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"MHSAA is a private organization. We get no state funding. We're like the NCAA (National Collegiate Ath-

"Students ought to know what's required of them," replied the sponsor.

— Robert VanderLaan  
MHSAA lobbyist

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Lobbyist Eleanor Dillon said the

"I'm always hesitant about treading on the toes of local schools," said Rep. Susan Munsell, R-Howell. "An attendance policy is good, but it's one more thing we'd be forcing on local schools."

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There's still a tear  
on Sara's cheek

Sara's teenage brother is drinking  
and smoking pot.

Ever since she could walk he has  
taken her trick-or-treating. This year  
she tagged along with a friend  
because her brother broke his  
promise on this special night.  
"Doesn't he like me anymore," she  
wonders.

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