



Region III Minutes:

08/15/2017

8:30 AM

Attendance: Carolyn Gough, Curtis Hagen, James Birch, Skip Lowe, Todd Quarnberg, Garret Muse, Tom Gatten, Mike Kochevar

Muse:

Questions... Present Items

Soccer

Boys play 3 times

Girls play 2 times

*Don't want to play 3 times

Said that they did not agree on it in the Region meeting

Concern is that "T-ville is one of the weaker teams and that by the third game, it can get pretty ugly. Two games, we are trying to win or tie the series, 3 games you are already down, 0-2. Coach is a little worried." Not with the girl's but with the boys.

Doesn't want "ugly soccer."

Coach doesn't want to play 3 games for each. 2 coaches were against it.

Girls play... how may??????

Birch: It was his understanding that it was decided to play 3 because there are only 5 teams in the region, to fill each schedule.

Curtis Hagen called Soccer Coach and verified that 3 games were voted on in the Region coaches meeting and approved.

Region Principals voted:

IT STAYS as is, UNLESS ALL COACHES AGREE to change.

We will need to stay with the current schedule for 2 years

Football:

Copper Hills and Taylorsville need to know for sophomore will play on the same site as Varsity.

Schedule stands with the sophomore at Varsity sites.



Muse:

Concern:

Nothing in the manual for Cross Country (Abbi will email Mark Halliday)

Charging for ALL Volleyball games.

Charging for everything, including 3:00 (Sophomore- Varsity games).

Minutes from 03/06/2017: Approved Todd, and Carolyn

Abbi's pay: Abbi excused. Jim explains responsibilities of Abbi. Todd proposes to have \$600.00 split into 2, \$300.00 payments: 1 payment in November and one in March.

Paid from dues

All Dues have been paid

East paid reduced amount per only in region for football

Birch:

Please check schedule that was sent. We try to schedule a week after UHSAA meeting. Please make sure to put dates on your calendars.

Low: please contact East with any football related item, when not in season. East wants to make sure they take care of anything that needs to be taken care of, to keep things rolling.

Birch: please check UHSAA calendars...Fluid even though voted on. One of the things that has been discussed, has already changed. Make sure that you and your athletic directors are checking that and the coaches have access to it. If there are any changes, you know about it, right up front.

Summer Moratorium:

Only one school changed it last year. They said the band doesn't count that marches in the parade. Juab changed theirs because of their fundraising event on the 4th of July.

Quarnberg: Can any group participate in the parades? Would like clarification, per Drill doesn't participate in the parade because of the moratorium.



Birch: Will ask the UHSAA

Muse: Marching in a parade is allowed. Not considered a team activity

Financial Statement was reviewed, approved and signed by all.

Ejections: No more ejection notices were sent at the end of last year. All online. The coaches know if a player has been ejected and need to get online and follow through with it.

Larson: Mark Halliday is identified as the chairperson in charged of Cross Country. No schedule. Abbi advises that the manual is on Google drive and will update live.

Birch:

Leadership conference: June or August? June would be easier.

Remember **Unified Sports**, Soccer and Track. Numbers declined a bit last year. Copper Hills hosted and the weather was terrible.

Register Coaches version

Now, register my coach will need to be registered

Marilyn Smith went to training

Jim suggested that each school send rep and the athletic secretary to get trained.

This has nothing to do with the UHSAA, best way to track our coaches' certifications and trainings.

Officials pay changed a little; get it changed on your ref sight

Participation is at an all time high

Handbook is on the website

Make sure you have done the paperwork for the **endowment game**.

Abbi has the website to post agenda's.

Reporting:

Self report and take care of things with school and UHSAA

Write out any and all situations, what you have done to rectify the problem kids and coaches.



Make sure that all violations are documented in writing. Write up all violations, what was done to rectify the problem, what sanctions or such were taken. Those documents will be discussed at the Region meetings and the results and decisions will be sent to the UHSAA. UHSAA would rather have the Region handle discipline.

Decrease in Officials

10% decrease in officials hardest hit are football and soccer, average age of football officials is 57 years.

Please approach coaches and community to get trained to be officials.

JV and Sophomore, same side, we will want to visit that next year. If we can stack the games, refs may stay for both games.

Pitch count rule has changed. # of pitches... fall baseball. Only issues were in the Fall baseball. Jim proposed that specific penalties be written for violations.

Quarnberg: Gave example of self-reporting for over pitches. Suggested making the penalties severe.

Gatten: Pitch count counter suggested.

Birch: Asked that Old region 3 and Region 4 manuals be compared.

Birch: asked if the Region wanted to put together penalties for coaches that let their kids throw too much. More pitches given 2017-18.

Rules:

??? Pitch count counter????

Compare pitches???

Muse: will compare last year's handbook and we will look at ours

!!!!!! **Muse** said that a complaint was made to the UHSAA about active recruiting from Alta High School!!!!!! **Coach exchange going through UHSAA**

Quarnberg: Experienced the same problem

Concussion protocol: UHSAA was sued last year.



Heat stroke: cool kid down. Before you call 911, cool the kid down. 72% of fatalities can be reduced if athlete is cooled quickly. Cool before you transport. Get big ice coolers on hand.

State health rep indicated that they have enough funds every year to have every sophomore CPR certified and paid by a grant. Only 8 schools took advantage of this program.

UHSSA start time meeting has been approved for 1:00 PM

Make sure rosters are correct when submitted!

Abbi will invite our region rep: Jen Whittikar is our rep. Wants to be invited to meetings. UHSAA

Lacrosse: When do we have this?

Discussion going back in forth, concern with conflict with other sports. Concerned will take from other sports. Concerned with availability of fields.

Gough suggested one complex to share, both Soccer in the Fall and both LaCross in the Spring.

Suggested model from other states.

Will take back to the ADs to get feedback.

Gough Both soccer, boys and girls in the Fall and Lacrosse (both) in Spring.

R277-717 Grade change

Quarnberg: Would like the UHSAA to take a stand on the grade change issue. Please clarify.

Transfers: Coaches are not happy!

If you want to play "**Sub**" varsity, you can just transfer. You do not to sit out.

What constitutes Varsity???? Much discussion on the matter.

Self reporting: None