

Athletic Council Meeting May 18, 2011 - Agenda Item 6.2

SECTIONAL/ INTERSECTIONAL COMMITTEE May 2011 REPORT Chairperson: Timm Slade

Action Items for the Athletic Council

- 1.2 Approve scheduling baseball regional contests on a Sunday in 2012.
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 - 6.1 Accept Girls and Boys Volleyball, Girls Gymnastics and Girls Soccer pre-season reports as submitted.
All but Girls Volleyball **APPROVED Athletic Council May 18, 2011**
Girls Volleyball with the exclusion of linespeople added to match protocol **APPROVED Athletic Council May 18, 2011**
 - 6.2 Accept Winter 2011 post-season reports and Winter 2012 pre-season reports as submitted.
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- Informational Items**
- 1.2 The Divisional Track proposal for 2012 is not recommended.

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Attendance (* indicates present)

Sect insect: Buff: Aubrey Lloyd CCAA: Ben Drake*, Paul Ksionzyk ECIC: C.DeMarco*(for J.Graczyk)
NFL: C.Bullis (for P.Burke) NO: Dave Carson*

Section Reps: Timm Slade*, Loren Ratajczak*, Don Scholla*

Sportchairs: Jim Walker*-Boys Basketball

Items highlighted in yellow are reminders to the responsible parties. Green when completed.

1.0 Sports concerns:

- 1.1 Track: The Divisional Track proposal for 2012 was discussed. It was agreed that although it is a good concept, league championships may be negatively affected. The proposal is not recommended.
- 1.2 NYSPHSAA approved conducting Regional baseball on a Sunday with Section approval. The Section VI baseball committee requests permission to conduct the regional contests in Section VI on a Sunday in 2012. Rationale includes a) Educational: athletes do not miss school or play late on a school night b) Financial: increased attendance on a Sunday c) An extra rain date becomes available. The majority was in support.

Recommendation: Approve scheduling baseball regional contests on a Sunday in 2012.
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2.0 Section Concerns

- 2.1 Venues:
 - a) Ralph Wilson (football): The Bills organization has verbally agreed for Section VI usage on a Thurs./Fri. at a reduced cost. **T.Slade and K.Stoldt will meet with the CEO in the near future.**
 - b) All High Stadium: Buffalo has signed a venue contract for usage of the stadium at a cost of \$450 for boys lacrosse and \$450 for girls lacrosse, reduced from the original estimates.
- 2.2 Section VI **Cheerleading Championship/ Chairman was placed on hold** until after the NYSPHSAA meeting May 6.

3.0 NYSPHSAA concerns:

- 3.1 Cheerleading as a sport will be voted on at the May NYSPHSAA Executive Committee meeting May 6. League votes on this issue, due April 29, will give direction to our reps.

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4.0 AC action items for the next Athletic Council meeting to date include:

4.1 [Senior All-Star](#) and [Outside Agency Contests](#)- League reps are asked to remind AD's that applications must be in by **Fri. May 13** for approval at the next AC meeting!! Check the charts at the hot-links for current approvals.

4.2 [Combining Schools](#) requests for fall sports are due at the May meeting and must be in by **Fri. May 13** for approval at the May AC meeting!! Check the chart at the hot-link for current approvals.

4.3 Action items for MAY include appointments for Winter Sportchair positions, Boys Sports Rep to the Central Committee and Section VI President-Elect. Click here for [Current Nominees](#)

5.0 Old Business

5.1 Section VI Championship facility at ECC: The final proposal for costs related to resurfacing the turf field and track and adding lights is almost complete. When the proposal is complete, **corporate sponsors will be sought**. Ciminelli, Benderson, Musco Lighting as well as construction companies that receive bids from Section VI member schools will be contacted.

5.2 Remuneration for Boys Ice Hockey Chairperson position: T.Slade has discussed the responsibilities of the position with M.DiFilippo and will be meeting with him in the near future. **Mr. Slade was advised to also meet with the Executive Board of the Hockey Federation to discuss a more appropriate remuneration.**

6.0 New Business

6.1 [2012 Pre-season fall sports reports](#): G & B Volleyball, Girls Gymnastics, Girls Soccer

- Girls Volleyball is proposing that the use of lines people during the regular season be returned to match protocol. The waiver for use of linespeople was approved for 2010-11 only. **It will be verified at the May 6 state meeting if a waiver for linespeople must be section-wide. League reps were requested to be prepared to vote on a waiver for linespeople in 2011-12 at the May 18 Athletic Council meeting.**

Recommendation: Accept Girls and Boys Volleyball, Girls Gymnastics and Girls Soccer pre-season reports as submitted. All but Girls Volleyball **All reports except Girls Volleyball APPROVED Athletic Council May 18, 2011.** Girls Volleyball with the exclusion of linespeople added to match protocol **APPROVED Athletic Council May 18, 2011**

6.2 [2011 Post-Season Winter Reports](#) and [2012 Pre-Season Winter Reports](#) were reviewed

- Boys Basketball: Plans are to split Class C. It was noted that this will be beneficial for the Class C schools.
- Wrestling: The National Federation has updated weight classes. There is no longer a 96# class. 106# will be the lowest weight class. NYS has not adopted the new classes to date. **T.Slade will report back on any new developments.**

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6.3 [Fall Sports Handbooks](#): Sportchairs have been requested for updates.

6.3 All agreed to the following meeting dates for 2011-12: **Sept. 1, Oct. 27, Jan. 5, Mar. 1, Apr 26**
It was noted that although the BOCES are on split winter and spring breaks, some schools will maintain the 2-week break (e.g. Niagara Falls).

Proposed meeting dates for 2011-12 for approval at the May AC meeting

Athletic Council (Wed.): Sept.21, Nov.16, Jan.18, Mar.21, May 16

Exec. Comm. (Wed.): Above dates plus Oct.19, Dec.14, Feb. 15, Apr. 18, June 13

Sec/Intersect (Thurs. 9am):Sept. 1, Oct. 27, Jan. 5, Mar. 1, Apr. 26

Finance (Thurs 12pm): Sept. 1, Oct. 27, Jan. 5, Mar. 1, Apr. 26

Sportchair Pre-season Meetings (Wed. 3:00pm) Fall 6/22/11, Winter 9/28/11, Spring 1/25/12

Other dates:

- NYSPHSAA Meetings: 8/2-4/11, 10/23-24/11, Jan 2012 TBA, 5/4-5/12, 7/31-8/2/12
- The NYSAAA Conference is scheduled March 14-17, 2012
- Erie 1, Erie 2, Catt-Allegany and NO BOCES and Buffalo breaks for 2011-12 are:
Winter: Feb. 20-24 and Spring: April 6-13, 2012

**DATES FOR 2011-12 teleconference meetings 9:00am-noon: (THURSDAYS):
Sept. 1, Oct. 27, Jan. 5, Mar. 1, Apr 26**