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2009-10 CCS CIF BOYS' AND GIRLS' LACROSSE MEETING MINUTES
May 19, 2010

In Attendance:

Coaches – Alga Galpenn, Gunn; Jade Chao, Gunn, Craig Conover, Palo Alto; Bill Glzaier, Palo Alto; Steven Kryger, Menlo-Atherton; Pete Winn, Pacific Grove; Brad Lipscomb, Bellarmine; Carlos Trujillo, Archbishop Mitty; Tara Pratt, Burlingame; Josephine Lai, Notre Dame, SJ; Jessica Paige, St. Francis; Mona Mesbahi, Pioneer; Megan Steck, Los Gatos; Jen Lee, Menlo; Eleni Rodgers, Saratoga; Joe Juter, Mt. View; Jeff Young, Stevenson.

Athletic Directors – Peter Jordan, Saratoga; Ken Perrotti, Los Gatos.

Officials – Eleni Papateskas Rodgers, Girls' Assignor; Hank Malloy, US Lacrosse

CCS Staff – Steve Filios, Assistant Commissioner

1. OFFICIALS

Hank Malloy reviewed Rule 7, the loose-ball rule. He also responded a question about stick length noting that there is no discussion for any change at the NFHS level at this time. In a discussion of officials, Hank recommended the use of three (3) officials rather than two (2) officials per game as well as insuring that schools and/or school districts have definitive contracts with the officials association. In additional discussion, the group discussed how to encourage individuals to get involved in officiating. They also requested that assignors insure that officials are not assigned to games if they have a connection to either of the teams involved. Steve Filios reminded both coaches and officials that the CCS has a more restrictive ejection policy than the NFHS rules.

2. START DATES & MAXIMUM CONTESTS

Jeff Young distributed an informational sheet listing the CCS Lacrosse policies and rules involving rules, starting and ending dates, number of allowable contests, league definition and post season play. Assistant Commissioner Filios noted that the following start dates take effect with the 2011 season:

Jan 31: first day of practice

Feb 14: first day to have a scrimmage

Feb 21: first day to have a contest

He also reviewed the process for CCS tournament sanctioning, NFHS tournament sanctioning (if required), and filing a form 502 (permission to play a non-CIF team).

In a related discussion, Assistant Commissioner Filios noted that because the CCS does have a section playoff for lacrosse, there has not been any official ending date for the sport. To insure that all

lacrosse schools have common starting and end dates, he requested a recommendation from the group on a common end date. It was MOVED, SECONDED and CARRIED to establish May 15, 2011 as the ending date for 2011.

3. LEAGUE CONFIGURATION FOR 2010-2011.

LEAGUES – Girls:

WBAL: Foothill Division: Burlingame, Castilleja, Menlo, Menlo-Atherton, Sacred Heart Prep
Skyline Division: Woodside, Mercy-Burlingame, Harker, Notre Dame-San Jose.

SCVAL: Gunn, Leland, Los Gatos, Palo Alto, Pioneer, Saratoga, St. Francis

Independent: Stevenson, Santa Catalina, St. Ignatius, Sacred Heart Cathedral (JV only)

LEAGUES – Boys:

SCVAL – DeAnza Division: Burlingame, Los Gatos, Menlo, Menlo-Atherton, Mountain View, Palo Altos, Saratoga

SCVAL – El Camino Division: Gunn, Leland, Los Altos, Sacred Heart Prep, Woodside

MTAL – Carmel, Pacific Collegiate, Pacific Grove, Stevenson, Watsonville, York

SCCAL – Aptos, Harbor, San Lorenzo Valley, Santa Cruz, Scotts Valley, Soquel

WCAL – Bellarmine, Mitty, Serra, St. Francis, St. Ignatius, Sacred Heart Cathedral (JV only)

5. REVIEW OF CCS PLAYOFF PROPOSAL

Assistant Commissioner Filios noted that no formal proposal from any league for a CCS Playoff had been submitted to date. He reminded the group of the process timeline and procedure.

7. BOYS' AND GIRLS' COACH PHONE/EMAIL LIST

An updated boys' and girls' lacrosse contact is now posted on the NorCal lacrosse site website. There is a link from the CCS website to the page.

8. OTHER ITEMS

- Assistant Commissioner Filios noted that Jeff Young has been recognized as the Lacrosse Coach of the Year by the California Coaches Association.
- Assistant Commissioner Filios noted that the CCS Board of Managers recently passed a proposal that changes the definition of summer to the 2nd Saturday in June until August 1. This means all CIF and CCS rules that apply during the school year are applicable beginning August 1st rather than the Fall Starting date.

9. MEETING: SCHEDULE FOR 2010-11

Preseason meeting: Wednesday, November 3, 6:30 pm @ CCS Office

Postseason meeting: Wednesday, May 18, 6:30 pm @ CCS Office.

Minutes written and submitted by Steve Filios, Assistant Commissioner, CCS.