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Minutes  
Athletic Council  
Elm School  
129 Elm Street, Vacaville  
May 21, 2012

Commissioner Joan Mumaugh called the meeting to order at 8:32 a.m..

Present:

Bob Baclig, Michael Clarkston, Fred Jones, John Lammon, Brian King, Cam Neal, Mike Papadopoulos, and Mark Wudel.

I Spring Sports

A. Badminton – No Report

B. Baseball

1. Napa is to receive the additional pennant that was ordered for the tie.
2. SCAC vs MEL All Start baseball game will be played June 11<sup>th</sup> at 4 p.m. at the Veteran's Home in Napa.

C. Boys Golf

1. Vacaville and Napa teams qualified for Sections along with 6 individuals.
2. Aaron Beverly (one of the individuals) qualified during the Masters for the Northern California Championships. The NorCal qualifiers move on to the CIF State Tournament on June 6<sup>th</sup>.

D. Girls Soccer

The MEL sent 3 teams to Sections this year: Napa, Vintage and Wood.

E. Softball

1. 3 MEL teams qualified for the Section Tournament: Napa, Vintage & Vacaville.
2. At the All League meeting, there was a question about how to handle inflated statistics. Next season there will be a coaches pre-season meeting to discuss game statistics along with a different way to calculate All League recipients.

3. All League Tie

There was an unbreakable tie for the 14<sup>th</sup> All League patch. The ADs decided to only award 13 patches since the coaches were at a stalemate.

F. Swimming / Diving – No Report

## G. Boys Tennis

1. Each school was billed \$45 for the USTA official for the League meet.
2. Cam asked each AD to verify with their accounting office that the fall official fee had been paid.

## H. Track

1. The League meet at Fairfield went okay. There was a problem with no lights available for Thursday evening finals.
2. Fairfield and Napa did not make up their dual meet. Fairfield should have hosted a meet but said they were concerned with the safety of the athletes with too many dual and weekend competition in a two week period.  
After a lengthy discussion, Fred Jones motioned that: Fairfield should forfeit the FF/Napa dual meet since no reschedule date was ever set. The motion was seconded by Cam. Vote unanimous.  
Mike Papadopoulos will re-compute the League Standing for both boys and girls teams and notify Joan of the results.
3. Fred asked that we table the discussion regarding a by-law change for rescheduling rained-out meets. All the ADs were in agreement.

## II Fall Sports

### A. Football

1. Fred reminded everyone that bags, shields and sleds were permissible during summer football.
- \*\*\* 2. According to Section by-law 1903.1, the use of *any* football equipment will not be allowed between the end of a school's football season and the school's last day of attendance.
3. The last day of school starts summer; not June 1<sup>st</sup>.

### B. Volleyball

1. A new schedule was created to replace the 2012 -13 approved schedule because the Section changed the last contest date.
2. Volleyball's first contest date will be September 10, 2012 and not September 12, 2012.

## III Winter Sports

Basketball power rating will change for next year that recognizes competition with D-III schools equal to competition with D-I and D-11 schools.

## IV Contingency Schedules

- A. Cross Country, Golf (boys & girls), Basketball (boys & girls) and Track (boys & girls) are all okay for next season.
- B. Softball, Badminton, Volleyball, Tennis, Baseball and Soccer will complete and send the schedules to Joan by May 25<sup>th</sup>. Joan will then send out schedules for approval.
- C. Football and Wrestling each had 3 possible schedules. Each AD is to review the choices with the Principal and appropriate coach and send Joan their vote for the schedule they like the best. Joan will then notify all the schools which football and wrestling schedule will be used.
- D. There were no schedules for swimming/diving presented at this time.

## V School of the Year

Napa High scored 138.5 points to edge out Vacaville High at 137 points.

Congratulations to **Napa, the 2012 School of the Year.**

VI Other

A. League Gate Receipts

1. The gate receipts for League swimming has been submitted.
2. Track still needs to submit the gate receipts to the League.

B. Section League Reps

Joan reviewed which AD was the League Representative to the Section for each sport.

C. Meeting Calendar

The first meeting for 2012 – 2013 is Thursday, August 30, 2012.

D. Football Camp Form

1. Vacaville and Wood have submitted football camp forms for this summer.
2. Joan will email Michael a copy of the form he can use if Rodriquez decides on a football camp.

E. Section Update

The State CIF has adopted a 45-day sit-out rule for students that transfer schools without a bona fide residence change.

Meeting adjourned at 11:05 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Joan Mumaugh

MEL Commissioner