AIA SCHOOL EVENT ANNOUNCER GUIDED ANNOUNCEMENT

You may wish to give the following outline to your game announcers for their use when opening interscholastic contests:

WELCOME & OPENING REMARKS

The team, coaches, cheerleaders, student body and fans of High School extend to each of you a big welcome! We are pleased that you could be here tonight as our guests.
High School and High School are playing this game tonight through an agreement entered into by both schools.
Please remember that the two teams competing here tonight are members of the Arizona Interscholastic Association and abide by the rules and regulations set forth by the Association to maintain and improve high standards of conduct, competition and relations with member schools. At tonight's gamethe Arizona Interscholastic Association asks you to watch and cheer for your team in the spirit of good sportsmanship. Good sportsmanship is an individual responsibility and spectator behavior should represent respect for the opponenttheir spectatorscoachesand the game officialsas well as your school and its representatives. The athletes performing tonight are friendly rivals of opposing teams, they are not enemies. Aggressive or threatening behavior from spectators, or any other inappropriate activity at tonight's game will result in possible prosecution from law enforcement personnel.
The officials for tonight's game are The officials are men/women who, are assigned by Arizona Interscholastic Association Commissioners, to administer the rules of the game. Their experience and their integrity qualify them for their part in this interscholastic contest. The attitude of sportsmanship should be reflected by all spectators, no matter what their personal feelings of loyalty may be to one or the other teams in tonight's contest.
Please remember to Pursue Victory with Honor.
In a few minutes we will have the starting lineup of each team. At this time we ask that you

please stand for the invocation and/or national anthem.