

DISTRICT III P.I.A.A. BOARD MEETING

Mt. Laurel Conference Building

Nov. 4, 2012

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A meeting of the District III Committee was called to order at 9AM by Chairman Sam Elias. All members were in attendance except Dale Myers, David Reeder and Cindy Rinehart. Also in attendance were Program Chairman Pete Fackler, Football Chairman John Ziegler, Wrestling Chairman Randy Umberger and Web Master Rod Frisco.

Football Tournament

Final standings along with sites and times were presented by Football Chairman John Ziegler and approved on a motion by Don Seidenstricker with a second from Mike Craig.

Pete Fackler explained the distribution of the programs and the deadline for materials to be included.

Report of the Secretary

The minutes from the September 12, 2012 meeting were approved on a motion by Hal Griffiths with a second from Tory Harvey.

Report of the Treasurer

No written report was presented since they are done on a quarterly basis.

Eligibility Rulings

Confirmation of the following prior approvals by the Executive Director was approved on a motion by Pat Tulley with a second from Adam Sheaffer.

Article VI, Section 4 (Waivers)

Trinity – Lovisa Faladottir, Abigail Zonarich, Claire Harter

Brandywine Heights – Charles Collazo

Christian School of York – J.T. Jiang

Wilson – Tajiri Suarez

Lancaster Co. Day – Spencer Rhoads, Juan Pena, Cole West, Boris Huang, Kelly Gentry

Antietam – Demaraqca Swan-Armstrong

Lancaster Co. Christian – Chadwick Boronow

Susquehanna Township – Dominique Garza, Lamont Lamb

Harrisburg Academy – Yitu Lu

West York – Daulton James

Cumberland Valley - Madison Torresin, Colby Beck

Bishop McDevitt – Matthew Martinez, Eric Contreras, Justin McCarthear

York Catholic – Megan Ritchie, Dous Kim

Bible Baptist – Emma Horton

Conestoga Christian – Minami Sakamoto

Harrisburg Christian – Erin Bashore, Kelsea Oravic

Antietam – Joseph Sotelo

Lancaster Mennonite – Madison Reeser

Lancaster Catholic – Mariah Stoutzenberger

Gettysburg – Clay Kocsis

Central Dauphin – Marcus Morgan

York Suburban – Austen Smith

Article VII (Foreign Exchange Students)

20– (J-1) Visa

A letter and supporting materials was received from Garden Spot High School requesting an additional year of eligibility for Juwan Lewis which was approved under Article VIII, Section 6B on a motion by Tory Harvey and a second from Mike Craig.

A letter and supporting materials was received from East Pennsboro High School requesting an additional year of eligibility for Jose Battle under Article VIII, Section 6B which was approved on a motion by Adam Sheaffer with a second from Mike Craig.

A letter was received from Dallastown High School reporting a violation of Article III (attendance) by mixing players with another school in a JV Hockey game so that the game could be completed. The Committee accepted the actions the school has taken so that it does not happen again on a motion by Hal Griffiths with a second from Don Seidenstricker.

Action/Discussion Items

A request from Lancaster Co. Christian to drop their Co-op with McCaskey in Softball and start their own team was approved on a motion by Pat Tulley with a second from Mike Craig.

A request from Dayspring Christian to drop their Co-op with Veritas in Basketball was approved on a motion by Hal Griffiths with a second by Adam Sheaffer. Each will have their own team

Co-op's in the following were approved:

Bowling between Lancaster Mennonite as host and Pequea Valley on a motion by Mike Craig and a second by Adam Sheaffer

Wrestling between Twin Valley as host and Conestoga Christian on a motion by Pat Tulley with a second by Adam Sheaffer

Girls / Boys Soccer between Warwick as host and Veritas on a motion by Dave Bitting and a second from Hal Griffiths

On a motion by Don Seidenstricker with a second from Dave Bitting the following were approved to do power ranking for winter sports:

Bob Baker – Boy's Basketball

Rod Frisco – Girl's Basketball & Wrestling

Due to the illness of the tabulator for Girl's Soccer the work was completed by Bob Baker and Rod Frisco. It was determined that the stipend should be divided with 40% to the ill tabulator, 40% to Rod Frisco and 20% to Bob Baker. This was approved on a motion by Rich Czarnecki with a second from Hal Griffiths.

A motion by Tory Harvey with a second from Rich Czarnecki was approved to allow Bob Baker to purchase a new computer and related equipment not to exceed \$2000.00.

Rod Frisco was given permission on a motion by Mike Craig with a second from Don Seidenstricker to purchase a "smart phone" for District use.

Dave Bitting, Track Chairman, was requested to secure a written contract with Shippensburg College for the District Track Meet, the understanding of T-Shirt sales and related college help.

A letter received from a District school expressed concern over having to count special education students from other schools who have enrolled in their special classes which inflates their enrollment. This will be discussed with the State Office.

Some time was spent discussing the large number of fall disqualifications to date with no action taken.

Information on Team Wrestling was presented for Committee review by Randy Umberger, Wrestling Chairman, This was approved on a motion by Don Seidenstricker with a second from Mike Craig.

An agenda for the upcoming meeting of the Swimming and Diving Committee was presented by Swimming Chairman, Don Seidenstricker, reviewed by the Committee and approved on a motion by Dave Bitting with a second by Cathy Wreski.

Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 1:45 PM

Respectfully submitted,
C. Wendell Hower

C. Wendell Hower, Secretary
District III, P.I.A.A.

Next Meeting
December 5 @ 8:30AM
@ Hershey Lodge