

Athletic Council Meeting May 15, 2013

**SECTIONAL/ INTERSECTIONAL COMMITTEE
April REPORT
Chairperson: Timm Slade**

Action Items for the Athletic Council

- 4.1 Approval: Fall Pre-Season Reports including discussed adjustments.
- 4.1 Approval: to not support the use of lines people in girls volleyball.

MINUTES SECTIONAL/INTERSECTIONAL COMMITTEE

April 25, 2013

Attendance (* indicates present)

Sect/Insect: Buff: Aubrey Lloyd CCAA: Ben Drake* ECIC: Jim Graczyk*
NFL: P.Burke* NO: Dave Carson*

Section Reps: Timm Slade*, Mark DiFilippo, Don Scholla*, Cindy Bullis*

1.0 Sports Concerns:

1.1 Officials' contract negotiations

The next contract negotiations' meeting is scheduled for Monday, April 25, 2013. Items to be addressed include the number of officials for JV baseball and softball and the number of officials (3) for varsity boys lacrosse.

2.0 Section Concerns

2.1 Section VI Combining of Schools Committee

A proposal was finalized at the April 18th, 2013 meeting and will be submitted for approval at the May 15th Section VI Athletic Council meeting.

3.0 NYSPHSAA Concerns:

3.1 Football numbers update

A vote is anticipated at the May 2nd state meeting regarding Section I's football classification proposal, which if passed would begin in the 2014-2015 school year. The proposal requests that football follow the 5 classifications. K. Stoldt has conveyed that the football committee is in support of this proposal. Due to time constraints, T. Slade will e-mail all Section VI athletic directors asking for their position on this item in order to give D. Scholla (Section VI Boys Representative) and C. Bullis (Section VI Girls Representative) direction for the state meeting.

4.0 AC Action Items for the May athletic council meeting to include:

4.1 Approvals: sports' reports

a) Fall pre-season reports

Girls Soccer: the practice start date error of 8/12 will be changed to 8/19

Girls Volleyball: **Recommendation:** to not support the use of lines people

Cross Country: Championship venue states Elma Meadows; however, other venues are being reviewed.

Boys Volleyball: T. Slade to contact the Section VI Boys Volleyball Chairman concerning the sectional finals venue.

b) Winter post-season reports

All winter post-season reports are due May 1st. These reports will be reviewed at the next sectional intersectional committee meeting.

c) Winter financial reports

- T. Slade to e-mail gate and expenses for this winter's wrestling finals at UB.
- Girls Ice Hockey – not all reports are submitted
- Boys Ice Hockey – there is a refund, but as per the Ice Hockey Task Force and Section VI policy, the refund must be made in the form of a dues reduction for participating schools.

5.0 Old Business

5.1 Championship Balls

Spalding footballs will be used at Ralph Wilson stadium for the 2013-2014 championship football game.

5.2 Cheerleading – Section VI invitational

T. Slade is requesting that the sectional intersectional committee reconsider having a Section VI cheerleading invitational. Sectional intersectional committee members will seek input from their respective league regarding this matter. This agenda item will be re-added to the September 12th, 2013 sectional intersectional committee meeting.

5.3 Spring Sport Chairs' Terms

There is still a need for a girls' golf chair person.

5.4 Section VI Wall of Fame

T. Slade has scheduled Sunday, August 25th for the Wall of Fame Golf Tournament. The tournament will be held at Holland Hills Golf Course at a cost of \$75 per person. T. Slade to inquire about a stipend for the Section VI Wall of Fame Chairman at the finance committee meeting to be held this afternoon.

6.0 New Business

6.1 Corporate Sponsorship

The state association has reviewed the current practice of corporate sponsorship. The state executive director has expressed interest in overseeing statewide sport's ball agreements. It is anticipated, in the near future, that Section VI will have to go through the state office instead of dealing with the vendor(s) directly. The intention of this process is to have a state ball. In addition, R. Zayas, NYSPHSAA Executive Director, has been working on a formula, where revenue would be distributed back to the sections.

6.2 CCAA Re-alignment

The CCAA has re-aligned geographically (most sports). Section VI office staff will contact D. Cassidy for updated sport chairs' information to distribute to Section VI sport chairs and for the update of sport handbooks.

6.3 Fall Sport Handbooks

Once the pre-season reports are approved (May athletic council meeting) the handbooks will be sent to the Section VI chairman to update for the upcoming fall season.

Respectfully Submitted,



Beth Fadeley

DATES FOR 2013-2014 teleconference meetings 9:00 am: (THURSDAYS):
Sept. 12th, Oct. 24th, Jan. 2nd, Feb. 27th, Apr. 24th