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PURSUING VICTORY WITH HONOR

Minutes Athletic Council 401 Nut Tree Rd April 27, 2017

Commissioner Joan Mumaugh called the meeting to order at 8:30 a.m.

Present: Tracy Cordes, Fred Jones, Kay Nakota, Cam Neal, Carly Peralta, Kelly VanWinden, Mark Wudel,

I Spring Sports

A. Badminton -

1. The league tournament was moved to today's date to accommodate Davis High athletes that had qualified for a state speech competition.

2. There was a short discussion about whether the league tournament could be held over a 2 day period much like tennis currently does. The discussion included: possible late start time so students were not out of school, possible venue problem, would transportation be an issue. We need to get input from the coaches regarding a 2-day event before we discuss this further.

B. Baseball

1. Playing during Spring break.

Cam talked about formulating a bylaw that would prohibit league games during the designated league spring break. This recommendation is really about pitch count and required days of rest. Playing a league game during break could be viewed as "gamesmanship" by other coaches. This item was sent to the end of season baseball meeting for discussion and recommendations.

C. Boys Golf

1. The 2nd League Tournament will be May 2nd at Paradise Valley. Please have the coach bring a check made out to Paradise Valley Golf Course in the amount of \$20/player.

2. Monday May 8th the MEL hosts the Section Division1 North tournament at Rancho Solano Golf Course. The tournament is under the direction of Cory Roche from Napa High.

D. Softball-

1. Currently there is a 3-way tie for first place between Napa, Vacaville and Wood. Vintage is also in position to move into 1st place as well. Athletic Directors are asked to review the league tie breaker procedure, general rule 1.23, with their coach so that he/she fully understands the procedure.

- F. Swimming / Diving
 - 1. Currently Vintage girls and Rodriguez boys are in 1st place in league competition.

2. There have been no further complaints regarding the diving competition being held Tuesday before the Wednesday dual meet swim dates. Tracy will meet with the coaches at the end of the season regarding schedules and other concerns.

G. Boys Tennis

1. The MEL league tournament was held at Vintage High April 24th and 25th. Each school should have received a bill in the amount of \$45 for their share of the official fee.

H. Track

1. The league tournament will be held Tuesday May 9th and Thursday May 11th at Armijo High.

2. Mark will send time and place of the pre- meet meeting.

II Fall Sports

1. Starting dates for fall sports are July 31st for football and August 7th for all other sports.

2. Implementation for revised Bylaw 1900.1 and 1900.2, Age requirements for football is fall 2017-18.

3. Implementation of Bylaw revision 1903.3, Out of Season usage of equipment (football) is May 1, 2017

4. Implementation of bylaw 1903.4, Acclimatization is fall 2017-18.

- III Winter Sports--NR
- IV Sports Schedules 2017 2018---NR

Joan asked each AD to review all the schedules to make sure there are no errors such as wrong day/date or H/A conflicts. At the May meeting we can address any errors that may exists.

V Other

A. Banners, patches and medals were distributed for all spring sports

B. Future Meeting—AD Wednesday May 17

C. AD in charge please send Final standings and all league recipients to Joan as soon as the information is available.

D. Football camp forms were available to those schools planning on attending/hosting a football camp. Any school participating in a football camp during the summer must submit a completed form to Joan by June 1, 2017

Meeting adjourned 9:35am

Respectfully submitted,

Joan Mumaugh MEL Commissioner