

**North Texas Football Chapter  
Texas Association of Sports Officials  
Board of Directors Policy**

**Dress Code**

The North Texas Chapter of the Texas Association of Sports Officials is a professional organization and its members, when representing this Chapter, shall maintain a professional appearance and decorum.

Each official shall ensure proper dress and conduct to create a favorable impression while traveling to and from the game site, when arriving at the game site, and when meeting with school officials.

Varsity games require extra consideration. The following items identify proper dress for travel to and from varsity games:

- No denim jeans
- No collarless shirts
- No shorts of any style
- No earrings, studs or pierced body parts of any kind; this includes sub varsity ballgames
- Shirttails must be worn inside pants
- No caps other than those with TASO or Chapter logos
- Dress hats are acceptable headwear
- All caps and hats must be neat and clean
- Acceptable footwear shall be dress shoes or dress boots

The dress code applies to officials working on the field as well as those on the sideline for the game. Officials on the sideline to keep fouls for the crew may change into their game shoes after arriving at the game site.

The crew chief shall provide a written report of any violation of the dress code to the Board of Directors prior to the next meeting. The Board of Directors shall review the report and take appropriate action.

This policy was adopted and approved by the Board of Directors on November 7, 2016 and shall remain in effect until amended or revoked by the Board.

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