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# Ohio High School Basketball Coaches Association Newsletter

## UPCOMING EVENTS

First Day of Girls Practice 10/28

First Day of Boys Practice 11/4

## SCOREBOOK LIVE AND THE OHSBCA

Scorebook Live, the creator of the 1st mobile application approved for use as an Official Scorebook in the game of basketball announced that it has entered into a multi-year agreement with the Ohio High School Basketball Coaches Association to jointly promote and market Scorebook Live to high school teams across the State of Ohio. "The OHSBCA is looking forward to working with Scorebook Live to bring the best high school basketball coverage to Ohio and the nation," says Tom Barrick OHSBCA Past President. Scorebook Live is the missing link to promoting and marketing high school basketball at not only a local and regional level but also at a national level. Scorebook Live will be the Sports Center of high school basketball."

The Scorebook Live iPad application replaces the need for high school basketball teams to use the paper scorebook. Teams using the app will be able to stream live scores and play by play to their fans during the game at [www.scorebooklive.com](http://www.scorebooklive.com) and publish box scores and game recaps for media and fans at the conclusion of each game. "It's great to add Ohio to the list of state coaches associations that see value for the coaches, programs and fans of high school basketball in their state," says Dan Dickau, Scorebook Live VP of Market Development. We look forward to bringing the ability to High School basketball fans in Ohio, who can now follow these programs and the current players in real-time through our website."

Below is a link to a YouTube clip about "ScoreBook Live".

<https://youtu.be/5-vDqrq52V0>

## WHY ASSISTANT COACHES SHOULD JOIN THE ASSOCIATION

A common question asked by coaches, especially assistants, "What are the benefits of joining the state association?" Below you'll find a list of benefits to joining the association compliments of Larry Wilson.

- ◆ Receive their own issue of Hooplines
- ◆ Can have a vote for North-South All Star Player that is nominated, either the assistant can vote for this or have his head coach vote for a player.
- ◆ Receive Century Awards for their wins
- ◆ Son or Daughter is eligible for one of the 15 Coaches scholarships that is worth \$1,000
- ◆ Receive the Bob Arnzen Award
- ◆ Receive Assistant Coach of the Year Award
- ◆ Job Placement Service

*The most important thing is that it gives them years of being a member to the association which allows you to receive many of the honors in coaching. In a close vote for honors, a coach's years as a member of the OHSBCA is usually the final deciding factor in who is honored. The same goes for the coaches scholarship in which a member who has joined for a number of years, their son or daughter has a better chance of winning as opposed to a coach who has been a member for just a few years. Last Spring 2016, out of the 15 coaches scholarships, 10 scholarships went to sons/daughters of assistant coaches (Assistants, Junior Varsity, or Junior High Coaches).*

