

HYPE: 2009

KHSAA Student Leadership/Sportsmanship Conference

DATE/TIME

Wed., August 26, 2009 - 8 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. (ET)

LOCATION

The 2009 Hype Student Conference will be held at Heritage Hall which is the bottom level of the Lexington Center (next to Rupp Arena).

TRANSPORTATION

Transportation to and from the event will be the responsibility of the local school.

LODGING

Any lodging required will be the responsibility of the local school. Both the Hyatt Regency and Lexington Downtown Hotel (formerly Radisson) offer lodging within walking distance of the Convention Center.

LUNCH

Lunch will be on your own at the Food Court inside the Lexington Center Shops (Arby's, Subway, A&W, etc.).

MATERIALS

Conference materials and handouts will be distributed at registration.

WHO CAN ATTEND

Attendance is open to all high school (9-12) student-athletes (including cheerleaders) and chaperones/administrators. Those who have attended a previous conference are not eligible to attend.

Over the years, schools have sent captains of their sports teams while others sent one representative from each athletic team. The number of attendees from a particular school is restricted to 18. Please note that attendance is limited to the first 400 students. Previous conferences were at capacity.

PROGRAM

The program will include four breakout sessions and a featured closing guest speaker. Students who attended the NFHS Student Conference will assist with the program. This year's featured speaker is Harvey Alston. Mr. Alston will discuss how to "Be The Best".

FOCUS

While we train our coaches, administrators and officials, we hope to focus on our athletes from dealing with parents to peers. Group discussion will be the main focus with college/high school facilitators utilized to drive discussion and ideas.