

Commissioner Julian Tackett

**Topic**

Attendance on Behalf of KHSAA

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The NFHS Section 2 meeting is a unique opportunity for our staff to get professional development, as well as continuing to build team unity for activities around our office.

This year's event gave our staff additional bonding opportunities due to travel logistics, which always helps in the long run (even if it doesn't feel that way in the short term). In order to take the entire executive staff, the decision was made to drive to Baltimore and back. Without that sacrifice, it would likely had been advantageous to bring only a segment of the staff as was the case with most other states.

**General Commentary**

The meeting topics are always good, as evidenced by the agenda. But more learning goes on outside of the meeting rooms than in.

The staff is sincerely grateful for the Board continuing to fund the trip which is one of the only true professional development opportunities available for the entire group.