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10. Brian Thompson, Berlin Bros. - Softball

12. Dr. Kathy Keafer, Jhn. Christian - Private

13, Brown Cutchall, Fbs. Road - Girls Bball.

15 Thad Kiesnowski, North Star -Volleyball

17. Mark Kudlawiec, Ch. Ridge - Supt. Rep.

14. Ralph Scott, Nor. Bed. - School Board

11. John Wiltrout, Meyersdale - Football

PIAA District 5 Committee Members Present

- 1. Paul Leonard, Shade Chairman, Boys Bball.
- 2. Jeff Batzel, Nor. Bed. Vice Chr, AD Rep., Track
- 3. Richard Fisher, Retired Secretary, Advisor
- 4. Larry Palmer, Retired Treasurer, Advisor
- 5. Kyle Kane, Bedford Golf
- 6. Jerry Shoemake, Tussey Mt. Cross Country
- 7. Meredith Hendershot, Southern Ful.-Girls Soccer 16. Terry Diehl, Retired Male Officials
- 8. Jim Foster, Conemaugh Twp, Boys Soccer
- 9. Scott Shirley, Somerset Cheerleading

Guests - Steve Slatcoff, Windber, Ross Shinew, PIAA Baseball Official

- 1. 9:30 A.M. Mr. Leonard opened the District Five Committee meeting.
- 2. Approval of Secretary's minutes of the August 10, 2016 meeting. Motion Diehl, Shirley
- 3. Approval of Treasurer's report. Motion Kudlawiec, Foster
- 4. Approval of review of Bank Reconciliations. Motion Scott, Hendershot
- 5. Correspondence To:
 - a. Letter from Fannett Metal concerning the participation of Path Valley Christian School students in varsity cross country. They are not a PIAA member school and do not have PIAA approval. They have no co-op with Fannett Metal. Motion approved that if they want to participate, they should become a member of the PIAA and seek a co-op with Fannett Metal. Motion - Kudlawiec, Scott.

6. Correspondence From:

- a. Acceptance of Chestnut Ridge Soccer and Volleyball Rules Exception Authorization Letters from the PIAA for uniform modifications. These are religious modifications.
- b. Approval of request of the Inter County Conference to conduct a Junior High Wrestling Championship Tournament the first weekend in February. Motion - Thompson, Diehl

7. Discussion Items:

- a. Discussion of disqualification responses to sport chairmen. Coaches and players have to accept disqualifications. There is very little chance of change. The officials have 24 hours to report disqualifications. Some are delinquent.
- b. Approval for the District Five Athletic Director's Association to conduct drawings at District Five Championship Events to raise funds for District Five Student Athlete Scholarship Awards. They presently award six \$1,000.00 scholarships to students. Motion - Kiesnowski, Shoemake
- c. Approval of payment for students and parents meals at the April meeting for the presenting of Scholarship Awards. Motion - Shirley, Thompson.
- d. Discussion of problems of travel time and distance to non-adjacent districts for the sub-regional playoffs. This creates problems especially for Somerset abd Bedford. We need to work toward having playoffs as near as possible to each district and to seek alternate sites each year.

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8. Approval Of Transfer Students. Motion - Kiesnowski, Batzel					
<u>Name</u>	Grade	From	То		
a. Alexandra Schiffhauer	10	Westmont	Conemaugh Twp.		
b. Abigail Schiffhauer	9	Westmont	Conemaugh Twp.		
c. Aubrey Cook	10	Johnstown Christian	Conemaugh Twp.		
d. Donovan Burinda	9	Windber	Shade		
e. Damien Burinda	11	Windber	Shade		
f. Emily Velazquez	9	Spring Ford	Fannett Metal		
g. Josiah Yexley	10	Vandalia, IL.	Somerset		
h. Jordan Yexley	10	Vandalia, IL.	Somerset		
i. William Chapple	10	Mt. Vista, Co.	Somerset		
j. Kortney Karl	9	Shade	Windber		
k. Makenna Ann Cober	10	Richland	Somerset		
I. Becca Saylor	9	Berlin	Somerset		
m. James Shaffer	10	Bedford	Hope For Hyndman		
n. Cole Pensyl	10	Bedford	Hope For Hyndman		
o. Brayan Baranon	10	John Handley, VA.	Somerset		
p. Fernando Gonzalez	7 Secur	ndario Magelalara Vargas,	Mex. Somerset		
q. Blade Swope	12	Northern Bedford	Tussey Mountain		
r. Colton Souders	10	Berkley Springs, WV.	Southern Fulton		
9. Approval Of Foreign Exchange Students: Motion - Foster, Wiltrout					

<u>Name</u>	Country	School
a. Frank Steven Scherer	Switzerland	Conemaugh Twp.
b. Nicole Favero Simoes	Brazil	Bedford
c. Prisca Meige	Germany	McConnellsburg
d. Alberto Martinez	Spain	Rockwood
e. Jule Grosse	Germany	McConnellsburg
f. Anna Pustovaia	Russia	Tussey Mountain
g. Yu Hirasawa	Japan	Rockwood
h. Arthur Magalhaes Mochado	Brazil	Turkeyfoot
i. Christina Novati	Italy	Somerset
j. Caroline Gildsig	Denmark	Somerset
k. Martina Giuliani	Italy	Somerset
I. Olle Strandberg	Sweden	Somerset
m. Synne Rekler	Norway	Somerset
n. Lara Morales	Spain	Northern Bedford
o. Camilla Bertolotti	France	Chestnut Ridge
p. Florian Weinke	Austria	Bedford
q. Mateo Tossi	Italy	North Star
r. Benjamin Straub	Switzerland	North Star
s. Kanokiak Vanishprapa	Thailand	North Star
t. Maho Mori	Japan	North Star
u. Sandra D' Amico	Italy	Bedford

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10. Sports Reports:

- a. Football AA Playoffs Westinghouse may qualify for the Pittsburgh City League Championships. They will play their semi-finals the weekend of October 27, our 10th playing date. If they win, they will play the final the next weekend, our semi-final dates. We may have to eliminate the 4th ranked team.
- b. <u>Cheerleading</u> District Championships will be held December 3 at Shanksville High School, beginning at 3:00 PM. Todd Cooper will select and coordinate the judges for the event.
- c. Wrestling District Individual Championships will be held Saturday, February 18, 2017, at the University of Pittsburgh at Johnstown. Regionals will be held Friday and Saturday, February 24, 25, at a site to be decided yet, possibly at the Kovalchick Center at Indiana University of Pennsylvania. The State Finals will be March 9, 10, 11 at Hershey.

11. Meeting adjourned at 11:20 AM. Motion - Kudlawiec, Hendershot.

Respectfully submitted,

Richard W. Fisher,, District 5 Secretary