



ROUNDBALL ROUNDUP

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Greetings in Hoops and Happiness:

Welcome back to school as we embark on another opportunity to influence our students and players in a positive way. We are fortunate to be in a position to be role models as well as instructors for the leaders of tomorrow. Please remember to focus on your players needs as you plan your year. The relationships we develop along the way are our biggest reward as we strive to make a difference.

If you have not already done so, encourage your staff and fellow coaches to join TABC. The strength of our association is in its many members. The more we have, the more we can accomplish.

Remember the importance of attitude. Strive to work well with your fellow coaches, faculty and administration and have a great year.

Blessings,

J. D. Mayo, *Nocona High School – TABC President*

COACHES VS. CANCER TABC ATTENDS NATIONAL MEETING

After the final tally for TABC member schools participation in Coaches vs. Cancer for the 2009-10 school year, our coaches and players stepped up to help in this worthy cause. Our amount raised was \$73,317.09, which has grown each of our three years of state wide participation. In 2008-09, our inaugural year, our schools reported over \$19,000 and last year increased to \$49,818.92. We know some schools failed to report, so each year's totals could have been higher. Every donation is important so please send us your teams' total, whether it is \$30 or \$3,000. They all add up and benefit a great cause.

We still trail several other states, but we are gaining each year. Over one million dollars were raised by high school coaches and their teams nation wide in 2009-10. We will again participate this year, so make plans for your teams' activities and don't forget to send us your amount raised as the season progresses.

Instructions on how to participate will be in the September and October newsletters and we will begin reporting your activities and ideas in the December through March newsletter. Thanks for all your unselfish service.

WE NEED YOUR FEEDBACK!

On September 11, 2010 your board of directors will give up a Saturday of rest in order to meet and direct the affairs of our association. In order for them to best represent you, you must communicate your ideas and concerns to your representative (see new board list on page 5) or to the TABC office. They can include suggestions for awards, activities, our clinic, our camps, possible rule changes, legislative thoughts, our web site, or anything that is important to you. We take seriously any suggestion or complaint and work hard to provide each of our members with an association of which they can be proud to join. *Cont. on page 4*

This past July the newly founded National High School Basketball Coaches Association met in Las Vegas, Nevada to continue to organize and share ideas. The association is the product of a meeting held in July of 2006, in which six states, including Texas gathered in Indianapolis. As the original state representatives invited other state associations to join the group, meetings in Indianapolis (2007), Louisville (2008, 2009) and Las Vegas (2010) followed.

The NHSBCA is now made up of 28 state associations, 22 of which were represented at the Las Vegas meeting. In addition to the continued sharing of ideas, the group now has a constitution and an elected slate of officers. With a mission statement of developing a unified National High School Association that will promote and enhance the profession of the high school basketball coach, the NHSBCA has already linked TABC with other state associations, lowered the annual dues for high school coaches to join the NABC and provided us with time tested ideas used by other states as well as new plans and concerns.

The NHSBCA officers are as follows:

Past President: Tom Hursey (Michigan); President: Dave Archer (New York); President Elect: Greg Grantham (North Carolina); Treasurer: Steve Witty (Indiana); Communications Director: Rich Czeslawski (Illinois).

Those in attendance in Las Vegas included 32 representatives from 22 states, including: Alaska, Arizona, California (Southern), Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kentucky, Maine, Michigan, Minnesota, New York, North Carolina, Ohio, Oklahoma, South Carolina, South Dakota, Tennessee, Texas, Utah, Washington and Wisconsin.

Other member states that were unable to attend were Missouri, Florida (where TABC past president Larry Brown has just been hired as executive director), Kansas, Massachusetts, Vermont and New Hampshire.

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DISTRICT PICKS SURVEY

Please take a few minutes to fill out the district picks form in this newsletter on page 2. This is the last time it will be printed in the newsletter until next year. You don't have to look up last year's stats, just round off what you remember and send it to our office by fax, mail or e-mail. If you want to get more involved with TABC you can fill out the bottom portion of the form, but please hurry as committees are being organized by our board of directors during the summer. If you are short of extra time or have worked your share in the past, simply leave the bottom part blank. We appreciate your support as an active member. Anything additional is gravy.

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TABC District Picks Survey for 2010-11

This prediction is for (please circle) Boys Girls District ____ AII AI 2A 3A 4A 5A PVT

THIS IS HOW I PREDICT THE TEAMS WILL FINISH IN MY DISTRICT NEXT YEAR:

1. _____ 5. _____
2. _____ 6. _____
3. _____ 7. _____
4. _____ 8. _____

INFORMATION ON YOUR TEAM:

Name of Coach _____

School Name _____ Mascot _____

Number of Returning Starters _____ Number of Returning Letterman _____

2009-10 Season Record _____ JV Record _____ District Record _____

LIST BELOW TOP RETURNING PLAYERS WITH BRIEF STATS

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____

Last Year's Playoff Results _____

Top Teams in Your Region _____

YES, I WANT TO HELP

Name _____

School _____

Cell Phone: _____

Home Phone _____

E-Mail: _____

Current Coaching Position _____

Dist. _____ Class _____ Region _____

Boys or Girls
(Please Circle)

FAX TO: 281-313-8224 or mail to: TABC, PO Box 2886
Sugar Land, TX 77487-2886

Please check committee preference

Board Member _____

Committee Chair _____

Committee Member _____

Anywhere Needed _____

Committee chairs and board members serve 3 year terms. Most committee members serve for one year.

We appreciate your willingness to serve TABC

Coaching Changes

Last	First	School	Pos	School	Pos	Last	First	School	Pos	School	Pos
Andrus	Allen	Waco	BV	Willis	BV	Kimball	Bruce	Ingleside	BV	Robstown	B. Asst.
Arenas	Jesus	L. Coronado	G. Asst.	Lubbock	BV	Kusler	Mike	Lorena	BV	Valley Mills	GV
Barrett	Scott	Hastings	B. Asst.	Tidehaven	BV	Kyle	Kit	FM Marcus	GV	Barbers Hill	GV
Beck	Angela	Clear Lake	GV	RR Cedar Ridge	GV	Layton	Don	Ballinger	GV	Slocum	GV
Benson	Vickie	HP Baptist	GV	Austin Bowie	GV	Lechtenberger	Doug	Dulles	GV	Retirement	
Benton	Eric	Robinson	BV	Lorena	BV	Lewis	Kevin	Seguin	GV	Cedar Ridge	G. Asst.
Boswell	Jaime	Sinton	BV	SA Central	BV	Littleton	Jimmy	SA Reagan	BV	New Caney	BV
Breazeale	David	Mineral Wells	BV	Granbury	BV	Lowrance	Randy	Calallen	B. Asst.	Calallen	BV
Brumfield	Marla	Clemson	G Asst.	Hastings	GV	Marquart	Mitzi	Cleburne	GV	Azle	GV
Callahan	Aiden	W. Midway	B. Asst.	Italy	BV	McCoy	Patrick	Clear Brook	B. Asst.	South Houston	BV
Cantrell	Jay	New Caney	BV	Paducah	BV	McDonald	Donny	Hays	GV	Retirement	
Celaya	Daniel	E.P. Bowie	B. Asst.	Bowie	BV	Meinzer	Laura	Lorena	GV	Business	
Chancellor	John	Barbers Hill	GV	Crosby	GV	Mills	Jeremy	Gonzales	BV	Rayburn	BV
Chandler	Darren	Friendswood	BV	Clear Falls	BV	Mize	Kristie	China Spring	G. Asst.	China Spring	GV
Clay	Thomas	Meadow	BV	Grady	BV	Modesett	James	Santa Fe	BV	Clear Springs	B. Asst.
Crews	Jeff	Calallen	BV	B. Geneva Sch.	BV	Negron	Jorge	P. Rayburn	BV	George Ranch	BV
Crow	Jason	Jacksonville	GV	Kennard	Prin.	Nellums	Jim	Channelview	BV	Retirement	
Durham	Teresa	China Spring	GV	Business		Nichols	Marty	Corsicana	G. Asst.	Denison	GV
Durrett	Keith	Athens	Principal	LaPoynor	GV	Pope	Alan	Sherman	GV	Jacksonville	GV
Ethridge	Kriss	Coronado	Golf	Coronado	GV	Pruess	Danny	Lehman	GV	Hays	GV
Fikac	Duane	Snook	BV	GC Memorial	BV	Raynes	Michael	S.A. Stevens	B. Asst.	S.A. Stevens	BV
Gaylon	Norm	S.A. Reagan	B. Asst.	S.A. Lee	BV	Richardson	Scott	Axtell	BV	Robinson	BV
German	Rick	Livingston	BV	A&M Cons.	BV	Roberts	Chris	Lamesa	GV	Klondike	GV
Ghazal	Ramsey	Olney	GV	WF Rider	GV	Rosenbalm	Mark	Dulles	B. Asst.	Dulles	GV
Gibson	Barry	S. Houston	BV	Porter	BV	Samuels	Darren	Cy-Ridge	GV	W. Mesquite	GV
Gober	Angela	Kingwood Park	GV	Porter	GV	Segler	Rusty	A&M Cons.	BV	Little Elm	BV
Hale	Robert	Crowley	BV	Retirement		Segovia	Ruben	S.A. Fox Tech	B. Asst.	Fox Tech	GV
Harding	Linda	Clifton	GV	Retirement		Shivers	Rob	San Marcos	BV	Lampasas	BV
Harris	Clayton	Austin Travis	BV	Cleburne	BV	Smith	Curtis	Celeste	GV	Munday	GV
Heinz	Karren	North Zulch	GV	A&M Cons.	GV	Smith	Eddie	Lamesa	B. Asst.	Lamesa	GV
Henderson	Randy	Martinsville	GV	Plains	GV	Smith	Keith	Westlake	GV	Longview	GV
Herbst	Richard	Copperas Cove	GV	SA Clark	GV	Smith	Steve	Granbury	BV	Aledo	BV
Hines	Tommy	S.A. Lee	BV	S.A. Brennan	BV	Smith	William	Seguin	G. Asst.	Seguin	GV
Hirst	John	S.A. Stevens	B. Asst.	S.A. Reagan	BV	Snelling	Dale	Axtell	B. Asst.	Axtell	BV
Holmes	Shannon	PA Memorial	B. Asst.	Channelview	BV	Thomas	Tim	Temple	BV	Cedar Hill	BV
Hunt	Doug	Georgetown	G. Asst.	Jacksboro	GV	Toon	Nathan	Barbers Hill	BV	Aldine Nimitz	BV
Inman	Tom	Arl. Bowie	B. Asst.	Grand Prairie	BV	Turnbough	Trey	Ingleside	G. Asst.	Ingleside	BV
Jackson	Eric	Stafford	BV	Temple	BV	Turner	Bric	Del Rio	GV	Tahoka	GV
Janek	Brad	DeLeon	BV	Valley Mills	BV	Wall	Bob	Hastings	GV	Teacher	
Jones	Alfred	Duncanville	B. Asst.	Crowley	BV	Watts	Tre	Midland	BV	D. Guyer	BV
Keener	Jeff	GC Memorial	BV	Friendswood	BV	Wooley	Allison	Westlake	G. Asst.	Longview	GV
Killingsworth	Kirby	Friendswood	GV	Clear Lake	GV	Yelverton	Randy	Clarendon	GV	Crane	GV

2011 TABC CAMP OF CHAMPS DATES

JUNE 10-12 GIRLS HIGH SCHOOL TEAM
JUNE 13-15 GIRLS FUNDAMENTAL
JUNE 16-18 BOYS HIGH SCHOOL TEAM I
JUNE 19-21 BOYS 14 & UNDER POSITION/TEAM
JUNE 19-21 BOYS HIGH SCHOOL TEAM II
JUNE 22-24 BOYS FUNDAMENTAL/SHOOTING

REMINDERS FOR 2010-11

- District Picks forms are due by October 1 of each school year.
- To receive and be in the coaches' directory you need to renew your dues by the end of September.
- Membership Cards will arrive with October newsletter & directory.
- Clinic dates for 2011 are May 19, 20 & 21 in San Antonio.

PEOPLE, PLACES & THINGS

We received a late report from the Cy-Falls Lady Eagles and Cy-Springs Lady Panthers from their C vs. C contribution. Both teams, their athletic booster clubs and the North Cypress Medical Center "teamed up for a cure," late last season and raised over \$1,000. Congratulations to **Jim Stephens** of Cy-Falls and **David Wicke** of Cy-Springs and their players and staff for their efforts.

Basketball coaches and officials suffered a loss with the recent passing of **Roger Glosson**. The thirty year veteran official died unexpectedly on July 17 of a heart attack. Our condolences go out to this family and many friends. He will be missed throughout the state as well as the Houston area, where he worked and trained young officials.

WE NEED YOUR FEEDBACK!

(Continued from page 1) In the last 10 years, TABC has added awards and other member benefits while increasing membership from 2,800 to 4,448 and clinic attendance from 1,200 to over 2,200. It has all happened because of your ideas and support. Your input can be as easy as an e-mail or note mailed to the office or contacting your regional board member. We have gotten great ideas from small and large school coaches, assistant and middle school coaches and active and retired coaches. Take a moment and share with us your thoughts before the board meeting or at any time during the year.

On a different but closely related topic, we need news items from you and your school. Whether it's good news or bad news, our members want to know. We especially need updates from the Valley, El Paso, the Panhandle and northeast Texas as they are farthest removed from the TABC office. Don't assume someone else sent it in. We would rather get one news item 5 times than not at all. We also love pictures taken at special events. Technology allows you to e-mail them to us easily and they show up more clearly. Thanks in advance for keeping us up to date on your area as well as your ideas. TABC is the biggest and the best because of each of you. But, we can always get bigger and better!

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IT'S NOT AS BAD AS YOU THINK

With the economy continuing to struggle and our school budgets as well as our personal finances being affected, it seems that times couldn't get any tougher. That is not necessarily true. While our basketball budgets continue to shrink and travel for games and tournaments have been reduced, we need to look at the brighter side as we examine what is happening in other states.

Several states have had their schedules reduced, some by as much as 20%. New York was among the states losing non-district games as a means of reducing the cost of athletics. Georgia has compressed their entire school calendar, cutting back on teacher salaries in the process. All faculty members will need to replace lost income in order to make ends meet.

The worst situation is in California, where the state faces bankruptcy and stimulus funds from the government will be required in order to run their schools. Many schools in California now have athletic budgets of zero. In order to have a basketball team, they are required to have fundraisers to pay for coaches stipends (yes, you have read that correctly), all travel, officials and all equipment. Their schedule, equipment and coaches pay are all determined by the money they can raise in each off-season. If they don't raise the money, things don't happen.

One of the values of TABC attending our national association meetings is to see how good we have it here in Texas. While we all need to anticipate the hard times the future could bring, we also need to be grateful for what we have.

TABC ATTENDS NATIONAL MEETING

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While TABC (4,448) remains the largest of the state basketball associations, Michigan passed the 4,300 mark this past year with Ohio close behind. In order to maintain our #1 status, we will need to continue our growth pattern of recent years. We fell short of our goal of 4,500 in 2009-10, but hope to go past it this year. Spread the word to your fellow coaches of the value of being a TABC member, so basketball can continue to gain importance in Texas and nationally.

2010-11 TEX PREPS BASKETBALL MAGAZINE AVAILABLE IN SEPTEMBER!

The sixth annual Tex Preps Basketball Magazine, the 2010-11 edition, will be available for purchase in September. Be sure and check the website at www.texprepsbasketball.com for exact availability to order online as well as the site's Newsstand Locator link for the store locations around Texas that will be carrying the magazine on approximately October 1. We are proud to be the official magazine of the TABC and look forward to again helping compile records and results this year for the TABC/Tex Preps Basketball state rankings. Thanks to all of the coaches who increasingly have shown their support for the magazine over the years by returning team questionnaires and sharing news about the availability of the magazine with others. This magazine could not be done without you! If we can ever be of service, just send an e-mail to rv@texprepsbasketball.com.

Get To Know Your TABC Board Members 2010-11

President: J.D. Mayo (Nocona HS)
First Vice-President: Bob Wall (Hastings HS)
Second Vice-President: Joey Worley (Fairfield HS)
Board Secretary: Angela Bell (Porter HS)
Immediate Past President: Teresa Durham

GIRLS REGIONAL DIRECTORS:

Region I Class A-2A-3A: Jeremy Williams (Wall HS)
Region II Class A-2A-3A: Mike Kusler (Valley Mills HS)
Region III Class A-2A-3A: Brian Davenport (West Rusk HS)
Region IV Class A-2A-3A: Ron Glazener (La Vernia HS)
Region I Class 4A-5A: Courtney Phillips (Arlington Seguin HS)
Region II Class 4A-5A: Cassandra McCurdy (Dallas Skyline HS)
Region III Class 4A-5A: Allison Campbell (Northshore HS)
Region IV Class 4A-5A: Wendy Mead (S.A. Warren HS)

BOYS REGIONAL DIRECTORS:

Region I Class A-2A-3A: Matt Johnson (Groom HS)
Region II Class A-2A-3A: Jonathan Normand (Godley HS)
Region III Class A-2A-3A: Rob Peterson (Hudson HS)
Region IV Class A-2A-3A: Herb More (S.A. Cole HS)
Region I Class 4A-5A: Jason Dear (Frenship HS)
Region II Class 4A-5A: Brad Ball (Tomball HS)
Region III Class 4A-5A: Dominic Amorosa (Kingwood Park HS)
Region IV Class 4A-5A: Jan Jernberg (Lake Travis HS)

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COLLEGE WOMEN'S DIRECTOR: Jason Martens (St. Mary's University)
CAMP REPRESENTATIVE: Jon Youngblood (Southlake Carroll HS)

TEXAS BASKETBALL MUSEUM

The Texas Basketball Museum in Carmine, Texas has had a successful inaugural year. Located on Highway 290 between Brenham and Giddings, the museum has had over 500 visitors, including 12 members of the Hall of Fame and some from as far away as England and Sweden.

Signs are now in place on both sides of 290, that have already drawn visitors who were just passing through. The existing space has already been filled and the owner and operator **Bob Springer** is planning an addition of another 350 square feet and more display cases.

Recently the museum has received memorabilia from Hall of Famer **Temple Tucker**, **Randy Carlisle** (national three-point leader), **LaMarcus Aldridge** (NBA), **Rashard Lewis** (NBA) and items from the estate of the late coaching legend **O.W. Follis**.

Individuals or groups are welcome. Call Bob Springer (713-898-7667) with the day and time you expect to arrive. He lives a few houses away and will open up almost anytime. Many teams visit on the way to games or tournaments. Come see Texas basketball history on display.

2011 TABC CLINIC

It is not too early to begin making plans for the May clinic in San Antonio. The dates are May 19, 20 & 21, 2011 at the Municipal Auditorium and El Tropicano Hotel. The clinic schedule will be similar to years past and speakers will be announced as they accept our invitation to be a part of the biggest basketball clinic in the nation. You can make reservations at the El Tropicano by calling (210) 223-9461 or (866) 293-1842. A list of additional hotels with special TABC rates will be in future newsletters and on the web site at www.tabchoops.org.

RICHARDSON PLAYERS HONOR COACH LONGINO

Players from the past at Richardson high school got together in July for an old timers game. The opponents were the players from the 1982-83 team that ended the regular season undefeated and the 1986-87 team that made the final four in Austin.

While the game included a lot of missed shots and air balls, the real reason for the gathering was to honor their coach, **Joe Longino**. Joe left coaching for administration and Richardson for Rockwall, where he was a principal. Then in 2002, he suffered a stroke that has left him significantly disabled. His right leg, arm, eye and ear don't work very well, but Joe continues on with the same great attitude that helped his teams succeed.

"I'm happier right now than I have ever been in my life. God has been good to me." He said recently.

Coach Longino plans to help coach seventh graders at Rockwall middle school next year. He has been working with at risk students in recent years.

We salute the former Richardson players for honoring their coach as he continues to be an example to them and each of us.

TABC Membership Registration 2010-11

Name _____
Home Address _____ City _____ Zip _____
Home Phone _____ Cell Phone: _____
School _____ School Phone _____
School Address _____ City _____ Zip _____
District _____ Region _____ Classification _____ School Fax # _____
Email Address _____

Please Check The Following:

2010-2011 dues (\$30 per coach) _____

Group membership : (\$25 per coach for 4 coaches or more) _____

(\$20 per coach for 10 coaches or more) _____

TOTAL: _____

Send newsletters to: (Circle one only) HOME SCHOOL E-MAIL

PAYMENT INFORMATION: (Please Check One and Fill in All That Applies)

CHECK _____ CASH _____ CREDIT CARD _____

Check #: _____ -OR- Credit Card #: _____ Exp. Date: _____

Amount to be charged on Credit Card: \$ _____ Please circle one: VISA MC

MAIL REGISTRATION TO: TABC, PO BOX 2886, SUGAR LAND, TX 77487-2886

Or Fax to: 281-313-8224

For Questions Call: 281-313-8222

WEBSITE: www.tabchoops.org

E-MAIL: tabchoops@aol.com

MEMBERSHIP DUES:

ACTIVE: \$30

ALLIED: \$25

ASSOCIATE: \$20

STUDENT: \$10

**Main Coaching
Assignment:**

Circle ONE only

Boys Head Coach

Girls Head Coach

Boys Asst.

Girls Asst.

Boys 7-8 or 9

Girls 7-8 or 9

College Men

College Women

Other
(Please List Below)

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