



MINUTES - Athletic Director's Meeting

October 2, 2023

Location/Room - Erie 1 BOCES Room B-2a

9:00am Secretaries Meeting

10:00 AM - Activity Board

11:30 AM - Lunch

12:00 PM – Meeting

ATTENDANCE (present):

Adam Erickson	X	Dave Hack	X	Kristin Tonge	X
Amy D'Amato	X	Eric Rupp	X	Marc LaMorticella	X
Ben Drake	X	Greg Witman	X	Marisa Fallacaro-Dougherty	X
Bill Weidner	A	Jared Northrup	X	Matt Adams	X
Brian Hickson	X	Jason Iwankow	X	Nicholas Suchyna	X
Brian Lombardo (C.K.)	X	Jason Lehmbbeck	X	Robert (Bob) Skoczylas	X
Carrie Vetter	X	Jason Przybysz	X	Robert Adams	X
Casey Snyder	X	Joe DeMartino	X	Thomas Adams	X
Chris Mucica	X	John Klein	X	Tim Klimtzak	X
Christopher Schiumo	A	Ken Partell	X	Vinny Dell'Oso	X
Daryl Besant	X				

Opening Remarks (Dave Hack):

- Division Breakouts: UNIFIED Basketball & Bowling: Bowling - **email all coaches with Bowling alignment. Basketball – each school needs to decide if they're playing participation or for competitive**

Athletic Directors (Dave Hack):

- Next Meeting is Monday 11/6/2023 @ E1B Room B2a

President's Report (Dave Hack):

- Approval of Minutes from September 11, 2023 Meeting – **West Seneca and Clevehill first and second approve and JP**
- Integrity of contests – **honor your league schedule, play games until completion and avoid forfeits.**

Executive Director's Report (Jim Graczyk):

- Office Communications: Any needs?
- Reminder: changing dates, times, contests requires a conversation with opposing school Athletic Office

- Section/League Coaches Meetings: Winter 11/8/2023, Spring 3/6/2024
- Confirm Jamestown Baseball NOT in ECIC Spring 2024 – IN for Baseball and Track
- Winter Champ sites: Need an ECIC Wrestling Venue !! Possible Lancaster, will know by tomorrow 10/3/23
- Section VI & ECIC Coaches Meeting Dates: ECIC Schools HOST ? Orchard Park is showing interest in hosting the Winter meeting.
- Consider FALL Modified “Saturdays” scheduling – continue to investigate

Activity Board (Marisa Fallacaro-Dougherty, Vinny Dell’Oso, Dave Hack):

- SPRING 2024 Dates with League contests at end of season -
- Track Champs: Review, Format ? - make decision in the November meeting and give recommendation to the Track Chairperson
- Dates: B. Hickson
- UNIFIED Sports & League Scheduling

Section VI/NYSPHSAA Report (Marisa Fallacaro-Dougherty, Vinny Dell’Oso, Dave Hack):

- Report from 9/20 section VI meeting : Notes sent via Email 9/20/2023
- Boys Golf needs a new Section Chair

Committee Reports:

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| • Sectional/Intersectional | Jason Przybysz (9/14) |
| • Modified | Ken Partell (9/13, NYSPHSAA 9/28) |
| • Safety | Eric Rupp |
| • Chemical Awareness | Jason Iwankow |
| • Finance | Brian Hickson (9/14) |
| • Sportsmanship | Sandy Gauthier |
| • Combining of Schools | Daryl Besant |

Old Business:

- ECIC Coaches & Student Athlete Sportsmanship Award Nominees – 1 patch, per division and sport. (boys / girls)

New Business:

- Girls LAX alignment 2024
- Softball/Baseball: season End date& seeding Meeting
- B&G Basketball; B&G Soccer: OPT OUT Date earlier, Split Classes

Good of the Order:

- ECIC Student Leadership Summit (SAAC) Update: J. Lehmbeck (Site, Date) – Wednesday, March 27th at Orchard Park, 5 kids per school, looking for Speakers
- Girls GOLF Champs – prices sent by email
- Modified FH on 10/28 : Will South – Cancelled; Amherst & Pioneer - still on

- Cheektowaga will JV Girls Basketball will be Independent and not offer Varsity Basketball this season.

Next Meeting Dates:

Athletic Directors - 11/6/2023 @ E1B Room B-2a

Athletic Council - 11/8/2023 @ E1B Room B1