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NSAA Fall Officials Appreciation Week Set for September 18th-23rd

LINCOLN – The Nebraska School Activities Association (NSAA) has designated the week of September 18th-23rd as NSAA Fall Officials Appreciation Week.

The weeklong campaign will highlight different facts and findings from a 2022 NSAA Officials survey as well as video highlights from the NSAA Officials Summit in July. Member schools are encouraged to get involved by reading an appreciation script prior to all games and sharing what they are doing to #RespectTheRef by tagging at [NSAA Home](#) on X / Twitter.

“During this time, the NSAA and our member schools will be making a special effort to show our respect and appreciation for those individuals who take time out of their busy lives to officiate,” said NSAA Supervisor of Officials Nate Neuhaus. “Extracurricular activities are an important part of the high school experience and without their commitment, we would be unable to provide these opportunities for the thousands of student-athletes across the state.”

The NSAA will also be highlighting winter and spring officials in addition to play production, speech, and music judges, and athletic trainers throughout the 2023-2024 school year.

Play Production Judges

November 6th-11th, 2023

Speech Judges

January 8th-13th, 2024

Winter Officials

January 22nd-27th, 2024

Spring Officials

April 1st-6th, 2024

Music & Journalism Judges

April 15th-20th, 2024

Athletic Trainers

April 29th-May 4th, 2024

To learn more about how to become an NSAA official, [click here](#).