

## REPORT OF THE BASEBALL COMMITTEE

The following Committee members were in attendance:

| <u>LEAGUE</u>  | <u>REPRESENTATIVE</u>    | <u>LEAGUE</u>   | <u>REPRESENTATIVE</u>    |
|--|--------------------------|---|--------------------------|
| BVAL-MHAL  | Jake Hernandez-Pioneer   | PSAL WBAL   | Craig Schoof-Menlo       |
| BVAL-STAL  | absent                   | SCCAL   | Joseph Allegri-Harbor    |
| BVAL-WVAL  | Matthew Ojeda-San Jose   | SCVAL-DAL   | absent                   |
| CPSAL PSAL   | Matt Selway- Thomas More | SCVAL-ECAL  | Chuck Blair, Santa Clara |
| MBL  | absent                   | TCAL  | Art Hunsdorfer, Salinas  |
| MTAL   | Randall Bispo-Carmel     | PAL-Bay   | Jesse Velez-Aragon       |
| PAL-Lake   | absent                   | WCAL  | Bill Hutton, Mitty       |
| PAL-Ocean  | Richard Vallero-Carlmont |   |                          |
| # Members on Committee: 15<br># Members Present at Meeting: 11 |                          | Respectfully submitted by:<br>Ray Mialovich, CCS Events Coordinator |                          |

**GUESTS & STAFF PRESENT:** Commissioner Nancy Lazenby Blaser; Assistant Commissioner Duane Morgan, Troy Felice

### I. TOURNAMENT GUIDE CHANGES--UPDATES FOR NEXT YEAR

This section contains non-major format changes. The CCS Board of Managers will review and, by its acceptance of this report, approve these housekeeping changes. If, at 1<sup>st</sup>-reading, the Board deems any of these as "Major" changes, it may pull them out and send them back to Leagues for further discussion and review. The item will then be returned to the CCS Board at its next meeting for a 2<sup>nd</sup> reading and final action.

#### Section 1. SCHEDULED MEETINGS

- A. Seeding: **SATURDAY, MAY 10, 2008**, @ CCS office, 4:00 PM  
**SATURDAY, MAY 16, 2009**
- B. Evaluation: **WEDNESDAY, MAY 28, 2008**, @ CCS office, 4:30 PM  
**WEDNESDAY, JUNE 03, 2009**

#### Section 2. TOURNAMENT DATES

The 2008 CCS Baseball Championships are scheduled as follows:

|                        | <u>Division I</u>   | <u>Division II</u>  | <u>Division III</u> | <u>Site</u>         |
|------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| 1 <sup>st</sup> Round: | <u>WED., MAY 14</u> | <u>THU., MAY 15</u> | <u>WED., MAY 14</u> | Home site high seed |
| Qtr.-Finals:           | <u>SAT., MAY 17</u> | <u>SAT., MAY 17</u> | <u>SAT., MAY 17</u> | TBA                 |
| Semi-Finals:           | <u>WED., MAY 21</u> | <u>THU., MAY 22</u> | <u>TUE., MAY 20</u> | TBA                 |
| Finals:                | <u>SAT., MAY 24</u> | <u>SAT., MAY 24</u> | <u>SAT., MAY 24</u> | TBA                 |

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| Semi-Finals:           | <u>WED., MAY 27</u> | <u>THU., MAY 28</u> | <u>TUE., MAY 26</u> | TBA                 |
| Finals:                | <u>SAT., MAY 30</u> | <u>SAT., MAY 30</u> | <u>SAT., MAY 30</u> | TBA                 |

## **II. RECOMMENDATIONS**

This section includes general recommendations to the CCS Board of Managers or staff that are not Tournament format related. Recommendations are just that, implemented or not at the discretion of the staff or the CCS Board. Acceptance of this Sport Committee Report does no more than acknowledge these recommendations. These are not action items. If a recommendation is to be approved, and/or the Board wants to direct staff to institute a particular recommendation, the CCS Board must pull out and vote upon that specific recommendation.

**The commissioner, Nancy Lazenby-Blaser, will be writing general guidelines for out-of-season baseball. She asked for and got input from the committee about this.**

## **III. MISCELLANEOUS**

This section contains congratulations to Section winners and Honor Coaches or other items the Committee wishes to have recorded in its annual report. Acceptance by the Board of this Sport Committee Report simply acknowledges the items in this section. These are not action items.

### **Congratulations to the 2008 CCS Baseball Champions:**

**Division I – Valley Christian High School;  
Division II – Wilcox HS;  
Division III – Live Oak HS**

## **IV. PROPOSED MAJOR FORMAT CHANGES**

This section contains any proposal that the staff has determined to be a major change in the core format of the CCS Play-offs in this sport. As such, any item listed below will be reviewed as a 1<sup>st</sup>-reading at the CCS Board of Managers meeting following the Sport Committee meeting. The Board will return the item(s) to the Leagues for review and discussion; the item(s) will be agendized at the next Board meeting for final discussion and action.

**Proposal #1: – Due to league realignments the following proposals were discussed and passed by the baseball sports committee.**

**A. The new league called the PSAL would be classified as a “C” league and receive 1 automatic qualifier. (Vote: 11-yes, 0-no)**

~~**B. The new league called the WBAL would be classified as a “B” league and receive 2 automatic qualifiers. (Vote: 11-yes, 0-no)**~~

**C. The new MTAL (Mission Division) will retain its “B” classification and retain the three automatic qualifiers . The new MTAL (Coastal Division) will be classified as a “C” league and receive no automatic qualifiers. (Vote: 11-yes, 0-no)**

~~**D. The new PAL (Bay Division) will be classified as a “B” league and will receive 5 of the PAL automatic qualifiers. The new PAL (Ocean Division) will be classified as a “C” league and will receive 1 of the PAL automatic qualifiers. (Vote: 9-yes, 2-no)**~~

**D. The new PAL Bay Division and Ocean Division will be classified as “B” leagues. The PAL Lake Division will be classified as a “C” Division. The PAL will have its six automatic qualifier berths plus the two from the WBAL, for a total of 8 berths, which has been integrated into the PAL for this year.**

**REVIEW / ACTION TAKEN BY OTHER CCS ENTITIES**

**ADAC:**

**RECOMMEND ACCEPTANCE   X**  
 (non-major format changes are approved by this action by the BOM)  
**PROPOSAL #1: No position**

**LEAGUE COMM:**

**RECOMMEND ACCEPTANCE   X**  
 (non-major format changes are approved by this action by the BOM)  
**PROPOSAL #1: Recommend Approval**

**EXEC. COMM:**

**RECOMMEND ACCEPTANCE   X**  
 (non-major-format changes are approved by this action by the BOM)  
**PROPOSAL #1: Recommend Approval**

**CCS STAFF:**

**RECOMMEND ACCEPTANCE   X**  
 (non-major format changes are approved by this action by the BOM)  
**PROPOSAL #1: Recommend Approval**

**COMMENTS:**

Acceptance of this report is anticipated at the October 22, 2008 Board of Managers meeting. That acceptance will provide for all the Tournament Guide changes contained in this report for the 2009 season.

**MAJOR FORMAT CHANGES:**

**First reading will be in October, sent back to leagues for discussion with final action anticipated at the January 28, 2009 BOM meeting.**

**1/28/09 CCS Board of Managers approved major format change-effective 2009**