

**ATHLETIC COUNCIL MEETING March 25, 2009 – Agenda item 11.0**

**PRE-SEASON REPORT  
SECTION VI GIRLS TENNIS 2009  
Chairperson: David Coates**

1. We would like to hold the 2009 Section 6 tournament at The Lakewood YMCA in Jamestown on October 30 & 31, with at starting time of 1pm on Friday. The earlier starting time would be helpful for the number of teams that will need to make it back to the Buffalo area Friday night. I would recommend at 2pm starting time on Saturday. The State tournament will be held November 7-9 in Syracuse. I have already secured court time at The Lakewood YMCA for next year. The contact person is Tom Anderson at The Lakewood YMCA
2. The league chairpersons would like the Team Championships to be part of the regular schedule that comes out in the spring. The schedule could indicate when the 1<sup>st</sup> round, 2<sup>nd</sup> round and 3<sup>rd</sup> round matches would be played. This would make transportation much easier to arrange for the visiting teams. I would be happy to work with whoever makes up the schedules for the ECIC and NFL to assure correct dates. We tried to get this done this year, but were not completely successful.
3. I would also strongly recommend The Miller tennis Facility not be used in the future for sectionals as they are not reliable. This year they cancelled in late September and I then had to scramble to find a new facility will to host sectionals. Lucky for us The Village Glen was able to accommodate our needs. I will look into the possibility of The Southtowns Tennis Center hosting sectionals for 2010.

Dates for 2009 Girls Tennis

Seeding Meeting:

Date: October 25, 2009  
Time: 5:00 PM  
Site: John Evans on Niagara Falls Blvd. in Amherst

Sectionals

Date: October 30 & 31, 2009  
Time: 1:00 PM Friday & 2:00 PM Saturday  
Site: Lakewood YMCA

State Championships

Seeding Meeting: November 7, 8:00 PM  
Date: November 7-9, 2009  
Time: 9:00 AM  
Site: Eastside Racquet Club, Manlius, NY (Section 3)

Tentative Challenge Match Schedule Higher seed hosts match

Wed.	10/14	4:00	1 <sup>st</sup> Round Matches (ECIC/NFL)	(Gold, Silver, Bronze Tournament)
Fri.	10/16	4:00	2 <sup>nd</sup> Round Matches (ECIC/NFL)	(Gold, Silver, Bronze Tournament)
Tues.	10/20	4:00	3 <sup>rd</sup> Round Matches (ECIC/NFL)	(Gold, Silver, Bronze Tournament)
Wed.	10/21	4:00	Championship Matches (ECIC/NFL)	(Gold, Silver, Bronze Tournament)

Respectfully submitted,  
David Coates, Chairperson