

# PIAA District V

## Pennsylvania Interscholastic Athletic Association

Ivy Stone Restaurant, Osterburg PA. August 14, 2019

### 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. Kyle Kane, Bedford                         | 15. Kathy Keafer – Private Schools Rep   |
| 6. George Knisley, CR – Baseball              | 16. Richard Fisher, Retired - Advisor    |
| 7. Thad Kiesnowski, NS – Wrestling            | 17. Terry Diehl, Retired - Advisor       |
| 8. John Wiltrout, Meyersdale – Football       |  |
| 9. Scott Shirley, Somerset – Volleyball       |  |
| 10. Michael O’Dellick, NBC – Golf             |  |

At 9:45 AM Chairman Paul Leonard and Treasurer Larry Palmer opened the Principals and Athletic Directors Workshop by going over District V Financial Forms for the upcoming year.

Pat Gephart and Mark Byers spoke on current issues of the PIAA, including the PIAA Document Portal and officials’ updates, including official’s attendance, testing, and uniforms.

Sportsmanship Chairperson Audrey Hall announced the 2018-19 Sportsmanship Awards: Junior High – Rockwood Junior High School, Senior High – Salisbury Elk Lick High School

Track Chairman Jeff Batzel recognized the 2019 PIAA Class AAA Shot Put Champion Nickolas Hyde from Somerset High School.

Chairman Paul Leonard opened the District V Committee Meeting at 1:00.

1. Approval of the Secretary’s report of May 9, 2019 minutes. Motion – Hall, Batzel
2. Approval of Treasurer’s report of May 9, 2019. Motion – Kiesnowski, M. Hendershot
  - a. Approval to purchase committee items from Acorn Tree Embroidery. Motion – M. Hendershot, Shirley
  - b. Approval to pay senior and junior high PIAA District V School Dues (2019-20) Motion – Wiltrout, Shirley
  - c. Approval to purchase District V Fall Awards from Action Awards. Motion- K. Hendershot, Shirley
  - d. Approval to pay for individual state championship awards. Motion – Thompson, K. Hendershot
  - e. Approval to pay Sally Sargent’s Court Reporters. Motion – Kiesnowski, Hall
3. Approval of Bank Reconciliation. Motion – Batzel, Shirley
4. Correspondence From:
  - a. High School Sportsmanship winner was announced. – Salisbury Elk Lick High School
  - b. Junior High Sportsmanship winner was announced. – Rockwood Junior High School
  - c. Approval of a request from Conemaugh Township High School (host) and Windber High School to co-op in Boys Varsity Golf beginning with the 2019-20 School Year. Motion – Thompson, Kiesnowski

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- d. Approval of a request from Conemaugh Township Middle School and Johnstown Christian Middle School to co-op in Football (CT Host), Softball (CT Host), Baseball (CT Host), Cross Country (JCS Host) beginning with the 2019-20 School Year. Motion – Kiesnowski, Knisley
- e. Approval of a request from Conemaugh Township High School (host) and Johnstown Christian High School to co-op in Football beginning in the 2020-21 School Year. Motion – Thompson, Kiesnowski
5. Correspondence To:
- a. Chairman Leonard has booked the Ivy Stone Restaurant for the meetings of August 14, 2019 and April 10, 2020.
- b. Chairman Leonard has booked Denny’s Restaurant in Bedford for the meeting dates of 2019-20. (See Handbook and Website) \* **Note: The October 16<sup>th</sup> Meeting at Denny’s Restaurant was changed to October 17<sup>th</sup> due to a scheduling conflict at Denny’s Restaurant.**
6. Discussion Items:
- a. A discussion was held to look at options in District V Awards since the PIAA has gone to acrylic awards. Options will be looked at in future meetings.
- b. Chairman Leonard announced that one of the District V eligibility appeal decisions was appealed to the PIAA and that decision was upheld. There will be another District V decision appealed to the PIAA and it will be heard at a later date.
- c. There was a discussion on playoff site fees. There was no action taken.
7. Approval Items:
- a. Transfers: Motion to Approve – Thompson, Hall
- | Name             | Grade | From:          | To:  |
|------------------|-------|----------------|--|
| Dalton Hileman   | 8     | Ferndale       | Windber  |
| Jerry Hileman    | 10    | Ferndale       | Windber  |
| Aaron Willis     | 11    | Johnstown      | Windber Appealed   |
| Shane Pavlik     | 11    | Berlin         | North Star Motion – ** CYS Motion - Kane, Hall – (13-0) 2 abstention |
| Galen Manges     | 12    | Meyersdale     | North Star ** No Previous Sports Participation                       |
| Lance McConnell  | 11    | Johnstown      | North Star ** Played Baseball Only in Grades 7 and 8                 |
| Michael Shonko   | 9     | Deep Creek, MS | Conemaugh Twp.   |
| Bradley Robinson | 11    | Central Valley | Conemaugh Twp. ** Tabled   |
| Kaylee Lafferty  | 10    | Bedford        | Hope for Hyndman   |
- b. Foreign Exchange Students: Motion to Approve – Kane, Shirley
- | SCHOOL         | NAME                  | COUNTRY |
|----------------|-----------------------|---------|
| McConnellsburg | Guillermo Casal       | Spain   |
| McConnellsburg | Javier Arteaga Garcia | Spain   |
8. Reports
- a. Fall Sports Packets are ready and posted and it was announced that there would be a pitch count this year in junior high baseball.
9. New Business:
- a. A reminder was given that enrollment numbers for the New Classification Cycle are due in October.
10. Adjournment at 2:20. Motion – Thompson, Kiesnowski

Respectfully Submitted,

Brown Cutchall, District V Secretary