



# Section IX Athletics

Gregory Ransom, Executive Director

**Section IX Athletic Council Meeting  
Tuesday, April 19, 2016  
Orange-Ulster BOCES  
Carl Onken Conference Center, Room B & C at 9:30 am**

1. Call to Order: Greg Ransom
2. Pledge of Allegiance: Greg Ransom
3. Review of Meeting Materials – Jim Osborne
4. Approval of March 15, 2016 Minutes
5. Financial Report: Jim Osborne
6. Section IX NYSPHSAA Representatives – Roberta Greene and Jim Wolfe
7. NYSPHSAA Office Report
8. Combining of Teams – Antonia Woody, Tim Bult
9. Section IX Legal Representation – Greg Ransom
10. Back from the Leagues
  - a. Girls Golf – Section IX Team Champion
  - b. Legal Representation
  - c. Girls Basketball
    - i. Pink and White Basketball
    - ii. Time Outs
  - d. NYSPHSAA Hall of Fame
  - e. Regional Track & Field Hall of Fame
  - f. Section IX Athletics start dates, meeting dates and sites
11. Spring Chair Reports:
  - a. Baseball                      Jeremy Weber & James Ryan
  - b. Boys Golf                      Tom Howe
  - c. Girls Golf                      Bill Earl
  - d. Boys Lacrosse                Bob Slate
  - e. Girls Lacrosse                Wendy Crandall
  - f. Boys Tennis                    Urvashi Gupta
  - g. Track & Field                 Matt Hemmer and Brian Halling
  - h. Softball                        Tom Cassata and Steve Boucher
12. Chair Reports:
  - a. Girls & Boys Modified Sports    Jeremy Weber & Michelle Henn
  - b. Safety                            Janet Carey
  - c. Chemical Health                Marco Lanzoni
  - d. Eligibility                        Fred Ahart
  - e. Officials Coordinator        Dennis Burkett
  - f. Sportsmanship                 Glen Maisch
13. New Business
14. Old Business
15. Adjournment of Section IX Meeting
16. Section IX Executive Session

Next Meeting Date:

Tuesday, May 24, 2016 at Monroe-Woodbury Education Center at 9:30 a.m.

S9 Combining of Teams Committee Recommendations - March 29, 2016

<b>SPORT</b>	<b>HOST SCHOOL</b>	<b>COMB SCHOOL #1</b>	<b>COMB SCHOOL #2</b>	<b>RECOMMENDATION</b>	<b>RATIONALE</b>	<b>IS #</b>	
1	G.Gym	Kingston	New Paltz	X	Combine	Part #'s/ 2-K & 4-NP	5
2	G.Swim	Kingston	Rondout Valley	X	Shadow	Part #'s/ 24-K & 1-RV	7
3	B.A.Ski	Kingston	Rondout Valley	X	Shadow	Part #'s/ 4-K	4
4	G.A.Ski	Kingston	Rondout Valley	X	Combine	Part #'s/ 2-K & 2-RV	4
5	B.Bkball	Kingston	Mount Academy	X	Combine	Part #'s	N/A
6	Ind Trk	Kingston	Mount Academy	X	Shadow	Part #'s/ 40-K	7
7	B.Swim	Kingston	Rondout Valley	X	Shadow	Part #'s/ 15-K & 2-RV	7
8	Wrest	Liberty	Eldred	Sullivan West	Combine	Part #'s/ 7-Lib, 3-Eld, 3-SW	8
9	G.Swim	<u>FDR @ Cull Inst.</u>	Millbrook	X	Shadow	Part #/ 13-FDR & 1-Mill	7
10	B. Swim	Marlboro	FDR	X	Shadow	Part #'s/ 14-Marl & 6-FDR	7
11	G. Swim	Marlboro	Highland	X	Shadow	Part #'s/ 12-Marl & 6-High	7
12	G. Ten	Fallsburg	Tri-Valley	X	Combine	Part #'s	N/A
13	B. Ten	Fallsburg	Tri-Valley	X	Combine	Part #'s	N/A
14	G.A.Ski	Fallsburg	Tri-Valley	X	Shadow	Part #'s/ 4-Falls & 2-TV	4
15	B.A.Ski	Fallsburg	Tri-Valley	X	Shadow	Part #'s/ 2-Falls & 11-TV	4
16	VB	Ellenville	Wawarsing C.A.	X	Combine	Part #'s	N/A
17	B Soc	Ellenville	Wawarsing C.A.	X	Combine	Part #'s	N/A
18	G.Soc	Ellenville	Wawarsing C.A.	X	Combine	Part #'s	N/A
19	G.Ten	Ellenville	Wawarsing C.A.	X	Combine	Part #'s	N/A
20	G.Golf	Rondout	Coleman	SPRING 2016	Combine	Part #'s	N/A

\* Updated 3/29/16 @ 9am



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April 21, 2016

## Request for Proposals – Legal Services

This request is for the purpose of selecting legal counsel for Section IX of the New York State Public High School Athletic Association. Section IX is one of eleven geographically organized sections which administers interscholastic athletics for its member school districts. The Section consists of 46 schools located in Dutchess, Ulster, Sullivan and Orange Counties. The Section is governed by the Athletic Council.

The selected attorney will provide legal services on an hourly basis, including but not limited to the following:

- Act as General Counsel to the Section Athletic Council
- Representation in all legal proceedings before the Commissioner of Education, PERB, state and federal courts and administrative agencies
- Written legal opinions upon request
- Initiate and/or defend legal actions at the direction of the Athletic Council
- Prepare all necessary legal documents
- Attend Athletic Council and/or Committee meetings upon request
- Provide legal guidance on NYSED, NYSPHSAA and Sections rules and regulations

All proposals should be sent by June 1, 2016 to:

Gregory P. Ransom  
Executive Director Section IX Athletics  
P.O. Box 656  
Goshen, New York 10924

RFP's will be opened at 10:00 AM on June 1, 2016 at Orange-Ulster BOCES Office of Interscholastic Athletics, located at the CJ Hooker Middle School, 41 Lincoln Avenue, Goshen, New York 10924. Representatives from the Section IX Athletic Council will review all RFP's and conduct interviews before making a recommendation to the full Athletic Council.

**Regional Track and Field Hall of Fame Committee**  
**Newburgh N.Y. 12550**

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February 2, 2016

Greg Ransom  
Executive Director of Section IX Athletics  
53 Gibson Road  
Goshen, NY 10924

Dear Mr. Ransom:

As a former Section IX track and field athlete who has served as a track and field coach for the past 24 years in Section IX and abroad, it gives me great pleasure to announce that key coaches, officials, and track and field-related individuals have formed a committee and taken the initial steps in establishing a Track and Field Hall of Fame for our region. As the committee chairperson, I cannot adequately express what an absolute honor and privilege it is to present this information to you and your committee.

After evaluating area athletics, the committee has determined that the successful establishment of a Track and Field Hall of Fame would increase the physical activity level, competitiveness, sportsmanship, and awareness of the athletes, coaches, and officials in our region. As a result, we have designed a Track and Field Hall of Fame to assist the region in honoring and awarding outstanding individual athletes from our area. Our hope is that your committee will allow the prefix "Section IX" to be honorably attached to the name of the Track and Field Hall of Fame.

Thank you and your staff for allowing us the opportunity to expand our knowledge of the amazing competitors, coaches and officials that have worked within our region. The committee members and I look forward to working with the section coordinators in recognizing deserving individuals.

Respectfully,  
Malcolm Burks  
Newburgh Free Academy Head Boys Track and Field Coach  
(845) 728-4330



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## D R A F T

### Section IX Athletics – Start Dates

All Fall Sports – Monday, August 15, 2016  
Ice Hockey – Tuesday, November 1, 2016  
Winter Sports – Monday, November 7, 2016  
Spring Sports – Monday, March 6, 2017

### Mandated NYSPHSAA Workshop

Tues., Sept 20, 2016	Wallkill High School	9:30 a.m.
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### Section IX Meeting Dates and Sites

Tues., Sept. 13, 2016	Coleman Catholic High School	9:30 a.m.
Tues., October 18, 2016	Orange-Ulster BOCES	9:30 a.m.
Tues., Nov. 15, 2016	Coleman Catholic High School	9:30 a.m.
Thurs., Jan. 5, 2016	Orange-Ulster BOCES	9:30 a.m.
Tues., March 14, 2017	Coleman Catholic High School	9:30 a.m.
Tues., April 18, 2017	Orange-Ulster BOCES	9:30 a.m.
Tues., May 23, 2017	Monroe-Woodbury Ed. Ctr.	9:30 a.m.
Tues., June 20, 2017	TBA	

