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Minutes
Board of Managers
Zoom Conference
January 28, 2021

I Opening

A. Present:

Armijo	Sheila Smith	Brad Burzynski	Melissa Wilson
Rodriguez	Clarence Isador	Tracy Cordes	
Vacaville	Adam Wight, Stu Clary, Mike Papadopoulos, Chris Santopadre		
Wood	Adam Rich, Andrea Daniels, Nick Voight		
Fairfield	Will Cushman	Eddie Wilson	
Vanden	Kristin Shields	Matt Bidou	

Adam Rich called the meeting to order at 3:01

B. Approval of Minutes

Rodriguez motioned to accept the minutes of January 21 2020 as posted, second by Vacaville, vote unanimous.

II One Season of Sports

A. School Readiness

1. Vacaville District—

- a. Vacaville schools are authorized for purple sports as outlined by CDPH and SCHD.
- b. Authorization for competition of more than two teams needs to be secured from SCHD. At this time, Vacaville District Office personnel are looking at what some of the requirements are to compete against more than one school.
- c. Transportation of students to competition venues still needs to be determined.

2. Fairfield District—

- a. Currently FSUSD students are only able to condition under the small cohort restrictions.
- b. FSUSD is scheduled to address sports at the District meeting this evening.

3. Travis District—

- a. Travis High has been authorized to compete in those “purple” tier sports that have been outlined by the CDPH and following County health guidelines.
- b. Transportation for contests will not be provided by the school district.

B. Scheduling Season of Play for Each Sport

1. The Section has designated February 1- June 12 as possible competition dates for all sports except “football” which must end by April 16th. After discussion a unanimous decision was made that MEL competition dates would be February 1-May 29th.
2. We discussed 3 examples of what other leagues were considering for their sports competition calendar. The MEL then decided to divide the sports into 3 date categories based on tier color and possibility of reaching competition playability. In addition we want extra time (in case of rainout or facility issues) for those sports that actually were canceled during last school year.
3. The BOM decided to put Football into the first group of teams scheduled to play, as their cut-off date was April 16th. Currently football is in tier 3 orange.

C. Schedules for Competition

1. The Athletic Council (ADs) will meet to discuss the length of each season and the sports that will be in each season. Each Athletic Director in charge of the league sport will develop and present their recommended schedule for the 2021 limited seasons. Once proposed schedules are reviewed and approved by the Athletic Council they will be presented to the MEL Board of Managers for approval and implementation.
2. The Section sent the following statement on January 28, 2021—
“All sports not within the league-approved season of sport calendar dates will fall under “limited” and “out of season” period guidelines (CIF SJS Bylaws 504.7 and 504.9).”

III Questions

There were a few questions that need clarification as we move forward.

1. Once a student & coach complete a particular sport can he/she just move to the next season without any quarantine sit out time?
2. Should the sports of golf and tennis separate the boys and girls teams to different seasons?

VI Other—No Items

Meeting adjournment at 4:25

Respectfully Submitted
Joan Mumaugh
MEL Commissioner