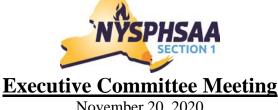
Center for Interscholastic Athletics Section One, Inc.



November 20,

Attendance:

Dr. Marc Baiocco, Southern Westchester Superintendent Michael Cring, At-large Athletic Director Anthony DiCarlo, Superintendent Liaison Dr. Harold Coles, SWBOCES Superintendent Dr. Kris Felicello, Rockland Superintendent Dr. Brendan Lyons, President, Putnam/Northern Westchester Superintendent James Mackin, Principal Rep, 1st Vice President Joe Sigillo, Athletic Director, 2nd Vice President John Bauerlein, Conference III Matt Cameron, Conference I Roman Catalino, Conference II

Todd Santabarbara, Executive Director, CIA/Treasurer Section One, Inc. Jesse Merchant, Assistant Director, CIA/Section One, Inc. Brian Howard, Director of Communications

Absent:

Dr. Matt Landahl, Dutchess Superintendent Dr. Joe Ricca, Southern Westchester Superintendent

I. Call Meeting to Order

Meeting was called to order at 10:07 am

II. Approval of the Agenda

(A) Consider approval of the agenda Motion to approve the agenda: Sigillo / Lyons Approved: Unanimous

III. NYSPHSAA / Section One Report:

- (I) NYSPHSAA Officers & Executive Director's Meeting Monday, November 16th
 - NYSPHSAA revised start date for winter high-risk sports
 - Updated Return to Interscholastic Athletics Document
- (I) Update from NYSPHSAA COVID-19 Task Force Meeting *Tuesday, November 17th Purpose was to provide an update on high-risk sports and the release of the return to interscholastic athletics document. No decisions have been made on winter state championships.*
- (I) NYSPHSAA News Release High Risk Sports delayed until January 4th, pending authorization
- (I) Athletic Council and Conference Presidents Tuesday, November 17th
 - Review of data collected regarding low/moderate risk sports and modified 72 out of 82 member schools responded to the survey.

IV. General Action/Discussion/Information Items (Proposals)

(A) Consider adopting a start date for low/moderate risk HS winter sports

• Skiing, Bowling, Fencing, Gymnastics, Boys Swimming, Indoor Track & Field

Discussion:

- Sections 2, 3 and 6 moved their winter start date for low and moderate risk sports to December 14th
- Sections 8 and 11 announced their winter start date of January 4th back in the fall
- The other Sections are still reviewing their winter start date
 - o Section 4 is split, Section 5 and 7 intend to start on November 30th for most sports
 - Section 10 has a third of their schools currently remote until the new year due to an increased number of cases
- Based on the data collected in Section 1:
 - o November $30^{th} 14$ schools
 - o January $4^{th} 39$ schools
 - o January 19th 14 schools

Motion to adopt January 4^{th} as start date for low and moderate risk high school sports: Lyons/Felicello Approved: 8/2/0

(D) Consideration of delaying the modified sports winter start date to January 4th

Modified Committee

Discussion:

- Athletic Council did not have recent data to make recommendation
 - January 4^{th} or later 31 schools
 - *Cancel modified 30 schools*
- Concerns shared around facility issues due to schools using their gyms as classrooms, storage rooms, etc. and/or to assist in staggering practices for high school sports
- Majority of modified sports are classified as high-risk sports which do not have authorization

Motion to accept the modified committee's recommendation to start winter modified sports January 4th: *Sigillo / Not seconded*

Motion to postpone all modified winter sports until January 19th. This date will be revaluated at the next Executive Committee meeting as more information is available: Catalino / Cring Approved: 6/4/0

- (D) Consideration of Richard Calkins as a Southern Westchester Superintendent representative <u>Discussion</u>:
 - Joe Ricca announced he was stepping down from the Executive Committee.
 - The Southern Westchester CSA has nominated Richard Calkins as his replacement
 Rich has previously served in similar roles in Section 5 and 10
 - o Several female candidates were approached as potential replacements and regretfully declined

V. Sport Action/Discussion Items (Proposals): N/A

VI. Old Business

VII. New Business

- Concerns shared by Superintendents regarding teams participating at the Armory.
 - If eight teams are present at one time, and if a positive case is identified, will the DOH require all eight teams be required to quarantine?

VIII. Adjournment

Motion to adjourn: Bauerlein / Baiocco Approved: Unanimous

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