

KingCo Athletic Director Board: December 16, 2024

11:00am - 1:30pm - WISC

Guest in attendance

Name	School District

Review from last meeting

Topic	Person responsible/Group	Notes
Principal Meeting 12/10	FYI B.Kuntz	Principals met last week - gave them a brief overview of our fall sports. Let them know what we as AD's learned from the fall, gave them a brief overview of how many people participated in the surveys. Principals want us to send out a survey to the student-athletes as well. Talked about the reminders of supervision at basketball games. Shared with them the ammendments that are coming out. They voted to approve the changes of language in the handbook. We will see those at the next meeting.

Reports

Topic	Person responsible/Group	Notes	Action taken
KingCo Executive Board	FYI J Appelgate	No report	
Treasurer's Report	FYI Colleen	Looked at our balances for the checking and saving accounts for the league. Fall sports data for tournaments - saw an increase in money that was going out, and our gates were not as big in 4A and 3A sports. We are looking lower with money coming in than we have in the years past. We are still waiting on some shares coming in.	MTA Transactions for November-December 13th - 2nd - 23-0 - PASSED
SeaKing Executive Board Report	FYI J Thurston	SeaKing scheduled a special session on January 15th to go over the ammendments. The process should be that each league goes over the ammendments prior ot that special meeting. Trying to put together a better process on how they go over the ammendments and how they are able to have everyones voices being heard.	
AD Exec Board Report	FYI BJ Kuntz	No report	
WIAA Report	FYI J Lowell	No report	
WSSAAA Report	FYI J Appelgate	The site should be updated soon.	
2A Classification Report	FYI		
3A Classification Report	FYI		
4A Classification Report	FYI		
Ejections	FYI M Stuart	No ejections	
Violations	FYI L Gatter		

Special Items

Topic	Person responsible/Group	Notes	Action taken
Basketball events reminders		Exec team talked about how we need to monitor sections - There should not be anyone on the courts during halftimes of any games.	
Student sections cheers / words		Singling out an individual player tends to be the area we don't want to be crossed as a league. Some feel that barking is an area that could also be looked at as dehumanizing. Understanding that your kids should be respecting your team and the other	
Fall handbook changes		Fall commissioners have met with their coaches and got feedback. We highly recommend that you work on your handbook changes now. It would be good to have proposals in our mid January meeting. So we are on top of them prior to our May meeting. Kyle will put together a form that will be a nice way to put in your proposals.	
AT insurance from the League	J. Thurston	SeaKing will be working with an AT that would have less AT's at the tournaments and put more of the first aid work on the head coaches. Need to discuss more as a league how we are going to approach this as costs start to go up. Is there already insurance that helps covers KingCo?	

Post season brackets spring		M. Stuart	Post season for spring sports brackets were shown to all AD's. Please look these over before the next meeting, if you have any feedback please send back to post season committee.	
Basketball schedule change	<i>action</i>	B. Kuntz	Lindbergh / Highline and Lindbergh / Evergreen Lindberg vs Highline - There was a game scheduled during a holiday concert where 10 out of 12 of the kids were not able to participate, and will need to have league approval. Highline and Lindbergh are asking to switch home and away and move the game to Friday 12/20th at Lindbergh and January for at Highline Lindbergh vs Evergreen - There was a very bad fight and police precense at Lindbergh High School at the end of the day. The principal did not believe that he could provide a safe space for a boys basketball game at Lindbergh due to the boys basketball team being somewhat involved and the parents of the players were also not creating a safe space. BJ called evergreen and explained the situation, and their was an agreement to cancel the boys basketball game with Lindbergh and evergreen that night.	MTA adjustment of a schedule between highline and lindbergh - 2nd - Discussion - 20 - 1 - 1 - PASSED MTA a reschedule between lindbergh and evergreen and not force a forfeit - 2nd - Discussion - 14 - 5 - 4 - PASSED
Basketball post season seeding	<i>discussion</i>	B. Kuntz	Teams will be placed into their seeds like we have seeded in our other sports. Although we have forced friendlies in basketball, and there should be a committee that helps make sure the seeds are correct into the tournament. Post season - teams are seeded as normal then we bring them in with a seeding committee, (2) 2A coahes, (2) 3A coaches, (3) 4As, then look at the seeding as they are, then look at the criteria and see if any tweaks need to made.	MTA seeding committee for basketball with (2) 2A coaches, (2) 3A coaches, (3) 4A coaches, basketball commissioners, representative from Lincoln for 4A while using the criteria developed by the league. - 2nd - Discussion - AMMEND - MTA seeding committee for basketball with basketball commissioners, with atleast 1 coach from each division, representative from Lincoln for 4A while using the criteria developed by the league - 2nd - discussion - 21-0-2 PASSED - AMMEND - MTA to remove the language in the above amendment with not having the criteria used by the league - 2nd - discussion - 21-0-2 PASSED AMMEND - MTA that in the criteria you can only move one division up or down - 2nd - Discussion - AMMENDMENT WAS WITHDRAWN AND SECOND WAS WITHDRAWN - 22 - 1 - 0

Committee Reports

<u>Topic</u>		<u>Person responsible/Group</u>	<u>Notes</u>	<u>Action taken</u>
Sportsmanship		Melton	No report	
Scheduling	<i>FYI</i>	Lori Box	Mark got done with the new power ranking tool. There are some issues that questions were asked about.	
Post Season		John Applegate	No report	
Data Collection		Jordan	8 more people have answered the data. Matt is collecting data for blow outs when it comes to basketball.	

Sport Reports

<u>Topic</u>		<u>Person responsible/Group</u>	<u>Notes</u>	<u>Action taken</u>
Cross Country	<i>FYI</i>	John Hill	No report	
Football	<i>FYI</i>	Dan / Kyle / Phil	No report	
Boys Golf	<i>FYI</i>	Lance	No report	
Boys Tennis	<i>FYI</i>	Lindsey	No report	
Volleyball	<i>FYI</i>	Rick/Kealey/Gabe	No report	

Slowpitch	FYI	Melton	No report
Girls Swim	FYI	Jeff	No report
Girls Soccer	FYI	Matt	No report
Boys Basketball	FYI	Rashaad	No report
Girls Basketball	FYI	Lindsey	No report
Wrestling	FYI	Jason	<p>League meets on Thursdays -</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - These are not boys dual meets they are league meets for boys and girls -coaches need to communicate who they are bringing and numbers -Trackwrestling - has been around now for over 5 years - no more excuses coaches need to know how to use trackwrestling and should be using trackwrestling for their dual meets - need to know technology. -match and equate younger and or JV/inexperienced wretlers <p>Scheduling non-league or JV only matches - there is no reason why you cannot provide a JV or non-league opportunity on Saturday for your inexperienced wresling. We were informed of a new way in trackwrestling that the junior clubs have been using to create pools after weigh ins. Cost is \$50, charge at gate and make up the cost of officials and trackwrestling program set up.</p> <p>TV screens are cheap around \$150-\$160 for a 40inch screen at Costco</p> <p>Communication from Jason on all aspects of wrestling has been phenomenal. Go back and read how he has held the hand of your coach with everything from trackwrestling to how to send a communication about your upcoming match.</p> <p>Girls Schedule will be opposite of boys next year.</p>
Flag Football	FYI	John	we are up and running. around 79 teams on the west side. February 8th - we will have 2 regions for the unofficial championship. 12 team bracket, 7 teams out of KingCo. Will need to add an extra game in the kingco bracket.
Gymnastics	FYI	Rich	Mercer Island and newport are forming a co-op. There will be some movement with the schedule in January.
Boys Swim	FYI	Jeff	No report
Baseball	FYI	Dan	No report
Fastpitch	FYI	Melton	No report
Track	FYI	Jordan/BJ	No report
Girls Tennis	FYI	Colin	No report
Girls Golf	FYI	Lance	Working on a schedule
Badminton	FYI	Wes	No report
Boys Soccer	FYI	Matt	No report
Dance/Drill	FYI	Lori	No report
Cheer	FYI	Kealey	No report