



31st Annual MIAA Leadership Training Institute Application Form

Name: _____

Title: _____

School/Organization: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip Code: _____

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Work Phone: _____

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Shirt Size: _____

Supervisor Information

Name: _____

Title: _____

School/Organization: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip Code: _____

Email: _____

Telephone: _____

Signature: _____

The signature of the supervisor approves the applicant for participation in this training from January 22-26, 2018. This approval assures that the applicant is free from school responsibility and committed to full attendance. The program is limited to 30 participants. Sign up soon and don't be left out.

Please return to: MIAA, Attn: Peter Smith, 33 Forge Parkway, Franklin, MA 02038
Phone: 508-541-7997 Fax: 508-541-9888

31st Annual



Leadership Training Institute

January 22-26, 2018

Educational athletics and activities are an extension of the classroom that provide outstanding opportunities to teach life lessons. Through participation, young people learn values and skills that help prepare them for the future and the resulting positive outcomes continue far beyond graduation.



*Sponsored, facilitated and directed by the
MIAA Educational Athletics Staff*

*Featuring national trainers:
Kevin Ringhofer and Marty Harding*



Participants in the 30th Annual Leadership Training Institute (2017)

PROGRAM OVERVIEW

Nationally, over ten million students are involved in athletics and school activities. Through participation in these programs, students become role models, for better or worse, in their schools and communities. Therefore, school activities provide an excellent opportunity to set positive standards for participants, peers, families and fans.

The MIAA Leadership Training Institute is designed as a training forum to address these opportunities. For over 30 years, the MIAA has been training education professionals to enhance school programming related to alcohol, tobacco and other drug (ATOD) prevention, wellness, student leadership and sportsmanship. Current issues relating to choices surrounding opioids, sexting, and teenage dating violence will be addressed.

This program will provide an opportunity for member schools to showcase their successes, network and learn from the experiences of other school leaders, as well as expand their local core of volunteer leaders.

Member schools are invited to nominate candidates for the 30th Annual MIAA Leadership Training Institute. Thirty individuals will be selected for this five-day residential program. The cost of training, educational materials, hotel accommodations and meals will be covered by the MIAA. Please note the following participation requirements:

- *Participants must make a full five-day commitment to the program*
- *Participants are required to stay at a local hotel arranged by the MIAA*
- *All sessions are mandatory and will be held at the MIAA Office or local hotel*

Space is limited – Please submit your application soon!

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The positive educational outcomes of interscholastic athletics and activities do not happen by chance. They happen because teacher-coaches, activity advisors and school administration adopt an intentional and purposeful approach to the interscholastic athletic and activity experience.

Content areas will include:

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| * Using Teachable Moments | * Staff Training and Development |
| * Supporting Social-Emotional Development | * Being a Positive Example |
| * Reduce ATOD through School Activities | * Responding to Student Problems |
| * Enforcing Rules for Effective Prevention | * Dating Abuse and Safe Dating |
| * Design a Successful Preseason Meeting | * Heroin and Prescription Painkillers |
| * Facilitation and Training Techniques | * Social Media Choices |
| * Plan and Conduct Leadership Workshops | * Hazing/Sexual Harassment |
| * Identify Helpful Resources | * Five Pillars of Educational Athletics |

This program is ideal for administrators, teachers, athletic directors, coaches, activities directors, wellness/health coordinators and guidance counselors.

"The lessons I learned at the Leadership Training Institute have helped me, as a teacher, athletic director, and coach, reshape my programs and put focus on helping the whole student. Since the training, I have hosted a "Captain's Workshop" for 10th and 11th grade varsity athletes to both teach them the values of being a well-rounded leader, and to address their concerns through group and individual discussion. The lessons learned, as well as the relationships I have formed through LTI, are priceless. Not only have I suggested this training to my athletic director colleagues, but I would recommend anyone who works with students (especially student-athletes) to consider applying to participate in LTI."

Matthew Bonenfant – Gateway Regional High School Athletic Director

"The Leadership Training Institute was the most rewarding professional development I have ever attended. It was a great opportunity for professionals to share and improve current practices. I would highly recommend this program to any professional trying to make a difference in the field."

Ryan Murphy – Pope John XXIII High School Athletic Director