

PRINCIPALS: Please Share These Minutes with Your Athletic Director Regular Meeting of PIAA District 6 – August 12, 2008

* Principal passes will be sent to the principals next week

Call to Order of the August 12, 2008, Meeting

Chairman Wotkowski called the meeting of the District 6 Committee to order at 10:00 AM at the Scotch Valley Country Club. Present were: Raymond Wotkowski, Alberta Ake, David Crumrine, Ralph Cecere, Kathy Getz, Charles Glasser, Donald Hosterman, Kim Hubler, Michael Hudak, Vince Nedimyer, James Price, Dean Rossi, Kenneth Salem and Curtis Whitesel.

Approval of Minutes

On a motion by Dean Rossi and Michael Hudak, the minutes of the June 12, 2008 meeting were approved.

Financial Reports

On a motion by Curtis Whitesel and James Price, the Committee unanimously approved the July 2008 Financial Report.

District 6 paid the PIAA membership dues for all the District 6 schools for the 2008/09 schools.

Eligibility Hearings

On a motion by Dean Rossi and Kenneth Salem, eligibility was granted to Tyler Drapcho, transferring from Bald Eagle Area to Bellefonte. Tyler is eligible to participate in football, basketball and baseball at Bellefonte, with a 14-0 vote.

On a motion by Dean Rossi and Donald Hosterman, an eligibility hearing was held for Jereme Murray, transferring from Altoona Area to State College Area. Jereme is eligible to participate in football, basketball and track and field. The vote was 13-0-1; Vince Nedimyer abstained from voting.

On a motion by Ralph Cecere and Alberta Ake, an eligibility hearing was held for Joshua Beck, transferring from Central Cambria to Bishop Carroll. Joshua is eligible to participate in football and baseball, with a vote of 14-0.

On a motion by Kim Hubler and Curtis Whitesel, eligibility was granted to Adam Bray, transferring from Bishop McCort to Richland. Adam is eligible to participate in all sports at Richland. The vote was 13-0-1; Kenneth Salem abstained from voting.

On a motion by Vince Nedimyer and David Crumrine, eligibility was granted to Alexa Bray, transferring from Bishop McCort to Richland. Alexa is eligible to participate in cross-country and track and field at Richland. The vote was 13-0-1; Kenneth Salem abstained from voting.

On a motion by Donald Hosterman and Ralph Cecere, eligibility was granted to Trevor Nahodil, transferring from Tri Valley to Bald Eagle Area. Trevor is eligible to participate Basketball at Richland. The vote was 13-0-1.

On a motion by Vince Nedimyer and James Price, eligibility was granted to Lauren Catherman, a student at Bald Eagle Area based on continued enrollment. Lauren is eligible to participate in volleyball and track and field, with a vote of 14-0.

On a motion by James Price and Curtis Whitesel, eligibility was granted to Brandon Harrigan, transferring from Windber to Bishop McCort. Brandon is eligible to participate in football, basketball and track and field at Bishop McCort. The vote was 13-0-1; Kenneth Salem abstained from voting.

On a motion by Michael Hudak and Donald Hosterman, eligibility was granted to William Dill, transferring from Ferndale to Bishop McCort. William is eligible to participate in football, basketball and golf at Bishop McCort. The vote was 13-0-1; Kenneth Salem abstained from voting.

On a motion by Charles Glasser and Kathy Getz, eligibility was granted to George Bealonis, transferring from Laurel Valley to Bishop McCort. George is eligible to participate in football at Bishop McCort. The vote was 13-0-1; Kenneth Salem abstained from voting.

On a motion by Dean Rossi and Vince Nedimyer, eligibility was granted to Chaz Merriman, transferring from Westmont Hilltop to Bishop McCort. Chaz is eligible to participate in football and track and field at Bishop McCort. The vote was 13-0-1; Kenneth Salem abstained from voting.

On a motion by James Price and Donald Hosterman, eligibility was granted to Nicholas White, transferring from Forest Hills to Bishop McCort. Nicholas is eligible to participate in football and baseball at Bishop McCort. The vote was 13-0-1; Kenneth Salem abstained from voting.

On a motion by Kim Hubler and Curtis Whitesel, eligibility was granted to James Marafino, transferring from North Star to Bishop McCort. James is eligible to participate in soccer at Bishop McCort. The vote was 13-0-1; Kenneth Salem abstained from voting.

On a motion by James Price and Alberta Ake, eligibility was granted to David Burkett, transferring from Windber to Bishop McCort. David is eligible to participate in soccer and track and field at Bishop McCort. The vote was 13-0-1; Kenneth Salem abstained from voting.

Foreign Exchange Eligibility Hearings

On a motion by Alberta Ake and Kenneth Salem, the following students have a J1 VISA and are approved to participate in sports:

Agatha Dirks	Forest Hills	Tennis	Germany
Annika Bethan	Richland	Tennis	Germany
Bernardita Schuwirth	Hollidaysburg	Softball	Chile
Hannah Wolf	Huntingdon	Track & Field	Austria

Information

Please fax or mail your football schedules to Tom Elling at 220 South Fairview Street, Lock Haven, PA 17745 or (FAX) 570-748-8631, as soon as possible.

Principal passes will be mailed to the principal offices before the first play date. Assistant principal passes are available upon request and are only distributed to the secondary level member schools.

The District 6 Handbooks will be mailed to the athletic directors.

There was a motion by Michael Hudak and Vince Nedimyer to award second place team trophies at our District 6 Championships, with a vote of 13-1.

Donald Hosterman and Kim Hubler made a motion to email a survey to all athletic directors for non-support or support of an extra inning softball procedure which places the last complete batter from the previous inning on 2nd base to start the 10th inning.

Meeting location

The meeting location has been changed from Hollidaysburg SH to the Altoona SH boardroom.

Transfers

Immediate eligibility is granted for complete families moving into a school district. Please ask the athletic period of participation question for all students. Court appointed, foster students, and split family 1st moves are also immediate eligibility cases.

The Next Meeting – Change of Location

The next meeting of the PIAA District 6 Committee will be held on **Tuesday, September 9, 2008, at the Altoona Area Senior High School at 3:30 PM.**

Respectfully Submitted,
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Secretary/Treasurer