



Section IX Athletics

Gregory Ransom, Executive Director

Section IX Athletic Council Meeting

Wednesday, January 4, 2023

In-Person at 9:30 am

Orange-Ulster BOCES

1. Call to Order- Greg Ransom
2. Review of Meeting Materials
3. Approval of November 1, 2022, Minutes
4. Financial Report- Linda Trapani
5. Section IX NYSPHSAA Representatives- Roberta Greene and David Coates

VOTING:

- a. Removing the NYSPHSAA Note Under Mixed Competition
- b. Modified: Changing Soccer Mouth Guard Requirement to Recommended
- c. Modified: Increasing Max Number of Events for Track & Field
- d. Football: Amend Guidelines for Combined Practices for 11-Man
- e. Boys Wrestling: NFHS 1.5% Weight Loss Plan
- f. Boys Wrestling: Eliminate the NYSPHSAA Honor Weigh-In
- g. Boys Wrestling: 2023-2024 Weight Classes
- h. Boys Wrestling: Division Cut-Off Numbers
- i. Girls Flag Football: High School Sports Standards
- j. Girls Flag Football: NFHS/NYSPHSAA Playing Rules
- k. Girls Flag Football: Establish a State Championship in 2024

6. NYSPHSAA Office Report – Dr. Robert Zayas
7. Combining of Teams - Tim Bult and Dominic Zarrella
8. Winter Chair Reports:

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| a. Boys Basketball | Rob Gravelle |
| b. Girls Basketball | Steve Boucher |
| c. Boys Bowling | Chris Vero |
| d. Girls Bowling | Sean Collins |
| e. Boys Swimming | Scott Warner |
| f. Winter Track | Mike White |
| g. Boys Wrestling | Jeff Culty |
| h. Girls Wrestling | Tom Cunningham |
| i. Nordic Skiing | Ann Gregory |
| j. Alpine Skiing | Janet Carey |
| k. Cheerleading (Competitive) | Patti Archiere |
| l. Gymnastics | Nicole Calderone |

9. Chair Reports:

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| 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 |
| h. Girls Flag Football | Rich Silverstein / Greg Sirico |

10. Old Business
11. New Business
12. Adjournment of Section IX Meeting

Next Meeting Date:

Tuesday, March 14, 2023

Zoom Meeting at 9:30 am