PRINCIPALS: Please Share These Minutes with Your Athletic Director Regular Meeting of PIAA District 6 – June 15, 2006

Call to Order of the June 15, 2006 Meeting

Chairman Wotkowski called the meeting of the District 6 Committee to order at 10:00 AM at the Redwood Family Restaurant in Summerhill. Present were Committee members Raymond Wotkowski, Dean Rossi, Donald Hosterman, Michael Hudak, Vince Nedimyer, Kenneth Bussard, David Crumrine, Alberta Ake, Thomas Kakabar, Kathy Getz, James Price, Kim Struble and Charles Koren. Also present was invited guest, Thomas Musselman.

Approval of Minutes

Vince Nedimyer and David Crumrine approved the minutes of the May 4, 2006, meeting.

Communications

Chairman Wotkowski received a letter from Richard Hatch, Athletic Director at Bishop Guilfoyle High School, explaining the circumstances surrounding the forfeit of their girls' softball team with Moshannon Valley on Saturday, May 20, 2006. Bishop Guilfoyle has imposed a one-year suspension from District 6 playoffs competition for the spring of 2007. On a motion by Thomas Kakabar and Michael Hudak, the Committee supports Bishop

On a motion by Thomas Kakabar and Michael Hudak, the Committee supports Bishop Guilfoyle's actions by imposed a one year suspension from Softball play-off competition in 2007. The Committee also requires Bishop Guilfoyle to make restitution for any resulting expenses that were incurred.

Kim Struble and James Price made a motion requesting that Conemaugh Valley respond in writing as to the Boys Volleyball forfeit with Altoona at Conemaugh Valley, and the timeliness of communications.

Financial Reports

On a motion by Donald Hosterman and Charles Koren, the Committee unanimously approved the May financial report.

On a motion by Dean Rossi and James Price, the Committee approved the Softball financial report given by Donald Hosterman.

On a motion by Vince Nedimyer and Charles Koren, the Fee Structure for Committee Members was approved as submitted by Michael Hudak with the approved corrections.

On a motion by Michael Hudak and Alberta Ake, the Committee approved the Baseball financial report given by tournament director, David Crumrine. The District 6 Committee would also like to thank Todd Parnell, General Manager at the Blair County Ball Park.

Thomas Musselman, tournament director, presented the Track and Field financial report. On a motion by Kim Struble and Thomas Kakabar the financial report was approved and payments were accepted for the rental of the FAT equipment, with a vote of 13-0.

On a motion by Charles Koren and Thomas Kakabar, the fee to rent the FAT equipment will be increased to \$600.00 when used by schools outside of District Six, with a vote of 12-1.

On a motion by Dean Rossi and Alberta Ake, the Committee approved the Apparel Promotions financial report presented by James Price.

On a motion by Vince Nedimyer and Charles Koren, the individual entry fees for tournaments will be increased from \$3.00 to \$5.00 and \$5.00 to \$7.00.

On a motion by Alberta Ake and James Price, entry fees for tournaments will be increased to \$75.00 per team.

Appeal Hearing

Stuart Albaugh, Principal at Ferndale Area School District, and Glenn Wagner, Athletic Director, requested a transfer from District 6 and to District 5. A motion was made by Kim Struble and Kenneth Bussard, to deny Ferndale's request to transfer from District 6 to District 5 with a 12-0 vote.

Eligibility Hearings

On a motion by James Price and Kenneth Bussard, Abdulla Wadley, a student at Bishop McCort, was not granted a waiver of ARTICLE VIII, PERIOD OF PARTICIPATION, Section 6-B, of the PIAA By-Laws, and was not granted an additional year of eligibility. The vote was 9-1.

Review of Disqualifications

Baseball	Richland	player	profanity
Baseball	Westmont	player	malicious contact
Softball	Bishop Carroll	player	malicious contact

Foreign Exchange Eligibility Hearings

There were no foreign exchange eligibility hearings.

Information

Please forward your 2006 Varsity Football schedule to <u>Tom Elling</u> at 220 South Fairview Street, Lock Haven, PA 17745, as soon as possible.

Charles Koren, Thomas Kakabar and Kenneth Bussard, have been appointed to serve on a Sub-Committee to study the costs of championship medals.

Michael Hudak will provide the Committee with a list of the approved evaluators at the August 1st meeting.

The sportsmanship award for 2005/2006 will go to Forest Hills Junior High School.

The Next Meeting

The next meeting of the PIAA District 6 Committee will be held on:

Tuesday, August 1, 2006 at 10:00 AM at the Scotch Valley Country Club, Hollidaysburg, PA.

Respectfully submitted, Sherry I. Montgomery Sherry Montgomery Secretary/Treasurer