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| | Assistant Commissioner Sarah Bridenbaugh |
| Topic | Attendance on Behalf of KHSAA |
| **Attendance for KHSAA** | |
| Meeting_Session Attended | NFHS Middle School Committee Meeting |
| Takeaways to help Board and Staff | The Committee met September 28-29 in Indianapolis and I currently serve as committee chair. The Committee continues to work towards providing resources for middle school athletics across the country.<br><br>GOALS AND INITIATIVES<br><br>□ Develop a “Transition to Middle School” promotional video encouraging students to<br>explore and engage in school-based clubs, activities, athletics, and performing arts,<br>highlighting the benefits of participation and belonging.<br>□ Continue to develop and strengthen a comprehensive communication pipeline that<br>ensures consistent distribution of NFHS resources through strategic partnerships with<br>national organizations, state association contacts, and other key entities at the state<br>level.<br>□ Create Resources for the Middle School Administrator while highlighting current<br>national resources.<br>□ Design a social media campaign “Middle School Mondays” focused on highlighting<br>current resources, middle school stories, and NFHS Learn courses and value of<br>education based activities.<br>□ Deepen collaboration with the NIAAA by expanding opportunities with NIAAA Middle<br>School Advisory committee. |
| General Commentary | This committee also has been notified of an outside organization "National Federation of Middle School Sports" that has developed. State executive directors were notified of this organization and cautioned interacting or paying any fees to this organization without fully vetting them. |