

PIAA FOOTBALL OBSERVER'S EVALUATION FORM

GAME SITE: _____ **GAME DATE:** _____

TEAM/SCORE: _____ **vs.** _____

WEATHER: _____

FIELD CONDITIONS: _____

COMMENTS: _____

Please make specific note of any unusual occurrences. Please note any weather situations, unsportsmanlike conduct, ejections, injuries, or any circumstances that do not normally occur in a high school football game.

START TIME: _____ **END TIME:** _____ **GAME LENGTH:** _____

NAMES OF OFFICIALS

R: _____

U: _____

L: _____

LJ: _____

FJ: _____

SJ: _____

BJ: _____

Rate this game (1) to (5) with (5) being the most difficult: _____

OBSERVER: _____

Each section below is worth the number of points listed. All points are to be earned and not just awarded. Items listed under headings are areas that need observation. If these areas are handled appropriately, please indicate by signifying with a (√) check mark. If these areas are exceptional indicate with a (+) plus sign and if these areas are not adequately fulfilled, please utilize a (-) minus sign. Comments on each official are vital and required. Please complete penalty chart for each foul that occurs and list appropriately.

OBSERVATIONS	R	U	L	LJ	FJ	SJ	BJ
1. PRE-GAME AND APPEARANCE (5)							
bring teams from lockers							
warm-up observations							
coin toss mechanics							
neat/clean/no visible flags							
physical condition							

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2. MECHANICS (25)							
NFHS signals							
start/stop clock – out of bounds							
start/stop clock – penalties							
spot of ball							
set chains/measurements							
change of possession							
use of bean bags							
ball relay							
end of period							
3. POSITIONING (25)							
kickoffs							
at the snap							
goal line							
run plays							
pass plays							
punt/scrimmage kicks							
keeps up with action							
time outs							
4. RULES APPLICATION (15)							
NFHS penalty enforcement							
judgment							
consistency							
special plays							
halftime enforcement							
5. COMMUNICATION (15)							
with crew members/working as a unit							
eye contact w/crew							
with players							
with coaches							
with press box							
with chain crew							
6. TEAM BOX/SIDELINE (8)							
out of bounds plays							
sideline enforcement							
coaches/players conduct							
7. DIFFICULTY OF GAME (7)							
crowd/sideline pressure							
effect on calls							
game control							
TOTALS OF ALL SECTIONS							

COMMENTS: Please document items that evaluate these officials as a crew and as individuals.

Crew:	
Referee:	
Umpire:	
Linesman:	
Line Judge:	
Field Judge:	
Side Judge:	
Back Judge:	

IF MORE SPACE IS NEEDED, PLEASE USE ANOTHER SHEET