

Assignment

Coaching Evaluation Scenario # 2**Note on your evaluation "Scenario # 2" at the top of the paper.**

You are the athletics director at a moderately successful athletic department in a rural setting. The realistic goal for your teams is to have a winning record most years. A sectional championship or state ranking would be an outstanding season. This evaluation is for a girls' track and field head coach. A summary of the season is listed below for your evaluation.

Season Accomplishments over the last four years:

2005 – 3rd at Sectional, 2nd at conference meet

2006 – 2nd at Sectional, 1st at conference meet

2007 – 3rd at Sectional, 3rd at conference meet

2008 – 2nd at Sectional, 2nd at conference meet

The head coach is a solid organizer of her program. She addresses administrative items (paperwork and requests) from the athletics director in a timely manner. The coach does not spend a great deal of time working with other coaches to get the best student-athletes in the school out for the track team. Parents generally like the coach and student-athletes like competing for the coach. As the athletics director, you believe the team could contend for a sectional championship most years if the best athletes were out for the sport. Team discipline is good and you think the coach is a good fit for the school. The program is generally well-regarded in the school and serves students in an acceptable manner. You would like to see more time dedicated to the program throughout the year by the coach. Prepare a narrative evaluation which can better prepare the coach this off-season to improve in 2009.

Remember the following areas we addressed in class.

- Recap the year (schedule summary)
- Review the coaching staff (assistant coaches)
- Financial Matters
- Parent Support Group
- Safety
- Camps/Player development
- Practice observations
- Administrative items/paperwork
- Organizational skills
- Communication with stakeholders
- Discipline