

CAPITAL AREA ACTIVITIES CONFERENCE MEETING MINUTES - OCTOBER 9, 2024

MEMBER PRESENT: Charlotte, DeWitt, East Lansing, Eaton Rapids, Fowlerville, Grand Ledge, Haslett, Holt, Ionia, Lakewood, Lansing Catholic, Lansing Eastern, Lansing Everett, Lansing Sexton, Mason, Okemos, Olivet, Portland, St. Johns, Waverly, Williamston.

The meeting was called to order at 9:33 AM.

The September meeting minutes were unanimously approved (Ionia/Okemos)

The bowling coaches have met and are putting together schedules according to house availability. There will be two divisions, programs in the white division will be self contained. The Blue/Red Division will be made up of all other programs. The Lansing schools will compete in the white division.

The proposed jamboree/multiple meet format on Saturdays will not work due to schools involved in tournaments and invitationals.

The boys soccer cup went well. Seeding was more difficult due to doing it one week earlier than in previous years. Seeding was less difficult than last girls season due to less ties.

JV wrestling sites were solidified and are as follows:

December 16 - DeWitt, Olivet, Eaton Rapids January 13- East Lansing, Waverly, Lakewood January 20- Grand Ledge, Mason, Sexton January 27- Okemos, St. Johns, Charlotte The CAAC may need to submit a waiver to allow more than 2 matches on a weeknight and time between matches.

Rainbow sports need a more defined schedule for re-alignment. Referred to the Competition Committee.

As basketball season approaches the need to address student section behavior was discussed. There have been instances of taunts to visiting teams and fans. Some have been racial in nature. THe Sportsmanship Committee will meet and discuss this and review sportsmanship guidelines and develop for diversity and cultural education.

Schools that have freshman baseball teams should let Ken from Okemos know and he will put together a schedule.

Next Meeting: November 13, 2024 - Site TBD