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## IHSAA seeking individual to lead IHSAA Foundation

The Indiana High School Athletic Association, Inc. (IHSAA) announces it is looking for a qualified professional to lead the IHSAA Foundation at its Indianapolis office.

The IHSAA Foundation, created in 2015, is a philanthropic arm of the IHSAA and operates exclusively for the charitable benefits of its member schools and their student-athletes. The IHSAA Foundation's work ensures member schools receive the support they need to help their students excel in athletics, the classroom, and their lives.

The successful candidate will oversee the day-to-day operations of the Foundation including the development and fundraising efforts to support its programs and the distribution of scholarships and grants.

The IHSAA Foundation website is available <u>here</u>. Interested individuals may access the <u>job description</u> and submit a cover letter and resume to IHSAA Commissioner Paul Neidig.



The IHSAA expresses sincere gratitude to former president Matt Wolfert for his work and dedication over the last five years. Wolfert recently left the Association to take another position.

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## About the IHSAA Foundation, Inc.

The IHSAA Foundation was created in 2015 as the philanthropic arm of the IHSAA. Its mission is to help protect, sustain, and nurture high school sports in Indiana for the 407 high schools it serves. The 16-member Foundation Board is made up of member-school superintendents from each of the three IHSAA districts, a member-school athletic director, the Chair of the IHSAA Executive Committee, the current IHSAA Commissioner, and 10 at-large members from all corners of the state. Members of the Board are appointed by IHSAA Commissioner, Paul Neidig.

## About the Indiana High School Athletic Association, Inc. (IHSAA)

The IHSAA is a voluntary, not-for-profit organization that is self-supporting without the use of tax monies. Since its founding in 1903, the Association's mission has been to provide wholesome, educational athletics for the secondary schools of Indiana. Its 407 member high schools - public, institutional, parochial and private – pay no annual membership fee or incur entry fees to play in the Association's tournaments. A state tournament series is conducted annually in 22 sports, 10 for girls, 10 for boys and two co-ed (unified flag football and unified track and field). A 19-person board of directors, elected by member school principals, governs the organization.