



**CAPITAL AREA  
ACTIVITIES CONFERENCE**  
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## **CAPITAL AREA ACTIVITIES CONFERENCE MEETING MINUTES - September 13, 2023**

**SCHOOLS 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 9:32 AM by Darin Ferguson

The August meeting minutes were approved unanimously

Mike Quinn outlined plans for the CAAC Leadership Conference and presented by Craig Hiller. The event will be held at the Argo Conference Center in St. Johns. Thank you to Megan Merchant for help in the planning and finalizing the venue.

Chris Bishop asked if the CAAC will have a fall officials appreciation week. The group feels it must be consistent from school to school. Our pre-game announcement has a statement for officials appreciation. A copy of the per-game announcement was sent to all schools.

The CAAC Wrestling schedule was discussed. The CAAC Individual wrestling event on February 3 at Mason High School will include girls division but will NOT include JV. Holt will host a JV invitational the week before not all CAAC schools are invited to attend.

An issue with the CAAC passes was discussed. The CAAC passes are exclusively for administrators, coaches, key people and volunteers. Schools should keep a numerical list of to whom they are issued. Students having CAAC passes at the gate should not be admitted and the pass can be confiscated.

Bowling Coaches will meet September 17 at Royal Scot. Andy Barr will attend.

**The realignment process was conducted. The conference is realigned in its current 7-6-8 configuration. This division alignment will be renewed and in effect beginning fall of 2025 through spring season of 2029. Motion to approve by Portland with support from Fowlerville. The motion was approved unanimously.**

**Schools are reminded the All-Conference meetings for boys soccer will be held at Charlotte High School on Saturday, September 30 at 9:00 AM. The Soccer Cup Seed meeting will follow at 10:00 AM. Schools that are scheduled to host All-Conference meetings should get that information to coaches asap.**

**Region 7 MIAAA meeting will be held September 27.**

**Next Meeting: October 11, 2023**