

REPORT OF THE CCS FOOTBALL COMMITTEE

Updated

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<u>LEAGUE</u>	<u>REPRESENTATIVE</u>	<u>LEAGUE</u>	<u>REPRESENTATIVE</u>
BVAL-MHAL	Matt Kiesle-Piedmont Hills 12/7 & 1/12	PAL-Lake	Mike Parodi-Hillsdale 12/7 & 1/12
BVAL-STAL	Kevin Collins-Lincoln 12/7-Mike Carazzo 1/12	SCCAL	Dave Poetzinger-San Lorenzo Valley 12/7 & 1/12
BVAL-WVAL	Chris Bolding-Silver Creek 12/7 & 1/12	SCVAL-DAL	Earl Hansen-Palo Alto 12/7 & 1/12
MBL	David Reese-Monte Vista Christian 12/7 & 1/12	SCVAL-ECAL	Mark Krail-Santa Clara 12/7 & 1/12
MTAL-Mission Trail	Golden Anderson-Carmel 12/7 & 1/12	TCAL	Chris Cameron-San Benito 12/7 & 1/12
PAL-Bay	Bill Gray-Terra Nova 12/7 & 1/12	WCAL	Ed Ravenscroft-WCAL Commissioner 12/7 & 1/12
PAL-Ocean	Frank Moro-So. San Francisco 12/7 & 1/12		
# Members on Committee: 13 # Members Present at Meeting: 13		Report respectfully submitted by: Steve Filios, Assistant CCS Commissioner Nancy Lazenby Blaser, CCS Commissioner	

GUESTS & STAFF PRESENT: Nancy Lazenby Blaser, Commissioner; Duane Morgan, Assistant Commissioner; Steve Filios, CCS Assistant Commissioner; Ray Mialovich, Events Coordinator; Tod Thatcher, AD San Benito 12/7 & 1/12; Mike Carazzo 12/7, Leland; Mark Foyer, (12/7) HMB Review; Alex Pavlovic, SJ Mercury News- 12/7.

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 1st 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 2nd reading and final action.

Section 1. SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Seeding: **SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 2012** 9:00 am @ CCS Office

Participants: **TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 2012**, Site & Times TBA
 Pre-Tournament meeting for Principals, Athletic Directors & Activities Directors of participating schools.

Evaluation: **WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 5, 2012**, 7:00 pm @ CCS Office

Section 2. TOURNAMENT DATES

The 2012 CCS Football Tournament is scheduled as follows:

1st Round : **FRIDAY/SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 16/17, 2012**

Semi-Finals: **FRIDAY/SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 23/24, 2012.**

Finals: **FRIDAY/SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 30/DECEMBER 1, 2012**

Section 23. PRE-SALE OF TICKETS REMOVE—COVERED IN PIB

A. By arrangement with the CCS office, all schools participating in CCS Football Play-offs may pre-sell tickets at their school, as follows:

1. **General Admission tickets** [Gate Price: \$10.00] may be sold for any price up to \$10.00 to students and adults. The school will return \$8.00 to the CCS office for each Adult ticket sold and may retain the difference between the \$8.00 returned and the school's sale price.
2. **Child tickets** (for children 12 & under) [Gate Price: \$2.00] may be sold, for \$2.00, as a convenience for the school's spectators who wish to purchase them at school rather than at the gate. The school will return \$2.00 to the CCS office for each Child's ticket sold.
3. **Discounted student tickets for students with ASB Card.** [Gate Price \$5.00] may be sold, for \$5.00, as a convenience to students at the participating school. The school will return \$5.00 to the CCS Office for each Student ticket sold.

B. Pre-sale tickets will be distributed at the **Pre-Tournament Information Meetings** for Principals, Coaches, and Activities Directors of participating schools on: **TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 2011, Sites and Times - 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.

A. Review of Section Football Playoffs

1. Thank you to San Jose City College, Terra Nova High School, Westmont High School, Monterey Peninsula College, Pacific Grove High School and San Francisco Giants Enterprises (A.T. & T Park) for hosting the CCS Football Playoffs.

B. Propose to the CCS Board of Managers that all football teams in all games in the CCS play the NFHS tie breaker and that the results of that tie breaker count as the final outcome of that contest.

C. Game ending procedures for inclement weather for all football games played in the CCS shall be as follows:

1. Once a game has begun if at any time the game is called for weather or other natural or man-made (lights going out) disasters and the game cannot be continued, that game will be suspended and resumed from the point of suspension unless the Mercy rule is in effect at the time of suspension or if after the beginning of the 4th quarter both coaches agree the outcome of that game will be determined as it was at the time of the suspension.

2. Such a suspended game shall be rescheduled on the next available day of play. Coaches should make every reasonable attempt to continue the suspended game the next day or during that week. However, if that is not possible, the game shall be scheduled as soon as possible. This may require the game to be moved to a neutral site or the site of the visiting team. The following are unacceptable excuses for not re-scheduling the contest: transportation costs, SAT's, site availability (go to the visitor's site), individual personal conflicts. If after all possible scenarios have been reasonably investigated and the suspended game cannot be continued, this shall be considered no game for either team, but it shall count in both team's maximum number of contests.

D. There is no more Zero Week. The first week that CCS allows for a football contest will be referred to as Week 1 and the regular season will culminate in Week 11

E. Allow the use of pads for the first day or practice each school year. Teams play during the summer so are ready for the use of pads that first Friday of Fall practice.

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.

A. Congratulations to the 2011 CCS Football Champions:

Open Division	Bellarmino College Prep
Division I	Junipero Serra HS
Division II	Los Gatos HS
Division III	St. Ignatius College Prep
Division IV	Palma HS

IV. REPORT ON 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 1st 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 agendaized at the next Board meeting for final discussion and action.

GENERAL ACTION OF THE FOOTBALL COMMITTEE AT THEIR MEETINGS REFLECTED IN THE TWO MAJOR FORMAT PROPOSALS FOR CHANGE THAT FOLLOWS:

1. The Football Committee unanimously agreed that they wished to keep the Open Division. 12/7 (on 1/13 the vote was 12-1 on this issue)
2. The Open Division was confirmed to be the top 8 football teams in the CCS each year. Unanimous.
3. The Football Committee agreed that they did not want the determination of which teams were in the Open to be left solely up to coaches choosing to opt in or not. Unanimous
4. The Football Committee discussed several options for filling the Open Division and the Major Format Change found below confirms their final determination.
5. The Football Committee agreed there should NOT be any enrollment criteria (size of school) for the Open Division entrants. Vote 9-4.

PROPOSAL #1 CHANGES TO LCI (League Classification Index) CALCULATIONS

APPROVED

1. Coaches agreed that a win over an A league team should count for more points than a win over a B league team. So adjustments were made in the Chart and points to reflect that, hence the expansion of the chart to differentiate A, B, C, wins, ties and losses and the point differential for each. See chart headings below A-B-C = League Classification, X, Y, Z = strength factor.
2. LCI Calculations: The LCI should be adjusted to balance the advantage of small leagues over big leagues. (See Attachment "A" #3 below) Vote 13-0
3. The Highest LCI League each year should be designated as an A+ league and additional .5 points will be awarded those teams in that league and their opponents in the seeding and at-large point calculations in Section 5. Vote 11-1-1 (See Attachment "A" #6 below)
4. LCI Calculations: Eliminated the 5,4,4 (A, B, C) designation and return to a "hard number" division. Died for lack of a second.
5. LCI Calculations: If the 5-4-4 structure remains allows for a 2/3 vote for significant misplacement. (See Attachment "A" # 10 below) Vote 11-2
6. LCI Calculations: Out-of-Section Opponents should be calculated as from a B league. Vote 13-0

ATTACHMENT A CCS FOOTBALL LEAGUE CLASSIFICATION PROCEDURES

ATTACHMENT 'A'

CCS FOOTBALL LEAGUE CLASSIFICATION PROCEDURE

The following procedure will be used to objectively classify the CCS Football Leagues following the conclusion of each season:

3. NEW adjust for league size

1. Assign points to each game based on the *Classification Index Chart* and *CCS Play-off Bonus*
2. Add total *Index points*... divide by the number of games played to determine *team's average*
3. **The bottom teams in each league in excess of 6 teams, will be dropped from further calculation in the LCI (i.e. 8 team league-2 bottom teams will be dropped, 7 team league 1 team will be dropped; 6 team league 0 teams will be dropped.)**
4. Average all the *team average indices* in the League to find the *League's Average*.
5. *League Average* for the last two (2) years will be used to find the *League Classification Index*.

6. NEW A+

6. The League with the highest LCI will be classified as the "A+" League for purposes of calculating CCS points used for at-large selection and seeding. (A+ status is not considered in LCI calculations.)
7. The five (5) leagues (including the "A+" league above) with the highest LCI will be classified as "A" Leagues.
8. The four (4) leagues with the lowest LCI will be classified as "C" Leagues.
9. The remaining leagues will be classified as "B" Leagues.
- 10 Leagues that are divided into Divisions (Super Leagues) may not have more than one (1)
 - Division in the "A" League classification or the "C" League classification.
 - (a) If two (2) of any super league's divisions are in the "A" LCI classification as a result of this procedure, the division with the lower LCI will be moved down to the "B" classification and the "B" League with the highest "B" LCI will be moved up to the "A" classification.
 - (b) If two (2) of any super league's divisions are in the "C" LCI classification as a result of this procedure, the division with the higher LCI will be moved up to the "B" classification.

11. NEW 2/3 can change A/B/C

- 11 At the CCS Football Evaluation Meeting, if the CCS Football Committee believes that the Classification of any league is a significant misplacement based on the outcome of the LCI of that league, they may, by a 2/3 vote of the Committee members present and voting, move a league one classification up or down.

Charts reflects changes approved above by the Football Committee

OPPONENT IS:	X (7+ wins)			Y (4-6 wins)			Z (0-3 wins)		
	A-X	B-X	C-X	A-Y	B-Y	C-Y	A-Z	B-Z	C-Z
WIN	4.00	3.50	3.00	3.50	3.00	2.50	3.00	2.50	2.00
CHAMPION	5.00	4.50	4.00	4.50	4.00	3.50	4.00	3.50	3.00
CO-CHAMPION	4.50	4.00	3.50	4.00	3.50	3.00	3.50	3.00	2.50
TRI-CHAMPION	4.33	3.83	3.33	3.83	3.33	2.83	3.33	2.83	2.33
LOSE	2.00	1.50	1.00	1.50	1.00	0.50	1.00	0.50	0.00
CHAMPION	3.00	2.50	2.00	2.50	2.00	1.50	2.00	1.50	1.00
CO-CHAMPION	2.50	2.00	1.50	2.00	1.50	1.00	1.50	1.00	0.50
TRI-CHAMPION	2.33	1.83	1.33	1.83	1.33	0.83	1.33	0.83	0.33
TIE	3.00	2.50	2.00	2.50	2.00	1.50	2.00	1.50	1.00
CHAMPION	4.00	3.50	3.00	3.50	3.00	2.50	3.00	2.50	2.00
CO-CHAMPION	3.50	3.00	2.50	3.00	2.50	2.00	2.50	2.00	1.50
TRI-CHAMPION	3.33	2.83	2.33	2.83	2.33	1.83	2.33	1.83	1.33
	X = strength factor for results against teams with 7+ wins			Y = strength factor for results against teams with 4-6 wins			Z = strength factor for results against teams with 0-3 wins		

CCS PLAY-OFF BONUS POINTS			
	ROUND I	ROUND II	ROUND III
WIN	4.00	5.00	6.00
LOSS	3.00	3.50	4.00
EACH TEAM IN THE CCS "OPEN DIVISION" RECEIVES FOUR (4) BONUS POINTS			
Out-of-Section Teams will be considered as a B team.			

PROPOSAL #2—OPEN DIVISION—Top 8 teams in the Open Division. Filled by A+ & A league Champions and the next A league teams with the highest CCS Points.

APPROVED

Section 3. TOURNAMENT FORMAT

B. Division placement will occur as follows:

1. **"Open" Division:**

- ~~Any school wishing to play in the "Open" Division shall submit a completed **Division Declaration Form** ([DIVISION DECLARATION FORM](#) – Football) **on or before 14 days prior to the Football Seeding meeting (Sunday, October 28, 2012) no later than midnight, the Saturday of the Week 10 games** of the current school year. ~~After legally submitting its Division Declaration Form, a school may not then rescind its declaration at a later date.~~~~
- ~~If less than eight (8) qualifying teams opt to play in the "Open" Division, the bracket will be filled with the appropriate number of other qualifying teams (from "A" Leagues only), utilizing, in order, the respective amount of points achieved by those teams.~~
- ~~If more than eight (8) teams opt to play in the "Open" Division, the qualifying teams with the eight (8) highest points will remain in the "Open" Division, and the other teams will be placed in the Divisions I, II, III, and IV, as determined by their respective enrollments.~~

a. The Open Division of the CCS will be an 8-team bracket that consists of the following teams.

NEW

- 1. The "A+" & all "A" league champions will be placed in the Open Division.**
- 2. The remainder of the 8-team bracket will be filled by entering, from the remaining A+ & A league teams entered into that years' CCS Football Playoffs, the A+ & A league teams with the highest CCS Point totals as calculated in accordance with Section 5 herein.**

Section 5. AT-LARGE AND SEEDING PROCEDURES

The following objective criteria will be used for purposes of At-Large selection and Seeding:

A. **Point System** - Compute the following results:

- Multiply the number of wins by 2.
 - Multiply the number of ties by 1.
 - **Multiply the number of games against "A+" league teams by 1.5**
 - Multiply the number of games against "A" League teams by 1.
 - Multiply the number of games against "B" League teams by 0.5.
 - Multiply the number of games against a League Champion by 1*.
 - **Award 3 points for being an "A+" League Champion**
 - Award 2.5* points for being an "A" League Champion.
 - Award 2.0* points for being a "B" League Champion.
 - Award 1.5* points for being a "C" League Champion.
- * These bonus points are pro-rated in the case of shared-Championship.

**A+ league
teams =
+ 0.5**

**A+ league
added**

B. League Classification - see Attachment 'A' for procedure to determine League Classification Leagues will be classified, according to strength, as **A+**, A, B or C leagues. Points for competition with **A+**, A, B, or C league schools will be used to determine the At-large entry, open division participation and seeding in the CCS Playoffs.

1. The LCI will be calculated each year following the conclusion of the CCS Football Playoffs. The LCI formula is attached to these bylaws.
2. League Classifications for the current year's CCS Playoffs area are as follows:

<u>League</u>	<u>2010 LCI</u>	<u>2011 LCI</u>	<u>2012 Average</u>
WCAL= A+	3.833	4.169	4.001
SCVAL-DeAnza = A	3.424	3.582	3.503
BVAL-Mt Hamilton = A	3.381	3.309	3.345
MBL-Gabilan = A	3.091	3.280	3.185
PAL-Bay = A	3.229	2.934	3.081
PAL-Ocean = B	2.790	2.816	2.803
BVAL-Santa Teresa = B	2.671	2.185	2.428
MBL-Pacific = B	2.364	2.112	2.238
MTAL = B	2.385	1.922	2.153
SCCAL = C	2.119	2.013	2.066
BVAL-West Valley = C	2.111	1.791	1.951
PAL-Lake = C	2.023	1.872	1.947
SCVAL-EI Camino = C	1.974	1.861	1.917

3. "Independent" schools within the Central Coast Section and opponents from outside the Central Coast Section will be classified as follows: "A" if they have 7 or more wins during the regular season; "B" if they have 4-6 wins during the regular season, "C" if they have less than 4 wins during the regular season.

C. Teams playing a less-than-10-game schedule will adjust their point total as follows:

1. Determine the team's winning percentage for the season;
2. Add the classification game points for a win; divide by the # of games; then subtract 0.5;
3. Multiply the winning percentage by the multiplier determined in C.-2. above
4. Add that figure to the game point total;

EXAMPLE:

- Team X has 7 wins and 2 losses for the season, thus winning percentage is $7/9 = .778$;
 - Team X plays 2 "A"-League teams ($2 \times 3 = 6$);
 6 "B"-League teams ($6 \times 2.5 = 15$); AND
 1 "C"-League team ($1 \times 2 = 2$);
 Add $6 + 15 + 2 = 23$; divide by $9 = 2.556$; subtract $0.5 = 2.056$; multiply by $.778 = 1.60$
 Add 1.60 to the game-point total

5. The resulting figure will be used for At-Large selection and seeding.
6. If a tie exists for a team then it will be counted as one-half of a win in the team's total victories.

D.E.

- D. BREAKING TIES
- E. SEEDING PROCEDURES

**NO
CHANGE**

**No
Changes**

REVIEW / ACTION TAKEN BY OTHER CCS ENTITIES	
ADAC:	RECOMMEND ACCEPTANCE OF REPORT <u>X</u> (non-major changes will be approved by this action by the BOM) PROPOSAL # 1 RECOMMEND: Approve PROPOSAL # 2 RECOMMEND: Approve WCAL PROPOSAL #1 RECOMMEND: Disapprove WCAL PROPOSAL #2 RECOMMEND: Disapprove
LEAGUE COMM:	RECOMMEND ACCEPTANCE OF REPORT <u>X</u> (non-major changes will be approved by this action by the BOM) PROPOSAL # 1 RECOMMEND: Disapprove (5-3) PROPOSAL # 2 RECOMMEND: Approve WCAL PROPOSAL #1 RECOMMEND: No recommendation WCAL PROPOSAL #2 RECOMMEND: Disapprove
EXEC. COMM:	RECOMMEND ACCEPTANCE OF REPORT <u>X</u> (non-major changes will be approved by this action by the BOM) PROPOSAL # 1 RECOMMEND: Approve (7-2) PROPOSAL # 2 RECOMMEND: Approve (7-2) WCAL PROPOSAL #1 RECOMMEND: Disapprove WCAL PROPOSAL #2 RECOMMEND: Disapprove
CCS STAFF:	RECOMMEND ACCEPTANCE OF REPORT <u>X</u> (non-major changes will be approved by this action by the BOM) PROPOSAL # 1 RECOMMEND: APPROVAL PROPOSAL # 2 RECOMMEND: APPROVAL WCAL PROPOSAL #1 RECOMMEND: DISAPPROVAL WCAL PROPOSAL #2 RECOMMEND: DISAPPROVAL
COMMENTS:	I. TOURNAMENT GUIDE CHANGES—UPDATES FOR NEXT YEAR Report accepted by the CCS Board of Managers on January 25, 2012.
	IV. MAJOR FORMAT CHANGES FIRST READING AT BOM 1/25/12 - ACTION TAKEN AT BOM 5/2/12 PROPOSAL #1 Changes to LCI Calculations-APPROVED 5/2/12 PROPOSAL #2 Changes to Open Division—APPROVED 5/2/12 <u>WCAL submitted a competing proposal to Football Committee Proposal #1 and #2, click here to view</u> BOTH PROPOSALS DISAPPROVED

HISTORY OF OPEN DIVISION PARTICIPATION							
2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
Aragon	Aragon	Aragon	Bellarmino	Bellarmino	Bellarmino	Bellarmino	Bellarmino
Leigh	Bellarmino	Bellarmino	Gilroy	Gilroy	Mitty	Mitty	Leland
Los Gatos	Palma	Mitty	Los Gatos	Milpitas	Palma	Oak Grove	Mitty
Palma	Pioneer	Oak Grove	Mitty	No Salinas	Palo Alto	Palma	Oak Grove
Serra	San L. Vly	Palma	Oak Grove	Oak Grove	Pioneer	Palo Alto	Palo Alto
St. Francis	St. Francis	Palo Alto	Palma	Palma	Serra	Serra	San Benito
St. Ignatius	Valley Chr.	Scotts Vly	Serra	Serra	Sr. Francis	St. Francis	St. Francis
Valley Chr	Wilcox	Serra	Valley Chr	Valley Chr	Valley Chr	Valley Chr	Terra Nova
Champ: Valley Christian	Champ: Valley Christian	Champ: Palo Alto	Champ: Oak Grove	Champ: Bellarmino	Champ: Bellarmino	Champ: Palo Alto	Champ: Bellarmino