

PIAA District V

Pennsylvania Interscholastic Athletic Association

Denny's Restaurant, Bedford PA. September 26, 2018

PIAA District V Committee Members Present

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| 1. Paul Leonard, Shade – Chairman, Boys Bball | 11. Meredith Hendershot, SF – Girls Soc. |
| 2. Jeff Batzel, NBC – Vice Chair., Track | 12. Kent Hendershot, Male Parents Rep. |
| 3. Brown Cutchall – Secretary, Girls Bball | 13. Brian Thompson, Berlin – Softball |
| 4. Larry Palmer, Retired – Treasurer | 14. Audrey Hall, Female Officials Rep. |
| 5. John Krupper, Superintendent's Rep. | 15. Ralph Scott, NBC – School Board Rep. |
| 6. George Knisley, CR – Baseball | 16. Thad Kiesnowski, NS – Wrestling |
| 7. Jim Foster, CT – Boys Soccer | 17. Ron Beachley, Male Officials Rep. |
| 8. John Wiltrout, Meyersdale – Football | 18. Janelle Henderson, Female Parents Rep |
| 9. Scott Shirley, Somerset – Volleyball | 19. Joe Kimmel - Cheerleading |
| 10. Michael O'Dellick, NBC – Golf | 20. Terry Diehl, Retired – Advisor |
| | 21. Kathy Keafer, Private Schools Rep. |

Guests – Rod Brumbaugh and Ross Shinew

1. Chairman Paul Leonard opened the District V Committee Meeting at 9:56.
2. Approval of the Secretary's report of August 8, 2018 minutes. Motion – Foster, Shirley
3. Approval of Treasurer's report of August 8, 2018. Motion – M. Hendershot, Kiesnowski
4. Approval of Bank Reconciliation. Motion – Knisley, Hall
5. Correspondence From:
 - a. Approval for Meyersdale (Host) and Somerset Christian for a Rifle Co-op for the 2018-19 school year. Motion – Hall, Beachley
 - b. Approval for Chestnut Ridge (Host) and Foundations Christian Academy for a Rifle Co-op for the 2018-19 school year. Motion - Keafer, Hall
 - c. Approval for Chestnut Ridge (Host) and Claysburg for a Boys' Soccer Co-op for the 2018-19 school year. Motion – Thompson, Shirley
 - d. The Laurel Highlands Soccer Chapter informed the District V Committee that they may need to use only one official for junior high soccer contests.
 - e. Approved the request from Shade Junior High School for a full time tuition student (7th grade) to participate in sports at Shade. Motion – Kane, Kiesnowski
 - f. An email was received from Chris Atkinson, Director at Large for Girls Wrestling Pennsylvania Amateur Wrestling Federation, about the increased participation of female wrestlers across the state.
 - g. A letter was received from a superintendent requesting that the PIAA create a separate playoff system for public school systems. No action taken.
 - h. Chairman Leonard made the committee aware that transcripts of the testimony of the September 5, 2018, Pennsylvania Athletic Oversight Committee Hearing are available.
 - i. A thank you card was read from Jim Foster expressing his thanks to the committee for cards, flowers, thoughts, and prayers after the passing of his father.

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6. Correspondence To:

- a. Chairman Leonard had correspondence with the District VI Field Hockey Chairman about the upcoming PIAA Field Hockey Championship brackets.
- b. Chairman Leonard contacted District V Schools concerning those schools not having Eligibility Data submitted during the last week or those who had issues with their Profile.

7. Discussion Items:

- a. A brief discussion was held over official’s stipends. No action taken.
- b. Chairman Leonard announced Golf and Cross Country Awards needed to be picked up by the Sport Chairman at this meeting.
- c. Windber Area School District announced they were given authorization by the PIAA for a soccer player to wear a court ordered ankle bracelet.
- d. Approval was given for \$900 for North Star to purchase a section of wrestling mat to be used for the District V Wrestling Tournament. Motion – Scott, Kiesnowski

8. Approval Items:

a. Transfers: Motion – Kiesnowski, Batzel

Name	Grade	From:	To:
Mary Swank	11	Meyersdale	Con.Twp.
Christian Ross	12	North Star	Shanksville
Luke Claycomb	12	Richland	North Star
Bailey Koontz	10	Northern Bedford	Johnstown Christian
Cloey Hillegas	9	Chestnut Ridge.	Hope for Hyndman Charter
Tyler Coddington	10	Capital H.S,	Somerset
Cameron Appleby	10	McConnellsburg	Forbes Road
Kenny Meyers	12	Bedford	Hope for Hyndman Charter
Cole Lingenfelter	12	Claysburg	Bedford
Anthony Baker	11	North Star	Berlin
Kolin McMamara	9	Tussey Mt.	Northern Bedford

Hearings were held to determine whether to extend a waiver under Article VI Section 2 of the PIAA Bylaws to the following students and allow participation in District V and PIAA State Tournament or to forbid participation for 1 year.

Anthony Baker	11	North Star	Berlin Motion- Foster, Batzel	Approved 12-4 (2 abstain)
Christian Ross	12	North Star	Shanksville – Motion – Thompson, Wiltrout	Approved 15-0 (2 abstain)
Cole Lingenfelter	12	Claysburg	Bedford –Motion –Foster, Thompson	Approved 13-3 (1 abstain)
Kenny Myers	12	Bedford	Hope for Hyndman Charter- Motion – Kiesnowski, Hall	Denied 0-17
Mary Swank	11	Meyersdale	Con. Twp. – Motion Knisley, Hendershot	Denied 0-15 (2 abstain)

b. Foreign Exchange Students Motion – Hendershot, Beachley

School	Name	Country
Rockwood	Janna Malin Voss	Germany
Rockwood	Mario Calderon Santolaria	Spain
Fannett Metal	Galiane Vigney	France
Northern Beford	Maja Margarete Knutzen	Germany
Fannett Metal	Tilek Maksabekov	Kyrgystan
Meyersdale	Izar Sanchez	Spain
Tussey Mt.	Harvard Straumsheim	Norway
Con.Township	Po-Yen Wu	Taiwan

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Tussey Mt.	Judith Penzleoger	Germany
Chestnut Ridge	Allegra Flamini	Italy
Chestnut Ridge	Marta Malinowska	Poland
Rockwood	Isadora Alcantara	Brazil
Tussey Mt.	Danja Wittman	Switzerland

9. Reports – Review of Dates, Awards, info Packets, Sub Regionals
 - a. Football – Ready to go.
 - b. Cheerleading – Ready to go.
 - c. Cross Country – Bedford Course is ready.
 - d. Soccer Boys/Girls - Ready to go.
 - e. Golf – Ready to go. (reminder 3 girls required for a team)
 - f. Volleyball – Ready to go.
10. New Business
 - A. Retired Rules Interpreters
 - b. Ejected Players or coaches – Chairman Duties – reminder for sport chairmen to get replies from schools.
11. Adjournment at 12:52. Motion – Scott, Knisley

Respectfully Submitted,

Brown Cutchall, District V Secretary