

**MID HUDSON ATHLETIC LEAGUE  
ATHLETIC DIRECTORS WORKSHOP  
Wednesday DECEMBER 22,2021 - 9:30AM  
Zoom Meeting  
minutes**

1. APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF LAST MEETING-motion by Tom Cassata, second by Jonnah O'Donnell. Motion carried
  
2. SECTION REPORT-MR. GREG RANSOM/ MR.JAMES OSBORNE-Jim presented details of the proposed Section IX Budget for 2022-23. (in your meeting materials). Greg pointed out that currently the venue for Cheerleading state championships will require proof of vaccination. Other venues are subject to change policies as the positivity rate fluctuates. All ADs should be keeping parents/athletes/coaches aware of the possibility of limits on state level participation. There has been some concern expressed about sending representatives to regional playoffs if section champs were to be impacted by COVID. Greg will meet with our Superintendent reps and fashion a proposal. This proposal will be brought back to our January meeting for consideration.
  
3. PRESIDENT'S REPORT- MR TOM CASSATA- There are some concerns regarding spectator limits at athletic events. It was the consensus of those in attendance that if limitations become necessary, every consideration be given so that parents of participants are granted admittance.
  
4. REGIONAL OFFICE REPORT.- MR. CHRIS MAYO
  
5. ATHLETIC COORDINATOR'S REPORT- MR. DENNIS BURKETT  
Please access meeting materials  
Prior to meeting on our website
  1. New Cheer Bylaw -motion to approve by Marco Lanzoni, second by Tom Cassata. motion carried
  2. Section IX proposed 22-23 budget- motion to approve by Ray Castellani, seconded by Tom Cunningham. motion carried

3. **Motion to appoint Greg Warren as tennis chair and Mike Redmann as girls soccer chair. Motion to approve Tom Cassata, seconded by Glen Maisch. motion carried**
4. **Motion to approve the following mergers:  
ROV and Onteora for varsity softball and varsity boys lacrosse  
RH .PP and Rhinebeck for boys lacrosse  
Fallsburg, Liberty and Tri Valley for Varsity Girls alpine ski  
Motion to approve by Ray Castellani, seconded by Tom Cunningham.  
motion carried**

6. Combining of Teams

7. Modified Report- Mr. Greg Warren

8. OLD BUSINESS

9. NEW BUSINESS-motion to consider approval for creation of a sixth classification for sports with 501 or more teams.  
**Motion to approve by Steve Bouchet, seconded by Frank Alfonso. motion carried.**

10. MOTION TO ADJOURN-adjourn by Frank Alfonso, seconded by Glen Maisch.  
**Motion carried**

**Respectfully submitted  
Dennis Burkett**