the current year. The Interpretation Meetings dates are posted on the website under the [Varsity Meetings](#) tab.

2022-2023 Clinic Meeting Dates

(All classes will be held In-person, unless notified)

Dates:

Monday, September 19, 2022
Wednesday, September 21, 2022
Wednesday, September 28, 2022
Monday, October 3, 2022
Wednesday, October 12, 2022
Monday, October 17, 2022
Monday, October 24, 2022
Wednesday, October 26, 2022
Wednesday, November 2, 2022
Monday, November 7, 2022
Wednesday, November 9, 2022
Monday, November 14, 2022
Monday, November 21, 2022
Monday, November 28, 2022 - Closed Book Test FOR ALL Clinicians & Sub Varsity Officials
Monday, December 5, 2022
Monday, December 19, 2022
Monday, January 9, 2023
Monday, January 23, 2023
Monday, January 30, 2023

Interpretation Meetings: ALL Officials must attend at least ONE meeting...

Thursday, October 27, 2022
Tuesday, November 8, 2022

Training Program

Introduction

The training and preparation of basketball officials, has been conducted in many diverse ways. Our program has been developed so that each official (novice or veteran) may have the benefit of coordinated rules, training, and interpretive materials. The purpose of this program, then, is to afford every official, in every area, at every level, the opportunity of consistent, continued training development in pre-service programs and in-service programs.

Aim of the Program

The aim of the training program is to provide an organized, uniform training for the applicant and Instructor. This program is a guide to help accomplish the highest standards of Basketball officiating.

Objectives of the Program

Upon completion of the training program, the applicant should be able to:

- A. Have complete knowledge and application of the rules
 1. Pass a written examination of the basketball rules
 2. Apply the rules realistically in game situations
 3. Disseminate information on all aspects of basketball officiating
 4. Understand the intent, purpose, and spirit of the rules
 5. Understand the accepted functional philosophy of basketball officiating
- B. Perform in accordance with the accepted mechanics and techniques of officiating
 1. Give proper hand signals
 2. Secure and maintain floor position (floor coverage and balance)
 3. Administer various game situations in the approved manner
 4. Pass the floor test
- C. Understand and perform pre-game responsibilities
 1. Conduct and participate in a pre-game conference
 2. Instruct scorers and timers
 3. Inspect all necessary equipment and facilities
- D. Demonstrate a professional attitude and manner
 1. Relate properly to coaches, players, fellow officials, spectators, administrators, and all school personnel.
 2. Assume his or her responsibilities toward the game, participants, and his or her professional affiliation.
 3. Continue his efforts toward personal and professional improvement and the betterment of the game throughout his association with basketball.
- E. Understand and perform post-game evaluation
 1. Have evaluation form properly filled out
 2. Listen to and accept constructive criticism from varsity official
 3. Discuss game situations with fellow official
 4. Watch at least one quarter/period of the varsity game
 5. Complete a self-evaluation check list

This program is structured and geared for the advancement of candidates to the membership level of Board 60. If as a candidate/Sub-Varsity official you do not attain membership status, The Board of Directors will review your status after five years, to determine your future participation in the clinic.

Assigning Process

- Clinicians, Sub-Varsity officials, and Members will fill out completely, the availability form and turn it in to the assignor.
- The Sub-Varsity assignor, Todd Kirkey will make assignments according to availability using the following guidelines.

School Games

JV, Frosh, Modified

1. IAABO Members
2. Clinicians/Sub-Varsity Officials scoring 86 score or higher on the written test

3. Varsity Minimum of 5 years, but less than 12 years
4. Clinicians/Sub-Varsity, below 80 test score
5. Other varsity officials

CYO

6. IAABO Members
 7. Clinicians/Sub-Varsity
 8. All varsity
- Assignments will be made once a month by Todd Kirkey.
 - Verify game assignments with Todd Kirkey and understand those are your responsibilities. Do not turn back unless under extreme emergencies.
 1. **Each turn back will be a \$5 fine**
 2. **A missed assignment is a game fee fine at the level (i.e., JV \$87.60)**
 3. **A total of three turn backs or missed assignments is grounds for disciplinary action**
 4. **An official may appeal any fine assessment**
 - We **highly** recommend that our Candidates do **CYO** ball. Part of becoming a good official is being responsible towards all areas of Board 60. Active participation in the officiating of CYO ball reflects on everyone's year-end evaluation.
 - Your availability determines the number of games you will receive.

Game Fees - This Season Via Contract...2022/2023 Season JV & Frosh \$87.60, Modified, \$77.40, CYO \$40 (no mileage)

Assessment Fees

Each official, (including Varsity Officials) is responsible for paying the Assessment Fees for Sub-Varsity games each month. Returning them postmarked by the **10th of the month**. If an Assessment Fee is not paid on time, the games that were assigned to you will be withdrawn and passed on to another official until such fees have been paid. An additional **\$5** fine will be added on the **15th of the month**. All unpaid Assessment Fees will be reported to the Board of Directors at the March Meeting and will have a **significant impact** on your movement within Board 60.

Conduct

- Be prompt for all Sub-Varsity or CYO games: at least 1/2 hour before game time.
- On the court, show proper conduct towards players, coaches, and spectators. Be courteous, but firm; remember the game is for the kids. Absolutely no profanity or vulgarity should ever be used by an official towards players, coaches, or spectators.
- Show up to a game neat, well-groomed and shaven.
- You may show up to the games dressed in your uniform-Especially for CYO games, since locker rooms are usually not available. High School games, you should change in the assigned official's locker room
- Wear the appropriate uniform and shoes dictated by IABBO & Board #60
- On the court be the epitome of neatness -- shoes shined, pants and shirt pressed, and hair combed.
- No alcohol or drugs should ever be consumed **before, or the day of the game**. Abusers will be dealt with severely and can cause immediate suspension.

Membership Requirements

The goal of every new official should be to become an I.A.A.B.O. member. Listed below are the steps to reach that level. The process of moving an official to the next level is determined in March at the end of the season.

Step 1: CLINIC & Sub Varsity Officials

- Take IAABO exam on designated date
- Must score 86 or above: NO GRAY AREA
- Must take floor exam - rated by varsity officials
- Rated as a Member of Higher - minimum of 12 on-line ratings from varsity officials
- Becomes member of IAABO - otherwise returns to clinic
- Rating of Member or Mentor - Intern / Draw

Step 2: MEMBER (IAABO Patch)

- Pass current IAABO exam (closed book) with a score of 80 or higher
- Will work full complement of JV, CYO, and recreation games
- Assigned Big Brother Official
- Assigned selected varsity games (Requires Section V approval)
- Advancement ratings committee
- Minimum 12 ratings by varsity officials
- Must be Rated as a varsity Official and may be eligible for Mentor - Intern / Draw
- Otherwise return to Member status as a Member of Board 60 and IAABO

Step 3: IAABO - VARSITY STATUS

- Be considered for the Board #60/Leagues selection process