



TSHSAA is a Christian organization. While member families or participants are not required to sign a Statement of Faith, any organization member considered for a leadership position including coaches, directors, board members and other leaders will be required to sign a Statement of Faith for eligibility for such a position. Organizational leaders will also be expected to lead and instruct from a Christian viewpoint.

TSHSAA board members & sport directors must be able initial each statement, sign, and agree with each statement of faith.

TSHAA coaches & other leaders must read, initial, and sign that they are willing to uphold, respect, and not detract from these when we are in practice or at a Hornets event.

\_\_\_\_\_ The Bible is the only inspired, authoritative, infallible, and inerrant word of God. The Scripture is God-breathed and useful for teaching, rebuking, correcting, and training.

\_\_\_\_\_ There is only one living and true God manifested in a Holy Trinity: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

\_\_\_\_\_ God created the Earth and everything in it. He created man in his image, and woman He created out of man. He created two genders, male and female. Attempting to create a separate gender, or assuming the identity of a gender different than the gender of your birth questions God's authority over creation and His sovereignty over our lives. Therefore, we believe transgenderism has no place in the Christian worldview.

\_\_\_\_\_ God designed marriage and He defined marriage as a monogamous relationship between a man and a woman. Therefore adultery, polygamy, and any form of romantic relationship that involves anything other than a man and a woman (as defined at their birth) is unacceptable in the Christian worldview.

\_\_\_\_\_ Jesus Christ is the Son of God, was born of a virgin birth, lived a sinless life as both fully God and fully man, died and shed his blood on a cross, and was resurrected for our atonement and redemption.

\_\_\_\_\_ All people are sinners. They can be forgiven of their sins only by the blood of Christ when they trust in the Lord Jesus Christ alone for their salvation.

\_\_\_\_\_ Each person has an eternal soul – the unsaved destined to an everlasting hell separated from God and the saved to spend an everlasting life with God.

\_\_\_\_\_ TSHSAA does not endorse or represent any one denomination, but does hold that Jesus Christ is the way, the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through Christ. (John 14:6)

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_