



CAPITAL AREA ACTIVITIES CONFERENCE

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CAAC ATHLETIC DIRECTOR MEETING MINUTES October 14, 2020 – Zoom Meeting

Schools Represented: Charlotte, Dewitt, East Lansing, Eaton Rapids, Fowlerville, Grand Ledge, Haslett, Holt, Ionia, Lansing Catholic, Lansing Eastern, Lansing Everett, Lansing Sexton, Mason, Okemos, Portland, St. Johns, Waverly, Williamston.

The meeting was called to order by President Osborn.

The minutes from September 9th meeting were approved.

The first quarterly financial report was presented by Randy Allen. Our financial position remains strong. Reduced Spring 2020 expenses due to season cancellation contributed to significant cost savings. We will have enough to cover the 2020-21 Cheer scholarship meet scholarships if held.

Bowling coaches are working on proposals from the upcoming season with league coordinator and bowling centers to conduct the season in an appropriate and safe environment.

As of now the CAAC Scholarship Cheer Meet is on as scheduled. Final decision to be made at a later time. There are 2 outstanding scholarships from 2019-20 for a total of \$1,200.

Schools that are using GO Fan for ticket sales are very please with the service and recommend them highly. The MHSAA will be using Go Fan for state tournament games.

Discussions regarding student sections as crowd size has increased. In general, students have done a great job wearing masks but less compliant with proper distancing. Andy Barr reported success in empowering student groups and has experienced success in compliance.

Brian Osborn shared an update from Thrun Law Firm outlining a requirement for schools to be able to contact trace should there be COVID cases arise from an athletic event. Schools using the participant guest list in conjunction with Go Fan will be able to comply with the requirement. Schools not using GO Fan and selling tickets on site may have more of a challenge.

The Red Division will hold a Conference Swim Meet at Waverly. The Blue Division will hold a series of dual meets. Damon Robinson will tabulate results.

Wrestling Coaches Association representative are set to meet with Dan Hutchinson from the MHSAA. There are 3 proposals being considered for the upcoming season. The CAAC end of the season tournament(s) are dependent of decisions made by the MHSAA.

Lansing School Board is making a decision on winter sports.

Softball Cooperative agreement between Waverly HS and New Covenant Christian was approved.

Scheduling Meeting will be held on October 28, 10:30 AM at Holt High School.

MIAAA meeting is Wednesday, October 21st.

Congratulations to the Region 7 AD of the Year, Scott Castele of Waverly.

Brian Osbourn is the Region 7 Rep to the MIAAA.

Next Meeting is November 11, 2020