

Rising Star Advanced Camp

Feedback Summary Report

Based on 21 feedback form submissions received between June 30, 2026 and July 14, 2026.

1. Overall Satisfaction

“How satisfied were you with the Rising Star Advanced Camp?”

Response	Count	Percent
Extremely Satisfied	9	42.9%
Very Satisfied	10	47.6%
Neither Satisfied nor Dissatisfied	2	9.5%
Total Responses	21	100%

2. Would You Recommend This Camp?

Would you recommend this Camp to another official? Why or why not?

This was an open-response question; answers have been grouped by overall sentiment below, with every comment listed in full.

Response	Count	Percent
Yes / Positive	19	90.5%
Negative / Concern raised	1	4.8%
Not answered	1	4.8%
Total Responses	21	100%

Comments provided:

rs1: Absolutely! For anyone wanting to gain the insight and knowledge on what it takes to become a High Level Official, this is the camp to attend.

rs2: There's too many officials per court. It would be perfect with 4 officials per court. Each official could get feedback and court time.

rs3: Yes. Good instruction for the time on the court and in the classroom.

rs4: Yes, very detail oriented, easy to work with and understanding.

rs5: Yes, great camp that teaches you so much.

rs6: Yes, quality games and quality clinicians.

rs7: Yes.....first rate clinicians that give true insight into the “why” of officiating.

rs8: Yes, great clinicians who gave immediate input on how to improve.

rs9: I would recommend this to other officials. The video session was great and the clinicians were top notch, providing valuable feedback.

rs10: Yes. I learned a lot of tips that I can implement to improve my game this upcoming high school basketball season.

rs11: Yes, lots of court time with competitive teams and instant feedback.

rs12: This camp is great for gaining the knowledge necessary to go forward with the goal of becoming a high level official.

rs14: Yes. Very good feedback on site and opportunity to listen as others receive feedback.

rs15: Yes I would recommend to another official because there is a lot more one on one with the clinicians than at other camps.

rs16: *Yes I would, this camp helped improve my reffing skills & helped me make a lot of good connections.*

rs17: *Defintely, plenty of feedback was provided from high quality officials. Really liked the how it was in and out in about 5 hours. Didn't drag on for 8-9 hours.*

rs18: *Yes, because it offers improvement for all officials regardless of experience.*

rs19: *Yes they really give you good feedback on your refing skills.*

rs20: *Yes, great feedback.*

rs22: *yes*

3. On-Floor Interaction

Did the Camp accomplish the goal of on-floor interaction between the official, fellow officials, and the Camp clinicians?

Response	Count	Percent
Yes	20	95.2%
No	1	4.8%
Total Responses	21	100%

4. Camp Organization

Was the Camp organized and did you know your next slot at all times?

Response	Count	Percent
Yes	21	100.0%
No	0	0.0%
Total Responses	21	100%

5. Session Ratings

Rate the “Calm During the Storm” session given by Edwin Young and Courtney Green

Response	Count	Percent
Very Satisfied	16	76.2%
Satisfied	5	23.8%
Total Responses	21	100%

Rate the OHSAA Mechanics session given by John Derrow

One respondent (rs8) did not answer this question.

Response	Count	Percent
Very Satisfied	13	61.9%
Satisfied	5	23.8%
Neither Satisfied nor Dissatisfied	2	9.5%
Not answered	1	4.8%
Total Responses	21	100%

Rate the Video Review session given by Steve Lazroff, Jarrod Davis and Lawrence Walden

One respondent (rs22) was not asked this question (shorter form variant).

Response	Count	Percent
Very Satisfied	13	61.9%
Satisfied	4	19.0%
Neither Satisfied nor Dissatisfied	2	9.5%
Dissatisfied	1	4.8%
Not answered	1	4.8%
Total Responses	21	100%

6. Usefulness of Clinician Feedback

Did you receive useful information from the clinicians towards your development as an official?

Comments below were provided under "If Yes, what was the most helpful to you?"

Response	Count	Percent
Yes	20	95.2%
No	1	4.8%
Total Responses	21	100%

Comments provided:

rs1: *Playing off of the back foot while in the slot and trail to avoid bailing out to fast.*

rs3: *Would have liked more real time feedback and correctable items for the games and then be able to put it in play while working.*

rs4: *Yes, learning 3 man operations for future use.*

rs5: *The little things to look for that will take you to the next level.*

rs6: *Slowing down and having a patient whistle.*

rs7: *Learning to apply on the what we've been taught.*

rs8: *A few positioning suggestions from the trail.*

rs10: *Small tips while they watched me work, between halves or between games they were very helpful without being pushy or rude about things that I could improve.*

rs11: *Use my voice on the court as a method of preventive/proactive officiating.*

rs12: *The most useful piece of info I received was to make sure to self talk while in the action. It is the most important convo you will have the entire night.*

rs13: *It would be nice to have more time to go over your game doing the Review. I was able to watch roughly 10 minutes before my next game. I was looking forward to the Review.*

rs14: *On floor discussions with evaluators and fellow officials.*

rs15: *Yes, right at the end was the best for me. I got a lot of useful information from Courtney and one of the other clinicians about court coverage.*

rs16: *What was most helpful for me was being told to wait for plays to develop & be patient.*

rs17: *Just that added confidence we all look for. Hearing the positive things from officials who are much further along makes me feel the work I am putting in is working.*

rs18: *Court presence.*

rs19: *Being in the right position on the floor.*

rs22: *everything*

7. Comfort Applying What Was Learned

How comfortable do you feel applying what you learned to a real game now, compared to before camp?

Comments below were provided under “If Comfortable, what was the most helpful to you?”

Response	Count	Percent
Comfortable	19	90.5%
Neutral	2	9.5%
Total Responses	21	100%

Comments provided:

rs1: *Playing off of the back foot in the trail.*

rs4: *More at ease with positioning and signaling.*

rs5: *Seeing myself on film.*

rs6: *Better positioning and patience.*

rs7: *They helped validate things I was already doing and insight on how to do it better and more consistently.*

rs10: *Starting position as new lead in transition is something I will definitely use, also as the center after a shot making sure that I stay still to watch rebounding action and sprint down to the other end instead of a jog will look better and put me in a better position to make accurate calls.*

rs11: *Use my voice.*

rs12: *I learned how to now bail out on the possession just because the shot goes up. I had a habit of leaving early before the camp. I was able to break this habit and learned to lean when the shot goes up to train myself to stay attached to the play.*

rs14: *On floor specifics to my personal mechanics and positioning.*

rs15: *I thought it was very helpful when the clinicians were speaking to you while you were reffing, saying things like good call and nice job on that one.*

rs16: *Being patient & letting play develop before making a decision.*

rs17: *The reinforcement that I see plays correctly most of the time (no one's perfect) along with being told I look the part and hustle adequately.*

8. Handouts

Were the handouts available on the Rising Star Officials website Resources page helpful?

One respondent (rs3) did not answer this question.

Response	Count	Percent
Yes	20	95.2%
Not answered	1	4.8%
Total Responses	21	100%

9. General Comments

A few respondents left an opening general comment about the camp before answering the survey questions:

rs6: *The camp was great and I was able to learn a lot from the clinicians and classroom sessions. I did not receive any film review following my game on the video recorded court.*

rs8: *Great camp, best evaluation form I've seen in 25 years. Useful information to take with you to work on.*

rs15: *Very organized camp.*

rs17: *Thank You for the invite. It was well worth the small cost to attend.*