

Santa Clara Valley Athletic League
Board of Managers- meeting Minutes
Thursday, May 27, 2021 -ZOOM (9:05)

Call to Order

- A. Welcome
- B. Roll Call and introductions
 - I. Members present Brad Metheany, Commissioner; Kami Tomberlain-L (Cupertino); Andy Walczak for Bryan Emmert (Fremont); Wendy Stratton (Gunn); Greg Giglio (Homestead)-L ; Wynne Satterwhite (Los Altos); Paul Robinson (Los Gatos), Amy Drolette (Los Gatos); Francis Rojas (Milpitas); Ben Clausnitzer-L (Monta Vista); Brent Kline (Palo Alto); Gregory Shelby (Santa Clara), Greg Louie (Saratoga); Kristin Gonzalez -L(Wilcox-late); Tim Lugo ADC Rep (Saratoga); Maria Jackson (Lynbrook); Michael Jimenez -L(Mountain View)
- C. Adopt Agenda- Approved (10-0)

Public Input

Pursuant to EDCode 33353.2 (C) any person wishing to address any item on the agenda or comment on policies and practices of the CIF/CCS/SCVAL will be heard at this time. (3 minute statement max; with a one hour limit to public input)- Agenda or non-Agenda items

(2) members of the public input spoke to SCVAL Board of Managers on governers issues and swimming non-participation in CCS.

Presidents Report- Greg Shelby

- A. Approval of SCVAL meeting calendar for 2021-22- ADC, SCVAL BOMs, CCS BOMs plus CCS Admin workshop (14-0).
- B. Athletic Director Chairperson of Sport Assignments provided for 2021-22.
- C. CCS Documents for next year. 2021-22 start dates and end dates; Prominent CCS meeting dates; Playoff calendar dates; CCS Deadline dates all can be found on CCS webpage. Our (5) BOMs reps to CCS for 2021-22 Bryan Emmert (Fremont); Greg Louie (Saratoga); Francis Rojas (Milpitas); Wynne Satterwhite (Los Altos); Greg Shelby (Santa Clara) (14-0)
- D. Disruption to league contests completion for CCS consideration because of Covid-19 issues or testing. If the division has complete standings we will utilize sport by-laws to determine automatics and at large order. If not, Commissioner, AD in Charge and reps from the division will gather and use winning percentage, head to head, coaches vote and coin flip to determine automatics and at large submissions.
- E. Santa Clara County is now in the yellow tier. For indoor sports, testing is not currently mandated by the county or state, but schools/districts may choose to continue testing. Testing may become mandatory again if our county moves back to orange or if a team goes to playoffs and plays a team from a county that is not in yellow tier (regardless of the location of the game). Keeping **masks** in place by athletes seems the safest practice for ALL league schools. All spectators whether vaccinated or not should wear masks and social distance. CCS will determine their practices for spectators, capacity at a venue, ticket entry, testing requirements and masks. Our districts can be more restrictive.

Spring Sport draft schedule 2021-22

Reviewed schedules for spring sports 2021-22. Missing Softball DA and B & G Lacrosse approved (14-0). Mountain View tennis faces a court demolition next couple of years.

Financial report-Brad Metheany

Planning for next year's budget has begun and will be reviewed at August BOMs meeting. Law firm fees have been substantial for 2020-21.

Commissioner's Report-Brad Metheany

- A. Questions of any sport eligible for playoffs. Otherwise all other CCS sports an administrator other than the coach (15) minutes before the contest needs to attend. Spectators continue to be a problem. Very demanding and pushy. Schools need to have consistent practices, together.
- B. The SCVAL webpage will revert back to previous structure after 2020-21 truncated seasons this pandemic year.
- C. Unfortunately, no CCS playoffs for Gymnastics but they continue with facility and multiple county venues to work meets virtually are in place. They will continue until May 28th. Gary DeGuzman-Cupertino will be CCS Honor coach this year and Bill Strom will be awarded the CCS Distinguished Service award in the fall.
- D. Justin Nguyen -Milpitas CIF "Spirit of Sport Award" winner
- E. Thank you to all on this most difficult year imaginable. Covid-19 around us everywhere. Delays, cancellations, rebirth, complete reorganizing of sport seasons, compressing competition windows, schedule, reschedule, schedule, officials associations lack of officials, facility conflicts (a lot), lawyers, late CCS involvement, zoom and zoom and zoom, TESTING, and (15) sports at the same time in season (T3), not to mention the week of April 19th overlap. But, somehow we saved every single sport so the athletes could put on their school colors and compete against someone other than a Xbox. Be proud of what you made happen... over 370 events home and away by your school by year's end!!! I appreciate, value and applaud you. Our hope is the student athletes had a good time under a century happening pandemic situation.
- F. Good byes to Tim Lugo and Paul Robinson... a job well done, thank you

Next meeting August 19th at Cupertino High, 7:45 AM..... 10:03