Good morning!

Hope you had a great game last night!

First of all, today is Pearl Harbor Day....just a quick personal moment of silence for all of the lost sailors at Pearl and for all of our veterans.

An addition to yesterday's clip....take a look again <u>here</u>. I intended to mention the issue about the coach reaction before the whistle was blown, but forgot....and several responses brought it up!

THIS is a GREAT situation to give a coach's WARNING. Personally, I am usually a T or nothing official, but the warning here is warranted. The coach basically was a quick volcano. SOME sort of addressing it is needed. If you go talk to him, then put it in the book. Tell the book "Please write in the margin somewhere that we have a warning on the head coach for black at (whatever the time on the clock is of quarter X)."

As was discussed in several presentations at the convention last August, WE need to address sportsmanship because it is OUR game. NOBODY ELSE will address it so we must. As my better half reminded us repeatedly in her presentation, 'We are the guardians of sportsmanship.' Think about that. The coach doesn't have to go Kim Mulkey on us to get our attention (but usually hers are obvious and warrant a flagrant technical foul right away!). When I saw this clip for the first time, the actions of the coach drew my attention to him. He jumped and was 'several' feet on the floor.

Lisa's convention (as well as others) are located at: http://www.piaa.org/officials/convention/default.aspx. Click on '2022 Convention Presentations' so see it (Kim Mulkey is there!) AND many other presentations by sport!

THANKS for those who reply with what they see in these clips. It is fantastic that conversations are generated from them! I have also received several clips from people this week to use – that is GREATLY appreciated! My close friends always have a goal of 'not making the tip of the day' but they always want people to learn and get better, so MANY thanks to them!

Wednesday Extra: Remember that if you have a technical foul, let your assignor know since he/she will many times get a phone call about it! If you have an ejection, complete the report at http://www.piaa.org/officials/forms/dq/ as soon as you get home from your game so it is waiting for Pat and the staff at the PIAA office in the morning.

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