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BLOOMINGTON, ILL.--Bob Keck, veteran Illinois Wesleyan University track and field coach, will serve as chairman of the games committee for the National Collegiate Athletic Association Division III Championships at North Central College in Naperville Thursday through Saturday (May 29-31).

The seven-man committee is in charge of the conduct of the entire meet and will rule on any disputes that arise as well as supervising the other committees.

Keck, who is completing his 23rd year as IWU's track coach, also has one of his athletes in the meet. Ken Luck, junior discus thrower, qualified for the national when he threw the discus 155 feet 11 inches in the North Central Open recently.

Keck joined the IWU faculty in 1957 after earning his master's degree at the University of Illinois. He has been named Track Coach of the Year in District 20 (Illinois) of the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics three times. He also serves as an assistant coach of football and supervises the cross country and wrestling programs.

Keck moved to Arkansas with his family early in his junior year at Mount Pulaski High School. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Keck Sr., later returned to Illinois and now reside in Mount Pulaski.

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