

SPHSAA Section VI Monthly Report

February 2018



Congratulations Chapter VI: NYSAAA Award Recipients:

❖ NIAA Scholar Essay Winners: Abby Borkowski (Kenmore West) Michael Peppy (Maple Grove)

Community Service Award
Mike Masters (Cross Training Athletics)

Distinguished Service Award
Jim Spanbauer (Niagara Falls)

Judith Marten's Secretaries Award Peg Cook (Hamburg)

Athletic Director of the Year: Doug Ames (Newfane)

Section VI Post Season Calendar 2017-18:

http://www.section6.e1b.org/PostSeasonWinter

Section VI Post Season Admission Ticket Prices 2017-18:

http://www.section6.e1b.org/Admission

Welcome:

William Weidner - Athletic Director Pioneer High School

2018-2019 Classification Numbers:

<u>Cut-off numbers</u> <u>Sport Specific Classification cut-off numbers</u>:

Team Sports: Cheer: Division. 1: 750+, Division II: 0-749

5 classes: Baseball, Softball, B&G Basketball, B&G Soccer C. Country:* 4 classes → A: 830+, B: 446-829, C: 240-445, D: 0-239 7/17

AA: 965+, A: 500-964, B: 270-499, C: 150-269, D: 0-149 2/18 Football: AA: 1025+, A: 585-1024, B: 355-584, C: 230-354, D: 0-229 7/17

Ice Hockey: Large: 1000+, Small: 999 & down

<u>3 classes:</u> Field Hockey: A: 915+, B: 450-914, C: 0-449 B. Lacrosse: A: 1050+, B:750-1049, C:425-749, D:0-424 7/16 G. Lacrosse: A: 1075+, B:790-1074, C:475-789, D:0-474 5/16

Individual Sports: B. Volleyball: A: 950+, B: 0-949

Division I: 600+, Division II: 0-599 G. Volleyball:* AA: 950+, A: 598-949, B: 368-597, C: 221-367, D: 0-220 7/17

Maximum number of contests SPRING 2018 (High School)

 Baseball
 20

 Golf
 16

 Lacrosse
 16

 Softball
 20

 Tennis
 18

Outdoor Track 16 + + Indicates maximum number of contests in which an individual competitor may

participate

Reminders:

Basketball Seeding Meetings Saturday, February 17, 2018 9:00 am

at Erie 1 BOCES, 355 Harlem Rd., West Seneca, NY 14224 Boys Basketball in room B2a Girls Basketball in room B2b

212.7 Changes to the seeding are not allowed after the conclusion of the seeding meeting.

Note: Start Times for sectional contests are standardized, however if a legitimate need for a time change arises within a district, a request must be submitted in writing to the chairperson, before the seeding meeting.

Reminders – continued:

NYSPHSAA ONLINE Handbook Page 36 ByLaws & Eligibility #13

13. INTERSTATE CONTESTS:

Sanctioning is a means of encouraging well-managed competition. The sanctioning program has the primary purpose of protecting the welfare of high school students. A secondary purpose of the sanctioning program is to protect the existing programs sponsored by member schools. Schools may obtain information regarding the sanctioning process and print Application for Sanction forms (NYSPHSAA or NFHS applications) from the NYSPHSAA website.

- a. When schools schedule interscholastic contests with schools in other states, each school will observe its own state regulations and standards of eligibility.
- b. No member school will engage in athletic competition, scrimmage and/or practice with an outof-state school which is not a member in good standing of its respective state high school athletic association or has not been approved by the respective state association if the school is ineligible to join. Furthermore, member schools will not compete in any interstate contest which is sponsored solely by an outside agency. For dual contests, it is the school's responsibility to determine that these criteria are satisfied.
- c. A member school wishing to host a contest involving an out-of-state school must file an application for Sanction for any contest involving four or more schools, or any contest involving three or more states. Timeline, application fee and application form information is available on the NYSPHSAA web site, http://www.nysphsaa.org.
- d. A member school planning to participate in an interstate contest involving four or more schools, or any interstate contest which is co-sponsored by an organization other than a member high school, must give notice of entry to the NYSPHSAA, Inc., office so that the school may receive verification that the contest has been sanctioned.

NOTE: Failure to comply with the above regulation may cause a team or individuals to be ineligible from that date of participation for the remainder of that sport season.

Notice of Entry: http://www.nysphsaa.org/ADs-Coaches/Submit-Information-Online/Notice-of-Entry-Sanctioning

Additional Information for Sanctioning: http://www.nysphsaa.org/ADs-Coaches/Sanctioning

SANCTIONING of interstate and international contests is carried out by the National Federation to curb abuses which might result without such a program. Applications for sanction are carefully reviewed to assure that students will not be exploited and that certain programs are not overemphasized to the expense of others. http://www.nysphsaa.org/ADs-Coaches/Sanctioning

Quote:

@LeadershipCures: Effective influences are able to see the situation from everyone's perspective.