

NEWS – JULY 29, 2012

2012 KVFOA ROOKIE SCHOOL

The following have completed their first two weeks of classroom work:

Johnathan Brockman
John Blankenship
Chris Chafin
Derek Casto
Frank Kleman

We also want to recognize those who have participated in Rookie School by teaching:

Neil Caruthers
John Hudson
Travis Rose
Bill Crum
Gary Martin
Fred McPherson
Brian Pauley
Terry Wass
Brian Holstein
Dave Perry
Mike Webb
Jeff Tanner
Randy Shamblin
Bill Mangus
Tom Light
John Wilson

2012 7-on-7 GAMES

Thanks to all those who gave their time to help schools by calling their 7-on-7 games. It is great for us to get back in to “football condition” and also help the coaches by running their games.

ROANE COUNTY – JUNE 16th

Derek Casto - Rookie
Jeff Tanner
Mike Fannin

Tom Light (helped us in the morning sessions)
John Hudson
John Wilson

ST. ALBANS – JUNE 16th

Tom Light (drove from Roane Co. to help)
Gary Martin
Rod Wymer
Ron Runnels
Steve Young
John Hill
Johnathan Brockman – Rookie
Brian Holstein

WINFIELD – JUNE 18th

Steve Young
Tom Light
Derek Casto - Rookie
Dan Sizemore
John Wilson

Once again, thanks to those who worked these 7-on-7 games. I assure you, the coaches appreciate it and it is a good workout to get ready for football season.

2012 NORTH-SOUTH GAME

A KVFOA crew was selected to work the North-South Game at Laidley Field on Saturday, June 16th.

Walker Pauley - Referee
Joe Rector - Umpire
Brad Ullum - Line Judge
Harry Richo - Linesman
Terry Wass - Back Judge
Brian Pauley - Field Judge

TEST WINDOWS FOR PART I AND II

Mike Webb has sent us the Part I and II test windows:

Part I - 7/23/2102 to 8/6/2012

Part II - 8/13/2012 to 8/27/2012

2012 OPEN DATES

VARSITY CREWS: Please check your Open Dates on the homepage to verify accuracy.

IF YOU ARE A VARSITY-ELEGIBLE OFFICIAL AND YOU ARE NOT ON A CREW: Please send me your Open Dates. I shall publish a page specifically for these officials. There are crews looking for officials.

Email Webmaster to keep the website updated.

OFFICIALS WITH FIVE OR LESS YEARS OF EXPERIENCE

The Executive Committee continues to work on its initiative to help ensure that officials with five or less years get as much non-varsity experience as possible. The Committee has reached out to those who are scheduling games to help in this initiative.

Tom Light is the leader on this project. He will be tracking progress and talking to these officials to make sure they get plenty of middle school, freshman HS and junior varsity HS experience.

Younger officials are encouraged to communicate with Tom or any member of the Executive Committee if they feel they are not getting enough games.

KVFOA CLINIC

The KVFOA Clinic will be held at Winfield High School on Saturday, August 4th with registration at 8:00 am and the Clinic starting at 9:00 am.

Please make an effort to attend.

WANT A 2012 FOOTBALL RULES QUIZ?

If you want a 2012 Football Quiz from the National Association of Sports Officials and Referee magazine, please click here:

<http://www.referee.com/quiz/sportquiz.html>

PLEASE VIEW THE NFHS VIDEOS

As you already know, we have a new video from NFHS on A Guide to Heat Acclimatization and Heat Illness Prevention.

Please go to www.nfhslearn.com and take this course. It is free.

We will post a list of all officials in the KVFOA that complete the course.

In addition, if it has been a year since you viewed the Concussion video, it could be good to view it again. If you do so, order the video again so it will post your completion date.

The WVSSAC will require coaches to view the Concussion video annually.