



Support Items Allowed at MHSAA Post Season Events

The following sport support items are allowed for the specified sport. **ONLY** those items marked with "YES" are allowed during post season play (district, divisional, and state). It is recommended that schools follow these regulations during regular season play.

SPORT	BB	CC	FB	GO	SB	SO	SW	TE	TR	VB	WR
Banners on wall/stadium	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Signs on sticks, 12" or shorter	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Confetti/Paper debris	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
Air Horns	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
Vuvuzelas	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
Noise makers (horns, cow bells, bells, buzzers, clickers, plastic containers, or any artificial or mechanical noisemakers – including Thundersticks)	No	Yes-except electronic or air amplified	Yes-except electronic or air amplified	No	Yes-except electronic or air amplified	Yes-except electronic or air amplified	No	No	Yes-except electronic or air amplified	No	No
Megaphone 8" or smaller	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Running flag around the floor, field	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
50-50 drawings	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
Formation of "rally lines" by spectators, fans, and/or students	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
During introductions – players leaving the playing floor or entering spectator section	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
Players (or anyone else) throwing objects into spectator section	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
Laser Lights	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
Pom Poms (shakers) 12" or shorter	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Spirit Towels											
Balloons	The use of balloons will be determined by each individual facility or site for district and divisional tournaments. <u>Balloons are not allowed at indoor state tournaments.</u> Balloons cannot be used as noisemakers, e.g. popped or squeezed, at any indoor association event (regular season or tournament).										

Additional items/activities that are deemed unsafe and/or unsporting or that interfere with competition may be prohibited by tournament management.

Legend: BB----- Basketball FB----- Football SO ---- Soccer TR-----Track & Field
 CC ---- Cross Country GO---- Golf SW---- Swimming VB-----Volleyball
 SB----- Softball TE----- Tennis WR-----Wrestling