



# SANTA CLARA VALLEY ATHLETIC LEAGUE

## Athletic Director's Council Meeting

Wednesday, March 15, 2023- 9 am Fair Oaks Room, Fremont High

### Call to Order

- A. Welcome
- B. Roll Call/Introductions missing, All Present.
- C. Adopt Agenda, and additions?-vote to approve Moved and seconded

### Athletic Directors' Council President's Report-Ken Perrotti

- A. Jennifer Griffin-CCS/SCVAL Scholar Athlete scholarship selections.

Kate Stone-Mountain View; Om Shastri-Los Gatos. Regret letters to other nominees/applicants-Candidates move onto CCS for possibly \$1500. They are assured \$500. Total of 13 applications.

- B. CCS Officials' costs and adjustments. ADC is on board with this? Second reading at SCVAL BOMs and CCS BOMs Adjusting the fee schedule, document attached. Looked at Cost of Living and other associations. Average increase about 15%. Let whoever pays for officials know about the increase.

- C. Music Lyrics ??? "Game time" quote... no league-wide discount-

Process- Principals have to vote to make an amendment to the constitution.

Information: On Demand is \$1000.00 Schools in Southern and WCAL schools use this. LG- paired with their Leadership to try it out. AD's need to discuss with Principals who ultimately vote. PCAL- has no lyrics rule in their constitution. Amendment if ADC approves then they are allowed to play songs with lyrics. CCS Playoffs there have been schools that have lyrics playing, Brad recommends AD's to contact SCVAL Commissioner.

- D. Soccer times remain the same by vote(TABLED VOTE 4/6)of SCVAL BOMs 5 and 7; Water polo remains the same. 3-11-1 to change, January meeting  
If you are moving games due to restrictions on your site. Use the GAME CHANGE FORM. Regardless of Varsity only still need form if any changes are being made.

- E. Second read to have all boys' sports JV 23-24 at BOMs

Talk to your Principals about your position on FS to JV.

- F. Honor Coach Spring due today. Scan and send to Commish Due 3.15.23. Send to SCVAL Commissioner.

- G. Spectator ejections- Language Article XII, section 5.7; Article XIII, section 2.8, 3- Reviewing League policy.  
No specific language regarding the second ejection.

### Article XII

- 5.1 If a spectator is removed by a game official or site supervision, that spectator shall not be allowed at the next game of that sport. If it happens a second time the spectator shall not be allowed to attend any sport contest involving our SCVAL schools for the remainder of the year. Past year's ejection by a spectator shall be part of the two-ejection rule. This is NOT an appealable situation.

## Article XIII

2.8 Vandalism or disorderly conduct. This would include “storming the court” /field and yelling directly at umpires or referees. This could lead to ejection and sanctions to the spectator section and/or student body.

Article XIII 3 Students/spectators shall remain on their own side/area of the field or gymnasium. “Storming the court /field” is never appropriate at any SCVAL contest when our teams are involved. Students and spectators should remain in stands and bleachers unless entering or exiting. Following the directions of supervision or security should always occur. Interacting with coaches or players is not something that should occur. Ejection or removal plus school sanctions can occur. Individual schools may be more restrictive with their spectators or student body.

ACTION Article XII: Motion to approve- All in favor.

ACTION Article XIII 2.8 & 3.- adopts CCS policy into SCVAL- All in favor

H. BVB C division ideas- Talk to VB Coaches we don't have 5 teams for CCS playoffs. We will have the same AQ's as before. Still looking for a team as supplemental to take Macdonald's games

I. 50% rule in the league-CCS By-law- this is also written in SCVAL By-laws. ALL sports. Athletes who are injured and miss the majority of the season must [apply for hardship](#). Sit out period gets you a hardship entry. Lots of exceptions.

J. JV Softball v. Flag football... GLAX officials' issues and coaches for teams are hard to find. Only 1 in El Camino for Softball. Adding Girls' sports can also do the opposite of killing some of the other girls' sports. Seeing a huge decline in softball since Lacrosse. Flag football is making its way as another option.

Have a conversation with Principals about Girls LX becoming a club.

K. Floor items ?? Badminton- figuring out what the SCVAL finals are going to look like.

ACTIONS: Modified each school get 2 from De Anza and 1 from El Camino Unanimous. With modified scoring and 1 discipline on Friday starting at 2 pm.

## Financial report-Brad Metheany

Wrestling costs-thoughts on how to balance costs to gate gatherings-Assessment was charged due to the cost of running SCVAL Tournament.

## Consent calendar-Ken Perrotti

all approved 15-0

A. Winter Sport Movement-

## **Basketball**

### **Boys**

Wilcox-Milpitas up

Cupertino- Saratoga-down

### **Girls**

Fremont-up

Saratoga-down

## **Soccer**

### **Boys**

Fremont-up

Wilcox-down  
Girls  
Los Gatos-up  
Gunn-down

**Wrestling-** 8 in DA, 7 in EC. Coaches of DA wish straight duals; Coaches of EC, small numbers wish tri meets  
Gunn and Homestead-up  
Cupertino-down

ACTION: Vote for all approved movements. Including DeAnza Wrestling moving to duals and El Camino will stay as Tri-Meets.

B. Draft Schedules Winter Sports- Soccer schedule will scramble a little

**Winter Sport reports-by-laws, information**

A. Basketball- Jason Townsend-

- a. No bylaw changes.
- b. Girls move to W/F games and T/Th for Games.
- c. Honorable Mention is now 3rd team.
- d. Quad Schedule. Use Game change forms. Boys FS 3 pm, JV 430 Girls 6:15, 7:45

B. Soccer- Tim Lugo, Darrin Garcia

- a. By-Law changes Amend Section 3.1: There must be three (3) officials for all varsity league contests and two (2) officials for JV/ or F/S assigned by a certified soccer officials association- Amend to 3 officials for JV/FS. Rationale; The quality of the officials improves with a third official and increases player safety. (Pass23-3-1)

ACTION: VOTE- 14-1-0

Added: to bylaw Article 3.8:

The home team will ensure the use of a scoreboard, if operable, for varsity matches. Rationale: Scoreboard creates a more professional and welcoming game night environment for all in attendance. Also helps avoid unneeded interactions between players/coaches and officials in asking for the time repeatedly. (Pass 23-3-1)

Coaches will exchange an up-to-date roster prior to the match, or have an up-to-date roster available to exchange. Rationale: Exchanging rosters is needed as players and teams change throughout the season and not all coaches keep rosters updated. Numbers change, etc. (Pass 24-0)

C. Wrestling- Ken Perrotti-

- a. Gunn and Los Gatos first in duals
- b. All League now determines who qualifies for CCS
- c. By-Law- 6 by-law revisions explained. Actions: No votes required.

**CCS action items-2<sup>nd</sup> Readings- Ken Perrotti**

all anticipated action

- A. Field Hockey- revising single bracket placement in CCS playoffs (no effect to SCVAL- All in favor to approve.)
- B. G Volleyball- Revise Open division play- All in favor.
- C. Football-Revised Division/Open I play; division I, II, III only A teams (5) at large to A teams, division IV, V only B and C teams (1) at large; PAL/SCVAL FB A+ (5) AQs, A- (3) AQs **T**

- a. Proposal #1 his is based on CIF approval of an additional AQ. All approve.
- b. Proposal #2 Favor-8-7 Against.
- c. Proposal #3 Favor- All in Favor.

D. CCS max Officials scale 3-year plan. Officials NOT Admin fee increases.

**CCS action items 1<sup>st</sup> Readings-Jason Townsend**

Jason will send first read items to ADs as ADAC meeting provides by CCS.

Review on your own time with your principals.

**Commissioners Report-Brad Metheany**

- A. Ejections/incidents winter turned around in the wrong direction; spring let's do better; remember I can not appeal ejections any longer. Commissioners are not happy. Too much power to an individual official.

Discussion with Rick/Brad- to pull report with discussion. No appeals allowed.

- B. SCVAL Winter Coaches of the Year; Sportsmanship teams Posted on the SCVAL website.
- C. NIL awareness
- D. Cheerleading by-laws

Next Meeting May 24(W) at Brad's, if it doesn't rain, Lunch BBQ 11:30

Officially dismissed at Noon.