



Section IX Athletics

Gregory Ransom, Executive Director

**Section IX Athletic Council Meeting
Tuesday, May 10, 2022
Video Conference Call at 9:30 am**

1. Call to Order- Greg Ransom
2. Review of Meeting Materials
3. Approval of April 5, 2022, Minutes
4. Financial Report- Linda Trapani
 - a. Section IX Sports Dues 2022-2023 Forms
5. Section IX NYSPHSAA Representatives- Roberta Greene and Jim Wolfe
 - a. Section III – Cheerleading Classifications – Competitive
 - b. Safety Committee – Tornado Policy
 - c. NYSPHSAA Strategic Plan 2022-2027
 - d. BEDS Enrollment used for NYSPHSAA Classifications
 - e. 6th Classification – Approve all Sports that are recommending going 6 Classes starting in the 2023-24 school year
 - f. Girls Soccer – Revise Overtime Procedure
 - g. Football – Adopt NFHS Rules for 8-Man Football
 - h. Football – Adopt Revised Classification Cut-off Numbers for 2022-2023
 - i. Boys & Girls Tennis – Eliminate Consolation Matches and Add Only Medal Playoffs at the NYSPHSAA State Tournament
 - j. Boys Ice Hockey – Revise Post-season Overtime Procedure
 - k. Boys Ice Hockey – Revise Language in NYSPHSAA Handbook on Goalie Warm-up Time
 - l. Gymnastics – Allow Competitors the Option to Wear Spandex/Lycra Shorts During Competition
 - m. Gymnastics – Approval to Make Three (3) Scoring Changes in Technical Handbook
 - n. Championship Advisory Committee
 - i. Officials Fees and Policies Revision for Football
 - ii. Officials Submission Procedures at State Semi-Finals and Finals
 - iii. Use of Standby Official on the Field for State Semi-Finals and Finals
6. NYSPHSAA Office Report
7. Combining of Teams - Tim Bult and Dominic Zarrella
8. Spring Chair Reports:
 - a. Baseball Michael Gillespie
 - b. Softball Steve Boucher / Tom Cassata
 - c. Boys Golf Jorma Tompuri
 - d. Girls Golf Bill Earle
 - e. Boys Lacrosse Rich Saulino
 - f. Girls Lacrosse Wendy Crandall / Leslie Ahlborn
 - g. Boys Tennis Urvashi Gupta
 - h. Track & Field Matt Hemmer / Pat Burkhardt
9. Chair Reports:
 - a. Girls & Boys Modified Sports Greg Warren / Suzanne Lenzian
 - b. Safety Janet Carey
 - c. Student Athlete Advisory Committee Suzanne Lenzian
 - d. Eligibility Tom Cassata
 - e. Officials Coordinator Dennis Burkett
 - f. Sportsmanship Adam Kless
 - g. Unified Sports Rich Silverstein
10. Old Business
 - a. Sectional Guidance on 6 Classifications
 - b. Indoor Track – League Input
 - c. Section IX Gold Cards
11. New Business
12. Adjournment of Section IX Meeting

Next Meeting Date:
Wednesday, June 15, 2022