

PRINCIPALS: Please Share These Minutes with Your Athletic Director
Regular Meeting of PIAA District 6 – November 4, 2009

Call to Order of the November 4, 2009, Meeting

Chairman Wotkowski called the meeting of the District 6 Committee to order at 3:30 PM at the Hollidaysburg Area Senior High School. Present were: Raymond Wotkowski, Alberta Ake, Kenneth Bussard, Ralph Cecere, David Crumrine, Kathy Getz, Charles Glasser, Donald Hosterman, Michael Hudak, Thomas Kakabar, Norman Krumenacker, William Marshall, James Price, Dean Rossi, Kenneth Salem and Curtis Whitesel.

Approval of Minutes

On a motion by Curtis Whitesel and Ralph Cecere, the minutes of the October 6, 2009, meeting were approved.

Financial Reports

On a motion by Kenneth Bussard and Charles Glasser, the Committee unanimously approved the October District 6 Financial Report.

On a motion by Thomas Kakabar and James Price, the Cross County financial report, presented by Donald Hosterman was approved.

On a motion by David Crumrine and Kathy Getz, the Golf financial report, presented by Dean Rossi was approved.

On a motion by Alberta Ake and Thomas Kakabar, the Girls Tennis financial report, presented by Eric Hovan was approved.

Sportsmanship

Good sportsmanship is something that is taught, modeled and reinforced. Michael Hudak and Kath Getz reviewed the below-listed disqualification forms.

Soccer	Westmont	JV player	vulgar language
Soccer	Ligonier	V player	vulgar language
Soccer	Philipsburg-Osceola	V coach	unsporting actions, arguing
Football	Richland	V player	fighting
Football	Bald Eagle	V player	kicked opponent
Football	West Branch	V player	punched opponent
Football	Ferndale	V player	fighting
Football	Huntingdon	JH player	fighting
Football	Bald Eagle	JH player	fighting
Football	Blairsville/Saltsburg	V player	fighting

Eligibility Hearings

On a motion by Donald Hosterman and Kenneth Salem, eligibility was granted to Katelyn Zimmerman, transferring from Tyrone to Bishop Guilfoyle. The vote was 16-0.

On a motion by James Price and Kenneth Bussard, eligibility was granted to Skyler Piatlak, transferring from Northern Cambria to Bishop Carroll. The vote was 16-0.

On a motion by Kathy Getz and William Marshall, eligibility was granted to Taran and Davante Buie, transferring from Bishop Maginn, NY to State College. The vote was 16-0.

Information

The District 6 Committee received a request from Ralph Cecere, asking the Committee to consider allowing Portage Area High School to play their football game on Friday instead of Saturday. A discussion transpired and a motion was made to adopt the current handbook language, thus denying the request to change the day.

Curtis Whitesel and Kenneth Bussard made a motion to keep the language in the football game managers' handbook. In the event that less than 16 teams participate in the class A tournament, four Friday games will be scheduled for the higher ranked teams. Motion was passed with a vote of 12-2.

David Crumrine and Donald Hosterman made a motion to approve a boys and girls basketball championship request from Laurel Highlands. Motion was passed with a vote of 14-0.

William Marshall and James Price made a motion to offer a \$500.00 contribution in support of any league initiative to promote sportsmanship in District Six. A proposal and agenda are required for approval. Motion was passed with a vote of 14-0.

Foreign Exchange Eligibility Hearings

On a motion by David Crumrine and Alberta Ake, the following students have a J1 VISA and are approved to participate in sports:

State College	Manna Roel Bellot	Spain	track and basketball
Williamsburg	Chiara Tolksdorf	Germany	track and basketball

The Next Meeting

The next meeting of the PIAA District 6 Committee will be held on **Wednesday, December 2, 2009, at the Allegro Restaurant, Altoona, PA at 3:30 PM.**

Respectfully Submitted,
Sherry Montgomery
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Secretary/Treasurer