

ATHLETIC COUNCIL MEETING May 20, 2009 – Agenda Item 12.0

**SECTION VI PRE-SEASON REPORT
ICE HOCKEY 2009-10
Chairperson: Mark DiFilippo**

1. 2009-10 will mark our 20th year of the WNYVHF. We plan to do some different things to showcase our anniversary including a seasonal program including history and stats from the past 20 years.
2. We will be welcoming our 23rd and 24th teams – North Tonawanda and Lewiston Porter.
3. We will be broken into 4 divisions –2 large and 2 small. They will look like this:

Large Schools

Division 1

Niagara Falls
Lancaster
Lockport
Frontier
Orchard Park
Clarence

Division 2

Canisius
St. Joe's
Kenmore West
North Tonawanda
Niagara Wheatfield
Williamsville North

Small Schools

Division 3

Sweet Home
Kenmore East
Williamsville South
Williamsville East
Amherst
Lewiston Porter

Division 4

West Seneca West
Hamburg
St. Francis
West Seneca East
Timon
Nichols

4. We will be holding our 3 Sectional Championships at HSBC arena on Sunday February 28, 2010.
5. Our Division 1 Champion will travel to Section 1 for Regionals and our Division 2 Champion will go to Section 9 on Saturday March 6.
6. 2010 State Championships will be held Saturday and Sunday March 13 and 14 at the Utica War Memorial.
7. Still working on the other Sectional dates and playing sites.

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Assistant Chair	Chris DeMarco
Secretary	Brett Banker
Treasurer	Nancy Riccio
Discipline & Rules	Kevin Lester
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