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April 30, 2007

Dear Official:

The 2007 Keystone State Games, Pennsylvania's Amateur Summer Sports Spectacular, will be held from Thursday, July 26 through Sunday, July 29 in the Greater York area. The Games include 32 sports with over 7,500 of the best amateur athletes in Pennsylvania. Pennsylvania is divided into ten regions. Each region has a scholastic division team (players entering grades 11 and 12), a junior division team (players entering grades 9 and 10) and a youth division team (players entering grades 7 and 8). The Games are played in an Olympic-type setting with many of the best players in Pennsylvania competing.

**I REALLY LOOK FORWARD TO YOUR HELP TO MAKE THE 2007 KEYSTONE GAMES BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT A SUCCESS!**

I am contacting you to ask if you are interested in volunteering to officiate boys' and girls' basketball at the Keystone State Games. They will be held at Dover HS, North Salem Elementary School, Hanna Penn Middle School, West York HS, West York Middle School, Penn State -York and York Suburban.

Three man crews will be utilized. Please wear regular dress uniforms. If you wear shorts, I ask that they be black and all members of the crew wear them. If you are assigned to one of the medal games, the regular uniform is to be worn, no shorts. Each scholastic game will consist of two twenty-minute halves; each junior and youth game will consist of two eighteen-minute halves.

Please complete the enclosed form and return it to me by June 1, 2007. If you are unable to volunteer this year, but would like your name to remain on the list, return the availability form to me. Those of you who are able to work, I will begin calling with the times, dates, and places of your assignments by June 7th. You will also receive a reminder regarding game assignment information. I realize that there are emergencies and that plans change, so please keep me posted. The most difficult days are Thursday and Friday. This year there are less total games but more are on Friday. **If there is any way that you can work these days, please do so. If you discover someone who has not received a copy of this form, I have included 2 extras. Please pass it on. Please try your best. The June 1 date gives me an idea of where I am short on officials and time to fill in the holes.** If you find that you are able to work after June 1, just give me a call. Last year several officials worked as a team. If you can do that again this year, fine, just let me know.

Even if you can only do one game, great. The more officials able to work, the better.

**Officials will be housed at York College, free of charge, including breakfast. You will also receive a venue pass good at the concession stands. Officials will also receive a Keystone State Games officials' shirt. This year, as in the past, you will receive an additional gift. Past gifts were an officials' bag and a briefcase.**

The hospitality room was well received by those who took advantage of it. Once again, it will be at Vito's Sports Bar in York. Due to liability issues, we cannot provide the alcohol, but all the food is free, so just order from the menu.

Please feel free to contact me at my home (570) 323-5746, by fax (570) 321-8654, at my cell phone (570) 419-4780, or via e-mail at [K3LPX@csrlink.net](mailto:K3LPX@csrlink.net). I hope to hear from you by June 1, 2007.

If you need to contact me between July 7th and July 21st, please call my cell 570-419-4780. It is for this reason that you will have your assignments by June 15<sup>th</sup>.

Sincerely,

*Martin G. Maurer, Jr.*

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KEYSTONE STATE GAMES AVAILABILITY FORM

Please circle all the times that you are/could be available to work each day:

Thur. July 26	Fri. July 27	Sat. July 28	Sun. July 29
3:00PM _____	10:00AM _____	8:30AM _____	9:00AM _____
4:30PM _____	11:45AM _____	9:00AM _____	9:30AM _____
6:15PM _____	1:15PM _____	10:15AM _____	10:45AM _____
7:45PM _____	1:30PM _____	10:45AM _____	11:15AM _____
	3:00PM _____	1:15PM _____	
	3:15PM _____	3:00PM _____	
		4:45PM _____	
		6:15PM _____	

Please indicate the number of games you worked in the 2006/2007 basketball season at each level.

HIGH SCHOOL

_____ Boys Junior High	_____ Boys Junior Varsity	_____ Boys Varsity
_____ Girls Junior High	_____ Girls Junior Varsity	_____ Girls Varsity

COLLEGE LEVEL

_____ Men Junior Varsity	_____ Men Varsity
_____ Women Junior Varsity	_____ Women Varsity

If you are able and willing to work 2 games in one day, please circle the days.

I have found that most officials prefer to do this.

Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	
Circle your shirt size	M	L	XL	XXL
Circle your shorts size	M	L	XL	XXL

If you would like to work with one or two other officials, or in a group, please list their names here and where they are from. I will do everything I can to grant your wish. Just be sure that those you list are available the same days and times that you are.

1. \_\_\_\_\_ 2. \_\_\_\_\_

If you have previously worked a Medal Game or a Ribbon Game, please list the year and the level. \_\_\_\_\_

Officials will be assigned where they are needed.

PLEASE COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING. DO NOT FORGET YOUR NAME.

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY/STATE/ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

HOME \_\_\_\_\_

WORK \_\_\_\_\_

CELL \_\_\_\_\_

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