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Minutes

Athletic Council

January 3, 2007

The meeting was called to order at 8:30 at Three Oaks Community Center, Vacaville by Joan Mumaugh. All Athletic Directors present except Bill Ewing. Assistant Athletic Director Mike Boles from Wood was present.

I Winter Sports

- A. Basketball – Please remind your basketball coaches to get their pre-season record to Mark Wudel (Boys) or Darcy Lewis (Girls) as soon as possible. The information is needed for the Saturday Section power rating meeting.
- B. Wrestling –No Report.

II Spring Sports

- A. Track – The revised schedule was not available.
- B. Soccer
 - 1. There was a question about whether the “video” tape rule had changed. Bob Baclig will research the issue and report back to the Council.
 - 2. Any school with a new girls soccer coach should email the name and phone contact numbers to Bob Baclig.
- C. Soccer/Tennis schedule – all schools are reminded that there is not “a week off” for Spring Break factored into those schedules. School still have the “mutual agreement” option if needed.

III Fall Sports -- No reports.

IV Schedules 2007 – 2008 -- Schedules presented by the Athletic Director in charge of the sport.

- A. Football – Reversed home/away of 2006
- B. Volleyball – Used 2005 schedule
- C. Tennis – Used volleyball schedule with change of moving last 3 contests earlier.
The movement allows for League dual competition to end in time for MEL Singles/Doubles tournament.
- D. Soccer – Reversed home/away of 2006. Competition days remain Monday/Wednesdays.
- E. Water Polo – Reversed home/away 2006. Also adjusted the schedule to accommodate schools that share competition facilities.
- F. Basketball Boys/Girls -- Reversed home/away of 2007 schedule.
- G. Swimming/Diving – Reversed home/away of 2007.

Scott Kostecka of Napa motioned to accept the schedules presented. Second by Bob Baclig of Vacaville. Vote unanimous.

Schedules will be presented at the Board of Managers meeting for approval.

V Section Back-Up Material

- A. Proposal for new starting dates for 2008-2009.
 - 1. There are four proposal options that will be voted on at the January 17th Section meeting.
 - 2. Lengthy discussion took place reviewing the options.
 - 3. The Athletic Directors are encouraged to review the options with their Principals and coaches as necessary before the January 10th meeting.
- B. Proposal for Southern California Regional Soccer Championship
 - 1. Will this ultimately lead to Northern California championships and then State play-off?
 - 2. Moving of boys and girls soccer to the winter?
- C. Revision of By-Law 205 – The State CIF is not in agreement with this proposal.

VI Other

- A. Dues -- Armijo, Fairfield, Vintage are delinquent because the League dues for the school year 2006 – 2007 have NOT been paid as of 01/06/2007.
- B. Soccer – Proposed by-law change will be on the Board of Managers agenda.
- C. Next Meeting
 - January 10 Board of Managers
 - February 7 Athletic Council

Meeting Adjourned 10:00.

Respectfully submitted,

Joan Mumaugh
MEL Commissioner