



## CIF/CENTRAL COAST SECTION

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### **2010-11 CCS BOYS' AND GIRLS' LACROSSE MEETING MINUTES** ***November 3, 2010***

In Attendance:

**Boys Coaches** – Matt Oelkers, Bellarmine; Steve Zehring, Leland; Jason Rann, Los Gatos; Steven Kryger, Menlo-Atherton; Ryan Morper, Santa Cruz; Larry Bochm, Saratoga; We Koenig, Scotts Valley; Jeff Young, Stevenson; Bonnie Keet, Soquel

**Girls Coaches** – Jade Chao, Gunn; Jen Lee, Menlo; Jamie Nesbitt, Palo Alto; Leni Rodgers, Saratoga; Jessica Paige, St. Francis; Kelly Burnett, Stevenson;

**Athletic Directors** –Shelby Edwards, Los Gatos.

**U.S. Lacrosse** –Hank Malloy, US Lacrosse

**Officials** – John Boone, Leni Rodgers

**CCS Staff** – Steve Filios, Assistant Commissioner

The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Jeff Young at 6:30 pm.

#### **1. OFFICIALS**

Assistant Commissioner Filios with input from Hank Malloy, John Boone and Leni Rodgers reviewed the status of high school lacrosse officiating. Coaches were reminded all coaches to enter their games into Arbiter when the site opens after Thanksgiving.

#### **2. 2011 Rule Changes**

Leni Rodgers and John Boone reviewed updates to high school lacrosse rules for girls and boys lacrosse respectively. Assistant Commissioner Filios responded to questions regarding the guidelines for scrimmages. He also reviewed the responsibilities for both coaches and officials under the new CIF concussion bylaw which is more restrictive than the NFHS rule.

#### **3. 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 the following start dates for 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  
May 14: last day to have a contest

**4. 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 Alto, Saratoga

**SCVAL – El Camino Division:** Gunn, Leland, Los Altos, Priory, 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. IMPORTANT DATES FOR 2011:**

- December 4: US Womens' Lacrosse Clinic @ Stanford
- January 8: NorCal Lacrosse Clinic @ California Maritime Academy
- January 21-23: US Lacrosse Convention
- For CCS HS tournament dates: see listing on CCS website under "Tournament Sanctioning" (<http://cifccs.org/toursanc/Tournament%20Sanctioning%20Spring%202010-2011.pdf>)

**6. 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.

**7. OTHER ITEMS**

- Assistant Commissioner Filios noted that no formal proposal from any league for a CCS Playoff had been submitted to date.
- In response to a question about "box lacrosse" Assistant Commissioner Filios noted that the CIF has ruled that box lacrosse and lacrosse are considered two different sports and thus, lacrosse athletes are not subject to the CIF rule 600 restrictions if they play box lacrosse as well.
- Assistant Commissioner Filios reviewed the process for CCS tournament sanctioning, NFHS tournament sanctioning (if required), and filing a form 502 (permission to play a non-CIF team).
- Jen Lee and Hank Malloy reviewed the process for nominating and selecting players for All-American honors noting that the process is different for girls and boys. They did note that coaches do have input if they are members of U.S. Lacrosse.

**8. NEXT MEETING: SCHEDULE**

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

Minutes written and submitted by Steve Filios, Assistant Commissioner