

PRINCIPALS: Please Share These Minutes with Your Athletic Director
Regular Meeting of PIAA District 6 – October 4, 2018

Call to Order of the October 4, 2018, Meeting

Chairman Marshall called the meeting of the District 6 Committee to order at 3:31 p.m. at the Penn Cambria High School.

Present were: Michael Cacciotti, Ralph Cecere, Joe Gironda, Charles Glasser, Kim Hubler, Michael Hudak, Matthew Jioio, Ken Kerchenske, Susan Kovensky, William Marshall, Jacquelyn Mento (*Recording Secretary*), James Price, Jody Rainey, Lori Ratchford, Phil Riccio, Curt Vasas and Curtis Whitesel. Brandon Bailey, Rudy McCarthy, and Sherry Montgomery were not present.

Approval of Minutes

On a motion by James Price and Susan Kovensky, the minutes from the September 5, 2018 meeting were unanimously approved.

Financial Reports

On a motion by Curt Whitesel and Ken Kerchenske, the Committee unanimously approved the September 2018 Financial Report.

Old Business

Items such as TIKATAP, ticket prices, and the PIAA BOD Meeting to be held on November 14, 2018 was discussed. The Committee also took the following actions:

On a motion by Phil Riccio and Jody Rainey, the Committee unanimously approved LHAC Championships as presented in letter by Scott Close, Laurel Highlands Athletic Conference Executive Director. The Committee also noted that no contest points will count toward playoffs.

On a motion by Ralph Cecere and Curt Vasas, the Committee unanimously approved the purchase of Globe Tickets at a cost of \$3,630.

On a motion by James Price and Susan Kovensky, the Committee unanimously approved the Valley Printing and Design of Letterhead at a cost of \$73.14.

New Business

Eligibility Hearings

Eligibility was granted to the following students. Due to scheduled hearings, and the existence of Principal sign-offs avowing that no athletic intent existed by both sending and receiving schools:

Name	Grade	Transfer	Sport(s)	Motion
Robert Brantner	9	Williamsburg to Mount Union	Did not participate in sports*	Cacciotti, Kerchenske
Dalanie DiSabato	10	Altoona Area to Bishop Guilfoyle	Volleyball, Indoor Track, Track*	Cacciotti, Kerchenske
Janessa Goins	12	Spring Mills WV to Hollidaysburg	Basketball, Track*	Cacciotti, Kerchenske
Jeffery Hendrickson	10	Boone Nebraska to Tyrone Area	Football, Wrestling, Track*	Cacciotti, Kerchenske
John Lewis	10	Greater Johnstown to Ferndale	Basketball	Cacciotti, Kerchenske
Joshua Moore	10	Washington SD to Richland	Cross Country, Basketball, Track*	Cacciotti, Kerchenske
Luke Scarton	8	Penn Cambria to Portage	Did not participate in sports at PCMS*	Cacciotti, Kerchenske

Foreign exchange eligibility was granted to the following students. Due to scheduled hearings, and the existence of Principal sign-offs avowing that no athletic intent existed by both sending and receiving schools:

Name	Transfer	Sport(s)	Motion
Ana Cerezuela Dominguez	Bellefonte Area HS	Cross Country	Gironda, Cecere
Zhihao Tan	Greater Johnstown S.D.	Basketball	Gironda, Cecere
Owen Yang	Bishop Guilfoyle	Cross Country, Tennis	Gironda, Cecere

Deemed ineligible for post season play:

Name	Grade	Transfer	Sport(s)	Motion
Paige Hunter	12	Tyrone Area to Bellwood	Cheer*	Hubler, Kovensky
Jeanna Karabinos	12	Freeport Area HS to Central Cambria	Track*	Hubler, Kovensky
Alexandra Kranich	11	St Joes to State College	Cross Country, Track*	Hubler, Kovensky
Nathaniel Larue	11	Greater Johnstown to Ferndale	Football, Basketball, Track*	Hubler, Kovensky
Saige Mazenko	11	Cambria Heights to Glendale	Cross Country (eligible for Track due to co-op) *	Hubler, Kovensky
Jazlynn Robb	12	Spring Dale PA to West Branch HS	Basketball, Track*	Hubler, Kovensky
Conner Smith	11	Glendale to Altoona	Wrestling	Hubler, Kovensky

* – Executive Committee tentative approval

Informational Items

- A. Bellwood Antis High School added Competitive Cheer
- B. Forest Hills High School added Competitive Cheer
- C. Curt Vasas provided the Committee with a Baseball Pitch Count Update
- D. WPIAL Presumptive Eligibility Statement will be finalized in November
- E. An update on the Saltsburg Forfeit Football was given by Ralph Cecere and Jody Rainey
- F. The State Competitive Cheer date was changed from January 18, 2019 to January 11, 2019

Sportsmanship

Michael Hudak informed the committee disqualifications. Also noting that if there are any reports to follow up on to contact him or Susan Kovensky.

For the Common Good

Ralph Cecere informed the Committee that the Football Playoffs Meeting that was scheduled to be held at the Altoona Field House has been changed to Manson Park on October 28, 2018 at 10:00 a.m.

Jody Rainey reminded the Committee to contact him at least one week prior to shipment of medals and or trophies. Also, that he will be looking into new ideas for trophies, possibly even plaques.

James Price informed the Committee that the Volleyball website is up and running.

Adjournment

With no further business to come before the Committee, Susan Kovensky moved, and Curt Whitesel seconded the motion that the meeting be adjourned. Time was 5:08 p.m.

The Next Meeting

The next meeting of the PIAA District 6 Committee will be held on Wednesday, November 7, 2018, in the Library of the Penn Cambria High School starting at 3:30 PM.