DISTRICT 5

PENNSYLVANIA INTERSCHOLASTIC ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

Arena, Bedford

August 1, 2007

PIAA District 5 Committee Members Present

- 1. Virgil Palumbo, Windber Chairman
- 2. Dave Koba, Conemaugh Twp Vice Chr.
- 3. Larry Palmer, Advisor Treasurer
- 4. Dick Fisher, Advisor SEcretary
- 5. George Knisely, Chestnut Ridge-Baseball 14. Audrey Hall, McConnellsburg Girls Soccer
- 6. Mike Panek, Tussey Mt. Cross Country 15. Ron Beachley, Davidsville Official's Rep.
- 7. Joe Kimmel, Shade Twp. Co-Football
- 8. Tom Vent, Berlin Co-Football
- 9. Max Shoemaker, Bedford

- 10. Todd Beatty, McConnellsburg Softball
- 11. Ralph DeMarco, Windber-Ath, Dir, Rep, Tennis
- 12. Jeff Batzel, Nor. Bedford-Ath. Dir. Rep. Track
- 13. Dawn Maluchnick, North Star-Volleyball

- 16. Chris Cronrath, Nor. Bedford School Board
- 17. Connie Mellott, So. Fulton-Female Parents
- 18. Randy Bussard, Retired-Male Parents
- 19. Paul Leonard, Shade-Technology Coordinator

Guests Present

- 1. Stacey Schmidt, North Star
- 2. Joe Bradley, North Star

- 3. Gary Buchsen, Windber
- 4. Rod Brumbaugh, Tussev Mt.
- 1. The District 5 PIAA Committee meeting was convened at 2:00.
- 2. Approval of June 13, 2007 minutes. Motion-Beachley, Hall
- 3. Approval of Treasurer's report and payment of bills. Motion-DeMarco, Vent
 - a. Website-\$50.00-To Paul Leonard
 - b. Payment of School Dues-\$10,650.00. Motion-Maluchnick, Panek
 - c. Payment of committee materials, Brief Cases-\$1,275.75, Shirts,caps-\$702.75
- 4. Committee sport chairmen were set for the 2007-2008 school year.
- 5. Mr. Palumbo explained state football proposals. They are now tabled for the next cycle The committee re-confirmed the new system to be used for football that was previously established.
- 6. The committee is in need of a principal's representative for Somerset County.
- 7. Shanksville and Berlin are working on a possible co-op in wrestling for grades 9-12. The paperwork is not in and approval will not be given yet.
- 8. Northern Bedford and Tussey Mt. have formed a golf co-op with Northern Bedford as the host school. Approved, Motion-Beachley, DeMarco.
- 9. The district Athletic Directors thanked the committee for the scholarship donation.
- 10. The PIAA is reducing the number of events in certain sports for the 2008-2009 school year. Details will be in the PIAA Handbook.
- 11. A hearing will be held concerning a Windber student transfer to Bishop McCort.Windber is not signing off, feeling it is athletic intent. Hearing is August 7 in District 6.
- 12. The website is up and running. More and more is being put on. We soon hope to have the entire district handbook on the website.
- 13. After a discussion of football officials for the district championship, it was proposed to have the Bedford crew officiate in the odd numbered years and the Somerset crew to have the even numbered years. Motion-Palumbo, Shoemaker. Passed 8-1.
- 14. A proposal will be made in the September meeting to make the Superintendent rep and the parent reps voting members of the committee.
- 15. Meeting adjourned at 4:00. Motion-Beachley, Hall.

Respectfully submitted, Richard W. Fisher, Secretary

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PIAA DISTRICT 5 COMMITTEE -2007- 2008

- 1. Virgil Palumbo, Windber Chairman, Boys Basketball
- 2. Dave Koba, Conemaugh Twp. Vice Chairman, Boys Soccer
- 3. Larry Palmer, Retired Treasurer, Advisor, Girls Basketball
- 4. Dick Fisher, Retired Secretary, Advisor
- 5. Max Shoemaker, Bedford Football, Private Schools
- 6. George Knisely, Chestnut Ridge Baseball
- 7. Mike Panek, Tussey Mt. Cross Country
- 8. Joe Kimmel, Chestnut Ridge Wrestling, Superintendent
- 9. Tom Vent, Berlin Brothersvalley Football
- 10. Todd Beatty, McConnellsburg Softball
- 11. Dawn Maluchnick, North Star Volleyball, Girls Athletics
- 12. Ralph DeMarco, Windber Tennis, Athletic Director Rep.
- 13. Jeff Batzel, Northern Bedford Track and Field, Athletic Director Rep.
- 14. Brown Cutchall, Forbes Road Golf, Junior High, Middle School Rep.
- 15. Audrey Hall, McConnellsburg Girls Soccer, Female Officials, Sportsmanship
- 16. Ron Beachley Male Officials
- 17. Chris Cronrath, Northern Bedford School Board Rep
- 18. Joe Renzi, Retired Advisor
- 19. Connie Mellott, Southern Fulton Female Parents Rep.
- 20. Randy Bussard, Retired Male Parents Rep.
- 21. Paul Leonard, Shade Technology Coordinator, Website
- 22. To be named Somerset Co. Principal