

PIAA DISTRICT FIVE

PENNSYLVANIA INTERSCHOLASTIC ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

Travelodge, Clara's Place - January 17, 2018

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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. Jim Foster, Conemaugh Twp. - Boys Soccer
7. Thad Kiesnowski, North Star - Volleyball
8. Scott Shirley, Somerset - Cheerleading
Guests - Rod Brumbaugh, Ross Shinew
9. George Knisely, Chestnut Ridge- Baseball
10. Brian Thompson, Berlin Bros. - Softball
11. John Wiltrout, Meyersdale - Football
12. Dr. Kathy Keafer, Jhn. Christian - Private
13. Ralph Scott, Nor. Bed. - School Board
14. Brown Cutchall, Fbs. Road - Girls Bball.
15. Terry Diehl, Retired - Male Officials Rep.
16. Mark Kudlawiec, Ch. Ridge - Supt. Rep

1. Chairman Leonard called the meeting to order at 9:30 AM.
2. Approval of report of October 18, 2017 minutes. Motion- Kiesnowski, Knisely.
3. Approval of Treasurer's report of January 17, 2018. Motion- Kane, Kudlawiec.
4. Review of Bank Reconciliation. Motion- Scott, Kiesnowski.
5. Correspondence From:
 - a. Discussion with District 6 Chairman concerning 4A Girls Basketball. Each district has two schools. We will host the games, pay expenses, and receive the gate receipts.
 - b. A complaint was received from a Somerset spectator concerning volleyball officiating. The school district does not accept the actions of the spectator. Paul will call the spectator and take care of the situation.
 - c. North Star will be AA in girls volleyball the next cycle.
 - d. Regret of the passing of Audrey Hall's father. Audrey also fell and broke her leg.
 - e. Everett has a basketball playoff conflict February 21-23. Paul and Brown will handle.
 - f. The official's rep elections were held . Audrey Hall won the ladies and Ron Beachley won the mens. They will take office on July 1, 2018.
6. Correspondence To:
 - a. A parent complaint was made concerning spectators on the course and complaints about the timing at the Cross Country Championships. We may have to mark off or rope of the course because spectators were straying onto the course and nearly interfering with the runners. Also , an additional speaker system may be needed. Paul will call the parent and warn him about his actions with the officials.
 - b. A swim liability waiver for a Johnstown Christian swimmer at Westmont. We have not had a request for this. No action.
 - c. Again, pre-playoff scrimmages are permitted as long as both schools have completed their season and are in the playoffs.
7. Discussion Items:
 - a. Classifications for the next cycle. The PIAA will bring out next week for first reading.
 - b. Soccer starting playoffs on a week day prior to the previously opening Saturday round.
 - c. Co-ops must be approved by school boards and district committees and be approved before the new cycle. Too many are being sent to the PIAA incorrectly.
 - d. A discussion was held about the October medal decisions. No further actions taken.

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8. Approval of Transfer Students: - Motion- Kiesnowski, Scott.

<u>NAME</u>	<u>GRADE</u>	<u>FROM</u>	<u>TO</u>
1. Brier Truax	12	Forbes Road	McConnellsburg
2. Elijah Breegle	9	Somerset	Rockwood
3. Luke Terry Moore	8	Hope for Hyndman	Chestnut Ridge
4. Daniel Cloyd Moore	8	Hope for Hyndman	Chestnut Ridge

9. Approval of Foreign Exchange Students: - Motion- Thompson, Kane

<u>NAME</u>	<u>SCHOOL</u>	<u>COUNTRY</u>
1. Amina Boukhris	Somerset	Italy

10. Sport Reports

- a. Cheerleading - Three schools competed at Somerset. Chestnut Ridge, Somerset, and Turkeyfoot will compete at Hershey this weekend.
- b. Volleyball - Discussion at state meeting about coach's attire, uniforms, and number of contests competed in. No decisions.

11. Old Business

- a. Retired Rules Interpreters Dave Mapes and Gary Singel to be recognized at spring district meeting.

12. Adjournment at 11:15 AM. Motion- Diehl, Kane

Respectfully submitted,

Richard W. Fisher

Richard W. Fisher, District 5 Secretary