



**NEWSLETTER
2007-08**

**Chairman Walter Blucas
Secretary Peter Iacino**

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The following highlights the District ten meetings of December 5th, 2007 and January 23rd, 2008.

ADMINISTRATION

- ❖ The committee approved a request from Harbor Creek Youth Services for admission to D-10 (Dec.)
- ❖ The committee approved the recommendations of the realignment committee on realignment for 2008-2010. (Jan)
- ❖ The committee approved a cooperative sports request from Oil City HS and Venango Catholic in the sports of Girls and Boys tennis and swimming effective 2008. (Dec)
- ❖ A request by Oil City High School and Venango Catholic HS to dissolve cooperative sports agreement in the sport of Football was approved by the Committee. (Dec)
- ❖ The Chairman appointed a committee to review and develop official's pay rates and assigner fees for sub-varsity games. (Dec)
- ❖ Mr. Perfetto, AD Representative, presented athletic Directors survey to the Committee. After discussion language-involving flexibility in scheduling was approved. (Dec)
- ❖ The Committee revised the basketball fee schedule effective immediately (\$100.00 early rounds, 125.00 semi-finals, and 150.00 finals. (Dec)
- ❖ The Committee discussed the special service awards to be given at the annual banquet. Anyone wanting to nominate a respective recipient should contact Mr. Blucas or any Committee member. (Jan)
- ❖ The Committee authorized the secretary to prepare the annual April Ballot. (Jan)
- ❖ The Committee approved changes in the D-10 Handbook within Article IX. The changes will appear on the website. (Jan)

- ❖ **The Committee approved a request by McDowell High School to become an associate member of WPIAL in the sport of Football. (Jan)**
- ❖ **Dr lacino present ed information to the full committee on a hearing involving a transfer between two member schools (Jan)**
- ❖ **The Committee approved a request by Cathedral Prep for release in Boys Lacrosse. (Jan)**

BUSINESS AND FINANCE

- ❖ **The Committee approved the monthly financial reports submitted by Treasurer Mr. Picardo for the December and January meetings. After all bills were paid the treasury now shows a balance of\$24,647.51**
- ❖ **Mr. Rafle, Marketing Director informed the committee that all garment for the winter events have been received and will be distributed to the proper tournament directors.**

TOURNAMENT REPORTS

- 1. Wrestling – the committee approved The Tournament format as present by Mr./ McIntyre.**
- 2. Cross-Country - Mr. Deemer sent a survey to all participating schools to inquire about the possibility of combining championship races. The results were to keep the four-classification format the same.**
- 3. Track & Field – The committee approved the Track format submitted by Mr. Pircardo for the 2008 Championships.**

ELIGIBILITY

The committee took action on the following eligibility cases

Principal to Principal

12 Cases were approved; 1 case tabled pending additional paper work.

Foreign Exchange

9 Cases were approved

CORRESPONDENCE

The committee received the following correspondence for the months of December and January.

- 1. National Federation: sports participation**
- 2. PIAA re: information concerning a member school violation in sport of Golf.**
- 3. Letter-Oil City High School re: intention to sponsor Girls Soccer effective 2008.**
- 4. Letter- enrollment correction from Harbor Creek HS.**
- 5. Letter- Bradford High School to participate in D-10 Football Tournament**
- 6. Letter – Thank you from the Blucas family**
- 7. Packet – Of correspondence on suspension of officials**
- 8. Various E-mails on re-alignment**
- 9. Letter-member school forfeiture of wrestling match.**
- 10. Letter –member school on incidents and results.**
- 11. Letter—Bradford HS on soccer admittance**
- 12. Letter-PIAA Franklin & Rocky Grove co-op in Wrestling.**

BOARD OF CONTROL

**Mr. Blucas updated the committee on the Transfer Rule.
Mr. Blucas reviewed the agenda for the January Board meeting.**

CONCLUDING INFORMATION

The next D-10 meeting is scheduled for April 2nd, 2008 at the Iroquois Club, of Conneaut Lake.