

**MID HUDSON ATHLETIC LEAGUE
ATHLETIC DIRECTORS WORKSHOP
JANUARY 18,2023 - 9:30AM
Ulster BOCES**

1. APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF LAST MEETING-motion to approve by Tom Cassata, seconded by Jonnah O'Donnell. Motion carried
2. SECTION REPORT-MR. GREG RANSOM/ JIM OSBORNE -all items for theFebruary executive committee meetings have been voted upon and forwarded to the Section Council
3. PRESIDENT'S REPORT- MR TOM CASSATA
4. REGIONAL OFFICE REPORT.- MR. CHRIS MAYO- We continue to suffer a shortage of officials and the Regional Office is working to mitigate the issues. In some cases time or date adjustments will be necessary.
5. ATHLETIC COORDINATOR'S REPORT- MR. DENNIS BURKETT- please be sure your coaches are reminded of the new tie breaking procedure. All conference basketball championships will be played at the division winners site (1 and 3) Boys and Girls games must be played on 2/20. Championships are set for 2/22 at UCCC.

A meeting of all interested athletic directors (boys extra mural volleyball) will be held after this workshop.

MHAL SCHOLAR ATHLETE CERTIFICATES-supplies are available, contact Dennis

Jonnah O'Donnell has been selected as to receive the Athletic Director Award at this year's AAA conference and Rondout Valley has won the community service award. Congratulations.

-Section IX meeting dates included in your meeting materials were approved by unanimous vote.

- I am awaiting directions from our superintendent representatives regarding the possibility of returning to an in person MHAL Scholar Athlete Breakfast in June. If this is the direction our superintendents wish to go.....a date will then be established.

- We will be asking the athletic council to authorize the combining of teams committee to approve sub varsity mergers without league vote
- Varsity mergers will still require approval from both leagues.

6. Combining of Teams- Mr. Dom Zarrella-**a merger of Onteora with Rondout for boys lacrosse (varsity) was approved by unanimous vote**

7.. Modified Report- Mr. Greg Warren- no report

8. OLD BUSINESS- **Dom Zarrella requested an earlier start and finish to modified wrestling for next season. In addition tri meets have been requested. Dom volunteered to serve as an MHAL representative on the Section 9 classification committee.**

9. NEW BUSINESS

10.. MOTION TO ADJOURN-motion by **Jonnah O'Donnell, second by Frank Alfonso. Motion carried.**

**Respectfully submitted,
Dennis Burkett**

