

- Will let it go for at least 1 more year – if your coaches have serious concerns about this, have something together for the Dec. meeting.
- Make protective eyewear mandatory for your students – Insurance concerns in case of injury
- 4.2.3 Track & Field – Coaches need to get their students to clean up after the meet – how we are leaving Carpenter’s grounds isn’t really acceptable –TREAT IT LIKE YOUR OWN
 - Training a new crew to run tech stuff – thanks Jason Stein. Will look at getting some training for him.
- 4.2.4 Jr. Golf – went well
 - Coaches – need to take a look at your kids that are shooting 12-15+ on every hole. We need to be somewhat professional here and make the judgment that these kids aren’t ready for District competition.

4.3 President

- **Welcome College Park School**
- Congratulations to our award winners who were recognized at the AGM in Yorkton:
 - Service – Jay Elder (Lashburn)
 - Male Coach – Paul Raycroft (Valley View)
 - Female Coach – Jenna Unraw (Goodsoil)
 - Official – Trevor Gateley (H. Hardcastle)
 - Merit – Dave Speirs (Maidstone)
- Website – bookmark it as it will only be as good as we make it. Share the link with the staff. If there is any info that is missing/needs to be cleaned up, please notify Jay and he will make the necessary corrections.
 - Jay can also do some training for certain people to help him with inputting some of this information
- League Reps- this will make contacting people/finding out information much easier
 - Battle river – DJ Feil
 - Central – Darren Nordell
 - Meadow Lake – Kendra Paramchuk
 - Lloyd- Ryan Sklapsky
 - Beaver River – Elaine Favel/Greg Hatch
- Links- if you have any good sites/sources, share with Jay and he can get them posted on the site
- All rulebooks are online – pdf form
- Respect in Sport – all teachers need to have this if they plan on coaching – link is on SHSAA site. Same with Concussion in Sport. If you don’t fill this number in when completing E5’s they are incomplete. As an AD it might be beneficial for you to collect these numbers to have on file.
- Community coaches that are new – have to complete the Fundamentals of Coaching program before they can coach – if there is a staff member with them, then this course isn’t necessary. All teachers employed by the school meet the criteria (subs as well)
- Communicate with the coaches in your school – pass info along
- Activity guidelines – look at the start dates for your activities and number of matches your kids play – these need to be recorded.
- School Sport Week – Oct. 11-18
- SHSAA fees have gone up 5.00/team (just SR. sports)
- SIAAA – leadership training for AD’s
 - Conference in Saskatoon April 17/18 at the Hilton
 - Contact Miles Bennett from Rosetown
 - Can take 3 levels – Registered, Certified, Master

- Can earn a Masters in Athletic Admin through Indiana State and Grace College which will be recognized by SaskEd.
- NW Clothing – Vests are still available
 - Are we interested in doing some branding for clothing – newer, more unique
 - Have a contest to design something? Jay will get something together for the next meeting

4.4 S.H.S.A.A.- Kevin Vollet

- Handbooks – not enough so Kevin will send some up and they will come through interschool mail
- Encourage your people in your buildings to get involved in officiating – SHSAA has a series of posters regarding this and sport involvement to hang in the school
- BBall – Shot clock resetting – shot clock not reset to 24 after an attempt –reset to the time left
- Thanks to you AD’s and to the people in your buildings for doing what you do with the students that take part in activity
- Thanks to the Executive of the NWHSAA
- Congratulations to the Sportsmanship winners:
 - Beauval/Valley View Sr. Boys Volleyball
 - Laloche Sr. Boys Volleyball
 - Maidstone Sr. Girls Volleyball
- Resolutions:
 - Use of Gr. 8 students – must be a 1A/2A school and the student must be attending the school that they will participate in
 - If school offers a sport specific course in their curriculum, that student will be ineligible to take part in the extracurricular sport **if the class and sport are being done at the same time.**
 - Classification for Fall activities based on last year’s numbers while Winter and Spring activities will be based on Sept. 30 numbers
 - To reclassify up a category will mean a 2 year commitment, down from the previous 3 year commitment
 - Sept 17 – fall E5’s and E3’s are due
 - Curling – teams can sub at any time but the player subbed out will be done for the match. Can sub for any reason
 - Congratulations to award winners
 - Respect in Sport – free for this year and next and all coaches need to complete it.
 - SIAAA PD – offers 4 hr courses in various fields
 - Sport Advisory groups – requests will come out in the fall if you are interested
 - Kevin is done at the end of this year – Lyle will become the new Director
 - If interested in the Assistant Director’s position, Kevin will provide some information about it. Applications will be accepted in the new year.

4.5 Officials’ Commissioner – Dave Speirs

- Recruitment and retention is key with our young people
- Use people “in house”
- Have 2 jerseys and whistles for potential people
- Could we hold clinics run by our own people for the “newbies”? won’t be carded but they may gain some great insights and it isn’t as intimidating
- How are we teaching the rules to our own kids? This is a must.
- Track – implement weights
 - Don’t go too crazy if buying track stuff.

- SAWA – Wrestling – will drive anywhere to put on a clinic for both coaches and officials
 - 306-236-5236 Jason Gunther
 - 10.00 wrestling clinic in Meadow Lake on Nov. 15 and available for all students
 - Official's Clinics:
 - Beaver River – Phyllis Longobardi will do one in the North
 - B.Ball – Kaitlyn Harmon – looking to put together a 2 day clinic
 - Is this feasible?
 - If interested in hosting a clinic, let Dave know as quickly as possible

5.0 Old Business

5.1 Creation of Leagues within the District

5.1.1 *Make it apparent to those that are involved what is expected of them (costs, travel, etc)*

5.1.2 *Send a copy of these formed leagues to me please. Last year questions were asked and I couldn't give answers because I knew nothing of what was going on.*

5.2 Expense forms for District Play –

5.2.1 *If there are costs that are incurred, please fill out a form and fax it to me for reimbursement as soon as possible and if possible, submit receipts*

6.0 New Business

6.1 Discipline Committee:

President- Jay Elder

Official's commissioner- Dave Speirs

Member at large – Darren Nordell

Member at large – DJ Feil

Member at large – Brad Freyman

Member at Large – Brent

6.2 League Representatives – see earlier notes

6.3 Election of Vice President – Amanda Miazga

7.0 Forms and Fees

7.1 Division Fees of \$100.00 is payable to NWHSAA. Elementary schools who are participating in sports need to pay \$15.00 per sport.

7.2 These fees are sent to

NWHSAA

c/o Lashburn High School

Box 430

Lashburn SK

SOM 1HO

Attention: Jay Elder

7.3 **E-3** (School Team Registration Form)

E 10 (School Enrolment Form) also completed on line by **Sept. 30th**.

E.5 Eligibility Form – Check Handbook dates

E-15 Officials Registry

7.4 School Sport Week –Oct. 12-18

****Some SHSAA deadlines have been changed. Please check the handbook carefully for each specific activity.**

8.0 Activity commissioners

8.1 Please do a follow-up forms. These are to be sent to Jay as soon as possible after the playoff is finished. These should include all approved expenses that need to be recovered by the school and/or officials. See Website for forms.

**NWHSAA
c/o Lashburn High School
Box 430
Lashburn SK
SOM 1HO
Attention: Jay Elder**

9.0 Officials clinics:

9.1 The North West will pay cost of 1 or 2 clinics per sport. We could pay for 2- 3 volleyball clinics.

Be prepared to drive

9.1.1 Volleyball: 1.

9.1.2 Basketball 1.

2.

10. Other:

10.1 X-Country dates – dates will be sent out next week

10.2 Track

10.2.1 Pinnies for Distance races –
Motion

The NWHSAA buy 4 sets of pinnies that can be used for District Track to be used as a sorting aid for these races.

Seconded Dave Speirs
Carried Doug Milne

10.2.2 Track Computer Program

-Jason Stein (Turtleford) has agreed to take over the running of the Track program

-Cost for this program is approx.. \$600.00

Motion

The NWHSAA purchase the Hi-Tek program for District Track

Seconded Dave Speirs
Doug Milne

10.3 Volleyball Exhibition

10.4 AGM Mentoring

- We are limited in the numbers that we can send
- There is a need an influx of youth
- As a way to let new people experience this, Jay will approach the Sr. Administration to discuss this to see if this is a viable option

11.0 Next Meeting: Executive, League Presidents (plus any others who wish to attend)

Tuesday December 9 @ Meadow Lake at 2:00PM C.S.T