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#### PURSUING VICTORY WITH HONOR

Minutes Athletic Council 401 Nut Tree Rd January 16, 2020

Commissioner Joan Mumaugh called the meeting to order at 8:30 a.m. Present: All schools represented.

- I Winter Sports
  - A. Basketball --NR
  - B. Soccer--

When Vacaville plays their home games at the opponents site—Vacaville will wear home jerseys.

- C. Wrestling--NR
- II Spring Sports
  - A. Pre-season meetings
    - 1. Baseball

The pre-season meeting will be held January 27 at Vanden High. An official will also attend the meeting to review any rule changes for 2020 and answer any questions/concerns that the coaches may have.

2. Badminton

Pre-season coaches meeting will be January 27th, 6pm, in room L7 at Wood High.

3. Softball

The preseason coaches meeting will be January 28, 6:15pm, room M6, at Wood High.

4. Swimming

The preseason coaches meeting will be January 30th, 6pm, Rodriguez staff lounge.

B. Alumni Games

There was a question regarding having alumni games. Section rule 502-E specifically prohibits alumni games against students. Students playing in these games will be treated as if they played against an outside team.

C. Coaches needed

Wood indicated they need coaches for the upcoming sports of : Boys Tennis, Swimming, Diving and Badminton.

D. League track Meet

We recently found out that starter John Busto and the recall starter are not available for our May6&8 league meet. However, both personnel are available May 5&7. The ADs unanimously agreed to change the league meet days to Tuesday May 5 & Thursday May 7.

### III Fall Sports

### A. Bylaw Changes

# 1. Football

A number of bylaws were updated to reflect new Section bylaws. Additional changes were made to reflect the changes that have taken place within the league.

# 2. Water Polo

The changes for water polo are: 15.2- changing the double round robin to triple round robin,

15.3-3- adding clarification to the goal lines, 15.5-3 allows each school to nominate 4 players for all league, and Coaches may only vote for opponents. Lastly, 15.6 --League champion will be determined using all league contests.

- IV Schedules 2020-21
  - A. Fall& Winter

1. Cross Country schedule moved first meet to bottom and move everyone up one. Also there are two meets at Rockville Hills, two at rush Ranch and two at Lagoon Valley.

2. Girls Tennis schedule still needed some revisions. The rival game was moved to last match in each round. No team has 3 away in a row.

3. Each school received an individual copy of boys and girls basketball as well as boys and girls soccer.

4. All other sports have previously been reviewed and accepted.

All Fall and Winter schedules for 2020-2021 will be voting items for the January 22nd<sup>h</sup> BOM meeting.

# B. 2021 Schedules

1. Spring break dates

According to calendars listed in each District the "Spring" break will be April 2-9

2. Schedules

Each AD in charge of a spring sport needs to bring a 2021 schedule for their sport to the next meeting February 13<sup>th</sup>.

# V Scholar Athlete Nominations

Each school is encouraged to nominate on female athlete and one male athlete for the Dale Lacky scholarship. The due date for applications to Joan is Tuesday February 25th.

# VI Other

- A. Banners, Patches and Medals for the winter sports were distributed to the AD in charge
- B. Next meetings: Board of Managers January 22; Athletic Council February 13
- C. Section Backup Material:

Each Principal and AD will receive via email the section backup material for review before the MEL BOM meeting January 22nd.

Meeting adjourned at 9:40 Respectfully submitted, Joan Mumaugh, MEL Commissioner