Coaches,

The following information will help you prepare for the 2017 season.

**Membership Dues**:

Must be postmarked by January 23,2017. They are $75.00 and checks should be made payable to THSPA and sent to the following address. Please include the membership form with payment.

THSPA

Box 1072

Crowley, TX 76036

* A Membership Application form and rule books can be printed off the website: www.thspa.us
* Any school that does not have their dues postmarked by January 23rd**, 2017**, and still wishes to lift will have to pay a $200.00 fine before their lifters can compete.

**Invitational Meets:**

* Please keep in mind that all meet results must be sent via e-mail as a .psm file attachment. The association provides Powerscore software free to member schools and you can download the latest version from the website. Meet results are due by 4:00 PM the Monday following the meet. If you cannot have them to me by that time make sure to contact me, otherwise the results will not be accepted.
* If you are planning on hosting a meet, please remember that I must certify that meet prior to you holding the meet as well as the results of that meet for the standings to reflect the results of your meet. *Meet results from schools that have not paid membership dues by the deadline may be withheld or dropped and all standings for the region will be affected.*

**Important Dates:**

* January 23rd – State membership dues must be postmarked
* February 25th – Last qualifying date (*results on this day must be received by midnight)*
* February 27th – 4:00 P.M. is the deadline for weight declarations for double qualified lifters.
* March 4th – Regional Meet– Lindale HS
* March 25th – State Meet – Taylor County Expo Center, Abilene, TX

I will post more information about the Regional Meet as we get closer to the end of the season. If you have not received an email from me, please send me your email address to help with communication.

If I can be of assistance in any way, do not hesitate to contact me.

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