

Coaches and Advisors Training Requirements

The first year of our new training requirements is almost passed. So as we prepare for next year, I want to be sure everyone knows and understands the policy.

1. All registered head coaches and advisors **MUST** take the OSAA certification training once in their career. This must be complete before the team is registered or practices.
2. ALL registered coaches (this includes assistants, drill, etc.) **MUST** attend the OHSET Coaches and Advisors training (in person) once every two (2) years – this means if you did not attend in the 2012/2013 season (this past January), then you must attend in October. This training will be offered twice in 2013:
 - Saturday, October 19 in Roseburg or the vicinity
 - Sunday, October 20 in The Dalles or vicinity
3. Your team may not register or practice without the completion of both trainings.
4. In case you're thinking of becoming a "clinician" instead of a "coach," remember a couple of things:
 - There is no liability or medical insurance provided contractors
 - There must be a registered coach at all team practices
 - Clinicians make **NO** decisions about varsity vs junior varsity
 - Clinicians have no standing at a meet
 - If you are working with athletes more than a few times, you are a coach and training is required