DISTRICT 5

PENNSYLVANIA INTERSCHOLASTIC ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

Location - Rizzo's, Windber

October 18, 2006

PIAA District 5 Committee Members Present

- 1. Virgil Palumbo, Windber Chairman
- 2. David Koba, Conemaugh Twp. Vice Chairman 12. Ralph DeMarco, Windber A.D.'s.
- 3. Larry Palmer, Retired Treasurer
- 4. Richard W. Fisher, Retired Secretary
- 5. Kerry Barefoot, Bedford
- 6. Michael Panek, Tussey Mt.
- 7. Joseph Kimmel, Shade Twp.
- 8. Thomas Vent, Berlin Brothersvalley
- 9. Todd Beatty, McConnellsburg
- 10. Ron Beachley-Male Official's Rep.

- 11. Dawn Maluchnick, North Star
- 13. Jeff Batzel, Northern Bedford A.D.'s.
- 14. Brown Cutchall, Forbes Road Jr. H.
- 15. Audrey Hall, McConnellsburg-Officials
- 16. Larry Garlock, Nor. Bed.-School Board
- 17. Joseph Renzi, Retired Advisor
- 18. Connie Mellott, Fulton-Female Parents
- 19. Randy Bussard-Male Parents
- 20. Michael Shaffer-Technology

Guests - Rod Brumbaugh, Tussey Mt. and Paul Leonard, Shade

- 1. The District 5 PIAA Committee meeting was convened at 2:05.
- 2. Approval of September 13, 2006 minutes. Motion-Palmer, Kimmel
- 3. Approval of Treasurer's report. Motion-Vent, Beachley
 - a. We are waiting for training on Great Plains program.
 - b. We probably need an audit. Mr. Palmer will check on prices.
- 4. Payment of bills. Motion-Hall, Kimmel
 - a. District committee passes. Richland Plastics-\$190.00.
- 5. Correspondence To:
 - a. All PIAA Official recommendations are in.
 - b. Mr. Palumbo has notified all principals of September 13 eligibility actions.
 - c. All fall Action Awards are in and given to chairmen.
- 6. Correspondence From:
 - a. Wilson footballs are in and Volleyballs are with Dawn.
 - b. Two sets of football evaluations are in to PIAA.
 - c. Soccer complaints have been received again. The committee voted to continue last season's process of having game observers at football and soccer playoff events to encourage sportsmanship. Observers will receive a \$50.00 fee and conduct a pregame meeting with game managers, officials, and coaches. Motion-Vent, Garlock.
 - d. Johnstown Christian did not attend PIAA rules meetings in boys and girls soccer.
 - e. Cooperative in Junior High Boys Track approved between Meyersdale and Salisbury. Paper work not in yet. Motion-Hall, Maluchnick
- 7. Approval of foreign exchange students. Motion-Panek, Batzel
 - a. Suzanne Knijnenburg, Netherlands Bedford
 - b. Verna Rath Kolb. Austria Bedford
 - c. Alberto Nava, Italy Bedford
 - d. Levi Schuurkes, Netherlands Conemaugh Twp.
 - e. Jey Kim, South Korea Johnstown Christian School
 - f. An Huang, Taiwan Johnstown Christian School
 - g. Jesus Zarate, Mexico Everett
- 8. New Business
 - a. A Star Sportsmanship Program is being sponsored in Pennsylvania. The district can select 2 schools or the PIAA will. Each building to receive \$1,000.00 per building.
 - b. The PIAA is collecting data on boys and girls cross playing on teams. Anyone having data send it to Mr. Palumbo.

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8. New Business continued

- c. The PIAA voted down 8 classes in football and play in for other sports.
- d. Mr. Palumbo has a Coaches Handbook on Drugs and Alcohol available.
- 9. Reports were presented by sport chairmen.
 - a. Golf 2007 tournament to be held at Great Cove. Motion-Hall, Vent
 - b. Cross Country First district 5 meet will be held at Bedford Vo Tech October 26.
 - c. Soccer Windber and Tussey Mt. will begin girls programs in 2007.
 - d. Reports were heard in tennis, volleyball, football, basketball, and wrestling.
- 10. The committee gave approval to a Basketball Official's Clinic to be held at the Bedford Middle School Gym on Sunday, November 12, 2006, from 1:00-4:00. We will sponsor this with the Official's Chapters.
- 11. The meeting was adjourned at 4:10. Motion-Kimmel, Hall.

Respectfully submitted,

Richard W. Fisher, District 5 Secretary

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