# PIAA DISTRICT FIVE

## PENNSYLVANIA INTERSCHOLASTIC ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

# Clara's Place, Bedford

May 9, 2012

### PIAA District 5 Committee Members Present

- 1. Virgil Palumbo, Windber-Chairman
- 11. Lori Seth, Johnstown Christian-Private Schools
- 2. Joe Kimmel Vice Chairman, Wrestling
- 12. Jeff Batzel, Northern Bed.-A.D. Rep., Track
- 3. Larry Palmer, Retired-Treasurer, Advisor 13. Ralph DeMarco, Windber-Boys Basketball
- 4. Richard Fisher, Retired-Secretary, Advisor14. Chris Cronrath, Northern Bed.-School Board
  - 15. Audrey Hall, Retired-Female Official's Rep.
- 5. Todd Beatty, McConnellsburg-Softball
- 6. George Knisely, Chestnut Ridge-Baseball 16. Terry Diehl. Retired-Male Official's Rep.
- 7. Dave Koba, Conemaugh Twp.-Boys Soccer17. Joe Hollenshead, Fulton Co.-Male Parents Rep.
- 8. Dawn Maluchnick, North Star-Volleyball
- 18. Paul Leonard, Shade-A.D. Rep., Girls Soccer
- 9. John Wiltrout, Meyersdale-Football
- 19. Joe Renzi, Retired-Advisor
- 10. Brown Cutchall, Fbs. Rd.-Golf, Girls Bball. 20. Jerry Shoemake, Tussey Mt. Cross Country
- 1. The District 5 PIAA Committee meeting was called to order by Mr. Palumbo at 9:35.
- 2. Approval of Secretary's Minutes of April 11, 2012. Motion-Leonard, Cronrath
- 3. Approval of the Treasurer's Report. Motion-Batzel, Cutchall
  - a. Approval of reconciliation of accounts. All good. Motion-Hall, Shoemake
  - b. Virgil will make purchase of District 5 playoff tickets.
  - c. Purchase of 12 District 5 Committee brief cases. Motion-Hall, Diehl
- 4. Correspondence From:
  - a. PIAA Official recommendations for Track, Baseball, and Softball are done. District 5 softball official problems were discussed by the committee.
  - b. Approval of foreign exchange student. Somerset Jappe Mo Reintjes, Netherlands. Motion-Cronrath, Maluchnick
  - c. Mr. Palumbo will serve as the District 5 member on the PIAA Cheerleading Steering Committee.

# 5. Correspondence To:

- a. Kendra Trail, Southern Fulton Superintendent, will come on the committee July 1 as the District 5 Superintendent's Representative for school years 2012-2013 to 2014-2015. The committee received a recommendation from Dwayne Northcraft, McConnellsburg Superintendent.
- b. The PIAA has approved co-op additions for Shade and Johnstown Christian School. Shade will host 7-12 football and 9-12 Boys Basketball. Johnstown Christian will host 9-12 Boys and Girls Cross Country. Motion To Approve-Leonard, Seth.
- c. Bedford and Somerset asked for consideration of a LHAC Wrestling Championship. No action. District 6 Committee will have to discuss.

#### 6. Discussion Items:

- a. Dissolving of the co-op between Southern Fulton and Everett in Cross Country pending Everett Board approval, Motion-Hollenshead, Cutchall
- b. August 1 meeting will be at Clara's, Best Western. The meeting will include 2012-2013 meeting dates and locations, playoff dates, basketball dates at UPJ, and co-op dates.
- c. Impact Concussion Testing A doctor must sign off. A physician's assistant cannot sign off. They can work with a doctor, but a doctor must sign.

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# 6. Discussion Items: - (continued)

- d. Mr. Batzel reported that the district should consider the purchase of a Track Automatic Timing System. Systems and prices will be considered by the committee.
- e. Spring game packets are ready for sport chairmen. There are no packets for the first round games, only comps for winners. Chairmen should run financial forms and game manager information for the packets.
- f. The Senior Exit Project for District 5 schools has received no replies so far.
- g. Minimum play dates for sports in the handbook to be checked for the June meeting.

#### 7. Reports:

- a. The baseball and softball seeding meeting will be Sunday, May 20 at 1:00, at Chestnut Ridge High School. George and Todd have the right to make playoff changes or the schedule if necessary. Motion-Hall, Kimmel
- b. The District Track Meet will be held May 16 at Northern Bedford. Rain dates May 18, 19.
- c. The June meeting will be Monday, June 11, at 9:00A.M., in the Board of Education Room at the Windber High School.
- 8. The meeting was adjourned at 11:45. Motion-Shoemake, Cronrath.

Respectfully submitted,

Richard W. Fisher, PIAA District 5 Secretary