

## **Post Season Sportsmanship for District and state competition**

Rules for post- season sportsmanship come directly from the Idaho High School Activities Association and are very specific. Violations of these rules can result in probationary status, fines or suspension of the season for our school. Fans who continually exhibit un-sportsmanlike behavior will be asked to leave.

### **From the IHSAA Manual:**

The following sportsmanship rules will be in effect at all IHSAA state play-ins and championship events as well as district tournaments and state play-in games.

1. Face Painting Full or half face painting is not permitted. Partial face painting is permitted (i.e. small markings on cheeks, nose, forehead).
2. Posters/Banners/Signs All signs must display only positive support for one's own team.
3. Artificial Noisemakers Artificial noisemakers are prohibited.
4. Balloons: Balloons are not permitted at any IHSAA state play-in or championship event.
5. Attire Bare chests are not permitted. Shirts must be worn.
6. Inappropriate Behavior : The following are not permitted:
  - a. Throwing objects onto (or entering) the playing area before, during or after a contest.
  - b. Verbal harassment or derogatory remarks directed toward an opponent or official. This includes yelling and stomping during foul shots and yelling such things as "Air Ball" and "You got swatted". It also is inappropriate to criticize officials by name during a game or to accost an official at any time.

### **Signs**

Signs and banners will be limited to the area in front of each school's assigned cheering section.  
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We want to present the best of Lapwai fans to all other teams and crowds. Please respect all teams and officials in a positive manner.