

PIAA District V

Pennsylvania Interscholastic Athletic Association

Chestnut Ridge Middle School, September 11, 2024

PIAA District V Committee Members Present

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| 1. Paul Leonard, Shade – Chairman, Boys Bball | 12. Meredith Hendershot, SF – Girls Soc. |
| 2. Jeff Batzel, NBC – Vice Chair., Track | 13. Audrey Hall, Female Officials Rep. |
| 3. Brown Cutchall – Secretary, Girls Bball | 14. Todd Best, FM – Sportsmanship |
| 4. Larry Palmer - Treasurer | 15. Dave Burkett, Everett – Superintendents Rep. |
| 5. Christina Ramsey, Central Fulton - Tennis | 16. Craig Gindlesperger, Meyersdale - Softball |
| 6. Ron Beachley, Male Officials Rep. | 17. Thad Kiesnowski, NS – Wrestling |
| 7. Jim Foster, CT – Boys Soccer | 18. Scott Close, Somerset – Cross Country |
| 8. Kevin Steele, Bedford – Principals Rep. | 19. Celeste Sprankle, JCS – Private School’s Rep. |
| 9. Scott Shirley, Somerset – Volleyball | 20. Tanner Prosser, Berlin – Male Parents Rep. |
| 10. Matt McCahan, TM - Golf | |
| 11. Ralph Scott, NBC – School Board Rep. | |

Guests - Mark Ott, Ross Shiness

1. Chairman Paul Leonard opened the District V Committee Meeting at 9:38.
2. Approval of the Secretary’s report of the District V Committee Meeting on August 7, 2024. Motion – Beachley, Gindlesperger
3. Approval of Treasurer’s report of September 11, 2024. Motion – Foster, Scott
4. Approval of Bank Reconciliation. Motion – Shirley, Kiesnowski
5. Correspondence From:
 - a.
6. New Cooperative Sports Terminations effective 2024-25.
7. New Cooperative Sports approvals effective 2024-25.
 - a. Approval of Chestnut Ridge High School (Host), Claysburg -Kimmel High School and Foundations Christian Academy High School (new school to the coop) to cooperatively sponsor Boys Soccer effective 2024-25. Motion – Burkett, Shirley.
 - b. Approval of Meyersdale High School (Host), Berlin-Brothers Valley High School, Salisbury Elk-Lick High School and Rockwood High School to cooperatively sponsor Girls Wrestling effective 2024-25 and Meyersdale Middle School (Host), Berlin-Brothers Middle School, Salisbury Elk-Lick Middle School, and Rockwood Middle School to cooperatively Sponsor Girls Wrestling effective 2024-25. Motion – Beachley, Sprankle
8. Discussion Items:
 - a. Next Meeting will be Wednesday, October 16, 2024 at the Chestnut Ridge Middle School at 9:30 A.M.
 - b. Sportsmanship Awards Criteria – Approved the following deductions in voting for the District V Sportsmanship Award – Minus 5 Points for any supplemental, minus 3 points for any ejection, and any second supplemental disqualifies the school for that award. Motion – Kiesnowski, Scott
 - c. Regional Championship Awards – District V Championship Awards. Approved that no runner-up medals will be given for sports with less than four teams. Motion – Shirley, Scott

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d. Discussion of the approved fall brackets.

Transfers: Approved: Motion – Kiesnowski, Prosser

e.

Name	Grade	To	From:
Kassidy Claycomb	10	Northern Bedford	Claysburg-Kimmel

Approved for the regular season only:

Brooks Norris	11	Southern Fulton	Hancock, MD - Motion, Batzel, Ramsey
Cambria Kabler	11	Johnstown Christian	Greater Johnstown - Motion, Kniesnowski, Scott
Kameron Staniszewski	11	Fannett Metal	Forest Park HS VA- Motion, Shirley Sprankle

Post Season Eligibility (on paper) due 45 days prior to the post season for the sport in question.

Foreign Exchange Students Approved: Motion – Kiesnowski, Steele

School	Name	Country
Windber	Riyad Cevik	Germany
Shanksville	Frida Linden	Germany
Shanksville	Louanne Camille	France
Rockwood	Adrian Facal Castro	Spain
McConnellsburg	Lucy Braun	Germany
McConnellsburg	Mario Centeno Guerra	Spain
McConnellsburg	Sima Sahin	Germany
McConnellsburg	Marti Batalla	Spain
McConnellsburg	Clara Lopez Fernandez	Spain
Rockwood	Alexandru Manescu	Moldova
Somerset	Gaetano Vivano	Germany
Somerset	Alfred Marklund	Sweden

9. Reports –

- a. Competitive Cheer – One team is to compete as of now 2024-25. Steve Slatcoff, Chairman
- b. Basketball – Championships are currently on a first reading.
- c. Wrestling – D5 Boys and D5, D6, and D9 Girls on a first reading.
- d. Officials – Urge schools to contact former sport specific players.

10. Other Business:

11. Adjournment at 11:31. Motion – Hendershot, Batzel

Respectfully Submitted,

Brown Cutchall, District V Secretary