

**PRINCIPALS: Please Share These Minutes with Your Athletic Director
Regular Meeting of PIAA District 6 – March 8, 2011**

Call to Order of the March 8, 2011, Meeting

Chairman Wotkowski called the meeting of the District 6 Committee to order at 3:30 PM in the library at Central Cambria High School. Present were: Raymond Wotkowski, Alberta Ake, Kenneth Bussard, Ralph Cecere Jr., Kim Hubler, Thomas Kakabar, Gary Jubas, Charles Glasser, Kathy Getz, Dean Rossi, David Crumrine, Donald Hosterman, Michael Hudak, William Marshall, James Price, Norman Krumenacker, Ken Salem and Curtis Whitesel. Douglas Bleggi, Principal at Saint Joseph Catholic Academy was a guest.

Approval of Minutes

On a motion by James Price and Thomas Kakabar, the minutes of the February 9, 2011 meeting were approved.

Financial Reports

On a motion by William Marshall and Curtis Whitesel, the Committee unanimously approved the February 2011 Financial Report.

On a motion by Alberta Ake and Michael Hudak, the Committee approved the Wrestling Financial Report presented by Donald Hosterman.

The basketball and swimming and diving financial reports will be presented at the April meeting.

On a motion by Norman Krumenacker and David Crumrine, the District 6 Committee will give a memorial contribution in honor of Tim Allwein to Bishop McDevitt High School. Mr. Allwein was the PSBA representative on the PIAA State Board of Control.

Sportsmanship

Michael Hudak and Kathy Getz reviewed the below-listed disqualification forms.

BVar BB	Huntingdon	player	punched opponent from behind
BVar BB	Forest Hills	player	obscene gesture to opponent

Eligibility Hearings

On a motion by William Marshall and Dean Rossi, eligibility was granted to Katie McCutcheon transferring from Conemaugh Township to Bishop McCort. Katie is eligible to participate in all sports by a vote of 18-0.

On a motion by Curtis Whitesel and Ralph Cecere, eligibility was granted to Tayler Boxler transferring from Westmont to Bishop McCort. Tayler is eligible to participate in all sports by a vote of 18-0.

On a motion by David Crumrine and Donald Hosterman, eligibility was granted to Andrew Mihalick transferring from Richland to Bishop McCort. Andrew is eligible to participate in all sports by a vote of 17-0-1, Michael Hudak abstained.

On a motion by Alberta Ake and James Price, eligibility was granted to Lauren Harper transferring from Conemaugh Township to Bishop McCort. Lauren is eligible to participate in all sports by a vote of 18-0.

On a motion by Kathy Getz and Kim Hubler, eligibility was granted to Nicolette Harper transferring from Conemaugh Township to Bishop McCort. Nicolette is eligible to participate in all sports by a vote of 18-0.

Foreign Exchange Eligibility Hearings

On a motion by Curtis Whitesel and William Marshall, Bianca Ungerfbock was approved to participate in athletics at Penns Manor.

Communications

At the conclusion of the 2010-11 school year Lewistown and Indian Valley will be merging to create Mifflin County High School. The Committee approved a request from Mountain League secretary, Charles Gojmerac, requesting that District 6 extend to the Mountain League the same courtesy in football that was extended to the Heritage Conference when Laurel Valley and Ligonier Valley High School merged. On a motion by James Price and Kathy Getz, the Committee approved the request.

2010-2011 Sportsmanship Awards: The District 6 Committee is requesting that each member school submit the names of one male and one female, senior athlete who exemplify outstanding sportsmanship. Schools will be provided with medals at the mandatory spring meeting and may choose to present the awards as they deem appropriate. Two male and two female athletes will be selected through a lottery drawing to receive one of four, five-hundred dollar scholarships during the spring meeting at the Blair County Convention Center. Please send the names of the athletes to Michael Hudak at 232 Suie Street, Johnstown, PA 15904 or submit by email at Michael.p.Hudak@usps.gov, no later than **April 21, 2011**.

“Sportsmanship, The only Missing Piece is You”

Please keep in mind that the PIAA state sportsmanship program, “Sportsmanship, The only Missing Piece is You” will continue to be supported by recognizing any senior high or middle school for leadership in developing sportsmanship in their programs. Please send application for this award to Mike Hudak, along with a copy of your guidelines and policies. A banner will be presented in recognition of any selected school.

The Mandatory Annual dinner meeting for PIAA District 6 is scheduled for Thursday, April 28, 2011, at the Blair County Convention Center at 6:00 PM.

* Please note that a \$100.00 fine will be assessed to schools that are not represented.

Any senior high or middle school principal interested in serving on the PIAA Committee should have a recommendation letter submitted, on school letterhead, to Sherry Montgomery at 275 Montgomery Lane, Duncansville, PA 16635 by **March 25, 2011**.

The Next Meeting

The next regular meeting of the PIAA District 6 Committee will be held on Thursday, April 28, 2011, at the Blair County Convention Center at 4:00 PM., followed by a 6:00 general membership meeting and dinner to follow.

Respectfully Submitted,
Sherry Montgomery

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Secretary/Treasurer