



**New Hampshire Athletic Directors Association  
Spring Conference 2022  
Sheraton Portsmouth Harborside  
Presents:  
*Connections***



**WEDNESDAY, MAY 25, 2022**

**8:00 AM – 12:00 PM**

**LTC Course 716 - Amphitheater**

**12:00 PM – 12:45 PM**

**LUNCH for LTC participants – Harbor’s Edge Room**

**1:00 PM – 5:00 PM**

**LTC Course 700 - Lear Room and LTC Course 630 Gardner Room**

**3:00 PM – 5:00 PM**

**Vendor Set Up and Registration - Grand Ballroom/Ballroom Lobby**

**3:00 PM – 5:30 PM**

**AD’s and Coaches Registration - Hotel Lobby**

**5:15 PM – 5:30 PM**

**Vendor Meeting – Grand Ballroom**

**5:30 PM – 6:30 PM**

**BBQ Dinner and Reception – ADs and Vendors – The Edge (weather permitting) or Prescott Room**

**6:45 PM – 8:00 PM**

**NHADA Workshop # 1 ~ Harbor’s Edge Room**

***Sponsored by: Special Olympics New Hampshire***

**School Culture: How it affects fan behavior and sportsmanship efforts**

***Gary Stevens, CMAA, Athletic Administrator at Thornton Academy, Saco***

***Maine and Assistant Executive Director of the Maine IAAA***

This session will focus on how to re-teach students to behave appropriately especially at athletic contests. Covid wreaked havoc on student behavior with virtual learning and disrupted routines and not attending athletic events. Athletic programs are a reflection of our community and parents too need to understand the expectations at school events.

**8:00 PM – 10:30 PM**

**Visit Exhibits – Grand Ballroom/Ballroom Lobby**

**10:30 PM – 11:30 AM**

**Hospitality Gathering – Hotel Lobby: Two Fifty Market and Harbor’s Edge Room**

**THURSDAY, MAY 26, 2022**

**6:30 AM – 8:00 AM**

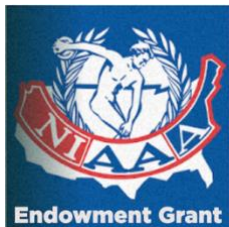
**Breakfast – Harbor’s Edge Room**

**8:00 AM – 9:30 AM**

**AD Registration – Hotel Lobby**



8:15 AM – 9:30 AM



**NHADA Workshop Session #2 - Prescott Room  
Taking CARE of the Athletic Department**

***Sponsored by: The NIAAA Endowment Fund Grant Program***

*Ari Shapiro Miller, the Assistant Director for Student -Athlete Mental Health & Performance at Johns Hopkins University.*

This session will focus on student athlete anxiety and the mental health of the athlete, coach and Athletic Director.

9:30 AM – 11:15 AM

**Visit Exhibits – Conference Gift – Ballroom Lobby**

11:15 AM – 12:30 PM



**NHADA Workshop Session #3 - Prescott Room**

**Exploring Legal Competencies: Understanding Issues Regarding Transgender Student Athletes, Title IX and the Impact of Diversity, Equity and Inclusion**

***Sponsored by: Dave Ayotte & Associates, LLC***

*James A. O'Shaughnessy, J.D.*

*Drummond Woodsum Attorneys at Law*

This session will focus on the rights and legal implications regarding transgender student athletes, Title IX investigations and the impact of DEI in schools.

12:30 PM – 2:30 PM

**Luncheon & Keynote Speaker – Harbor's Edge Room**

**Dave Flint, Head Women's Ice Hockey Coach – Northeastern University**

3:15 PM

**Turf Management – The Links at Outlook  
310 Portland Street Berwick, Maine**

**FRIDAY, MAY 27 2022**

7:00 AM – 9:00 AM

**Breakfast – Harbor's Edge Room**

9:00 AM

**NHADA Business Meeting – Harbor's Edge room**

Registration is on AMP: [nhada.finalforms-amp.com](http://nhada.finalforms-amp.com)

LTC course registration is also on AMP. It is a separate registration from the hotel and conference registration.



HOTEL:

Sheraton Portsmouth Harborside  
250 Market Street  
Portsmouth, NH