NSEA & NCA: Coaches Encouraged to Become Members in Both Organizations

Any coach with experience will confirm this fact: A winning record comes with time, a solid foundation and a good team.

NSEA has all of those attributes and more.

The Nebraska State Education Association has been working to improve, advance and defend public education and educators since the Association was founded in 1867. NSEA is 100% memberdriven and member-led. Members decide the direction of the organization, which issues to work on and who they elect to represent them. The Association has a strong team, including 18 on-the-ground, experienced and tested organizational specialists. They are former teachers, negotiators and association leaders and are spread across the state to represent and work with you.

NSEA is the only education association in Nebraska advocating for competitive salaries, well-funded extra duty pay schedules, and a pension system that will allow educators to retire with dignity. NSEA created and represents you on the Educators Health Alliance to provide you with quality, affordable health insurance.

The Association serves educators at all levels, all disciplines and at all stages of their teaching careers. That includes service to the coaching ranks, where scores of veteran, respected coaches, and Nebraska Coaches Association Executive Director Darin Boysen, have given dual membership their full support.

Each organization offers unique benefits

and protections, Boysen said.

"When a coach has membership to both the NCA and the NSEA, he or she has created an educated and winning team."

In an edition of the Nebraska Coaches Association magazine, Boysen wrote:

"In Nebraska, by state law, employment as a coach receives very little protection. A coach employed by a school district is an at-will employee. Simply put, a school district is not required to give a reason for termination or non-renewal of a coaching position.

"As a classroom teacher, your rights can be far more protected, largely in thanks to the efforts of the Nebraska State Education Association (NSEA). For several years, the NCA and the NSEA have encouraged coaches to be members of both organizations if employed as both a teacher and coach in a school district."

Have a job-related issue of any kind? Get assistance immediately by calling NSEA at 1-800-742-0047.

Save Money, Too!

Finally, who doesn't want to save cash? Through the NSEA and the National Education Association, you can save far more than the cost of membership each year. Using NEA's Member Benefits program, you can save on home loans, auto loans, insurance, credit card services and other items. Find more at www.neamb.com

A membership in NSEA is a sure way to a winning teaching and coaching career!



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Brandon Detlefsen Central City Public Schools

- Technology Director, Teacher
- Former business and technology teacher
- Central City-Fullerton-Centura High School Baseball Coach
- Middle School football, American Legion baseball coach
- NSEA and NCA member since he began teaching and coaching

Membership is being involved in something that's bigger than us and can support the education world in general. It's being a part of an organization that's above us that can help us all, and help the kids.



Shawn Carr Seward Public Schools

- Social Studies Teacher
- Varsity Softball, Middle School Basketball Coach
- 2017-18 Central Conference Coach of the Year
- 2017-18 NCA Softball Coach of the Year

It's good to be a part of an organization that supports educators and schools. It has been great to connect with other educators and coaches through the associations.



Kathleen Craig North Platte Public Schools

- Agriculture Education Teacher
- FFA Advisor
- Varsity Swim Coach
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Being a member of both the NCA and the NSEA means I can dive into my coaching and teaching with a splash of encouragement and a lifejacket at the ready.





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