Athletic Directors' Workshop August 21, 2019

GENERAL INFORMATION FOR MEMBERS

1. Importance of being a member: To become a strong voice in improving athletics in RI

a. Get involved- make every effort to serve on a committee when askedb. Make every attempt to attend the following:

* 3 general meetings a year: Aug. 21st/Dec.2nd /March 25th
* The Awards' Banquet held on March 30th at the Crowne Plaza TBD
* The National Conference held at National Harbor, MD Dec13-18th {Go to www.NIAAA.org for details)
* Participate in the Annual Golf Tournament, TBD June 2020 and other fundraisers (Monies used for scholarships and professional development)

2. Stay informed:

a. E-mail and our Website (www.RIIAAA.org) will be used to keep everyone abreast of

all events, surveys and registration forms for various events, i.e. General Meetings, State

Conference, and Awards' Banquet, etc. Check your e-mail frequently. Very little

is sent through regular mail.

b. Our newsletter will be posted on our website once a quarter.

Please take a few minutes to read it.c. If you have any concerns, questions or just need help you can call any of the executive board members list provided.

d. If your concern or issue is sport related, bring it to the attention of the athletic director(s) on that committee. Members of each sports committee can be found on our website.

3. General Meetings Information: Calendar of Events- Other side of this sheet

a. First Meeting: Aug. 21st – CCRI, Lincoln b. Second Meeting: December 2nd – Crowne Plaza, Warwick (See appreciation flyer) 9:00am-ll: 00 am

c. Third Meeting: March 25, 2020 at the State Conference, Hyannis, MA

4. Becoming a CAA: Go to the NIAAA link (Friendly Links) on our website or www.NIAAA.org for full details

a. Several Leadership Training Courses are being offered online. b. LTC is now being webcasted online.

Go to the NIAAA website (www.NIAAA.org) for more details and registration instructions.

***c. Reimbursement in the amount no more than the cost of RIIAAA or MASSADA***

***is provided for LTC 501, 502, 503, 504, 506, and 508 and as funds allow to other LTC seminar completions.***

d. LTCs as well as the CAA exam are-offered at the National Conference, Summer Institute in

Brewster, MA (Cape Cod) and through the Bob Palazzo who is our State Coordinator. The CAA exam will be given on

TBD 8:00AM at Classical HS.

5. We have been very fortunate to have faithful sponsors. To show our appreciations please use their products whenever possible.

1. ***BSN Sports, Inc.*** is very generous to supply our members with a gift every other year.
   1. *This year’s RIIAAA wind shirt has been donated by BSN Sports.*
   2. *Please thank Matt McGovern, BSN Sales Team Professional when you have a chance.*
2. ***Grogan-Marciano*** is also very generous to supply our members with a gift every other year.
3. N***ally, the Championship Award Guys*** donates all our awards for our banquet.
4. **Platinum Royalties** offers scholarship and in-kind gifts to schools that run successful royalties card campaign.
5. **Shop.com/RIIAAA** has been giving monthly for shopping through the web portal shop.com/RIIAAA. Sign up your school to earn cash back as well as profit for your school.
6. **RAD Sports, Cape & Islands Track & Field, MF Athletics and Parsons-Kellogg** have been generous to RIAAA in other sponsorships.