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COVID-19

The SHSAA Executive Council met April 5, 2020 to conduct business of the Association and to address the COVID-19 pandemic impact on SHSAA activities and programs. A number of decisions were made as listed:

CANCELLED: 2020 SHSAA Badminton Season; 2020 SHSAA Track & Field Season; 2020 SHSAA Football Spring Camps; 2020 SHSAA Youth Officials Conference; 2020 SHSAA Coaches Symposium

ADJUSTED: 2020 SHSAA AGM - meeting will be held June 25 @ 1:00pm using online meeting software; 2020 SHSAA Golf Season - Spring portion (Apr 6 - June 30) is cancelled; 2020 SHSAA Cross Country Season - Spring portion (June 8 - 30) is cancelled.

A document with pertinent information for students, coaches, schools, districts, and other stakeholders regarding the impact of COVID-19 on SHSAA can be viewed here https://cdn1.sportngin.com/attachments/document/f221-2146261/SHSAA_COVID-19_Information_and_Response_04062020.pdf.

A reminder that each SHSAA District will be conducting online meetings in the near future. If your school has not been contacted please reach out to your district representatives or the SHSAA office.

Please utilize the Saskatchewan Government website saskatchewan.ca/coronavirus to access the latest information, health measures, and [mental health supports](#) in Saskatchewan regarding COVID-19.

The SHSAA office staff is working remotely at this time. We appreciate your patience as we respond to your inquiries, requests, and needs. Have a Happy Easter.

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CONGRATULATIONS:

To the 2020 Provincial Curling Champions and all participants. We would like to THANK Meadow Lake, Allan, and Spiritwood for hosting great Championships. To view complete results visit <http://www.shsaa.ca/page/show/1117109-shsaa-curling-draws-and-results>

CURLING			
	Girls @	Boys @	Mixed @
	Allan	Meadow Lake	Spiritwood
Gold	Wadena	Foam Lake	Spiritwood
Silver	Yorkton Regional	Swift Current	Swift Current
Bronze	Wawota	Martensville	Quill Lake

CONGRATULATIONS:

To the 2020 Provincial Wrestling Champions and all participants. We would like to THANK SSSAD and Mount Royal Collegiate for hosting a great Championship. To view complete results visit <http://www.shsaa.ca/page/show/1139388-shsaa-wrestling-results>

THANK YOU to all of our winter activity district, conference, and regional host sites. Also, a huge shout out to the many officials who were involved in our playoffs.

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MENTAL HEALTH IN SPORT:

Dr. Martin Camire from the University of Ottawa has worked very closely with School Sport Canada over the past number of years. His research has led to the development of coaching resources for school sport coaches and the research continues to provide results to support the benefits of school sport participation.

Dr. Camire's next project is a pan-Canadian study on school sport participation and mental health. Student athletes in grades 11-12 are encouraged to become part of this valuable project. To get all the details please refer to the SHSAA website or click on the following link https://www.shsaa.ca/news_article/show/1055888

Es-tu un/une élève-athlète en secondaire 4 ou 5 (11e ou 12e année) ?

SANTÉ MENTALE EN SPORT

QUESTIONNAIRE EN LIGNE

TIRAGE DE FIN D'ANNÉE
amazon \$50
1 de 10 CARTES-CADEAUX

Lien au Questionnaire Code QR du Questionnaire

www.surveymonkey.ca/r/etudesm

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Are you a student-athlete in grade 11 or grade 12?

MENTAL HEALTH IN SPORT

ONLINE SURVEY

END OF YEAR DRAW FOR
amazon \$50
1 of 10 GIFT CARDS

Link to Survey QR Code to Survey

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SPORT ADVISORY GROUPS:

The SHSAA Sport Advisory Groups have been busy with discussions in each of the 10 sanctioned SHSAA activities. At each Executive meeting, the chairperson of each group reports to the Executive Council on the discussion topics and items of interest that have been part of the Sport Advisory Group correspondence. The Executive Council reviews this feedback to evaluate the current structure of the activities being used to deliver school sport in Saskatchewan. If you are interested in serving on one of these Sport Advisory Groups you are encouraged to complete an application form available at <https://shsaa.sportngin.com/register/form/348760507>

CIAAA:

Unfortunately, the CIAAA national conference scheduled for April 16-18, 2020 in Vancouver had to be cancelled. The CIAAA Board of Directors and Executive Director, Drew Hanson, have already begun the planning for the 2021 national conference. The conference will be returning to Vancouver in April 2021 with the exact dates TBD.

A reminder to keep up to date with all the happenings of CIAAA by visiting <https://www.ciaaa.ca/>. Be sure to check out the resource bank for Athletic Directors by activating your free Saskatchewan AD membership in the CIAAA. Contact drew@ciaaa.ca or shsaa@shsaa.ca for more information.

FACEBOOK, TWITTER & INSTAGRAM:

SHSAA has [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#), and [Instagram](#). Please follow us for the latest information regarding school sport and SHSAA playoffs.

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SHSAA HOST SITES FOR 2020-21:

With the cancellation of Hoopla 2020 (Regina), Badminton 2020 (Nipawin), Track & Field 2020 (East Central - Yorkton), and the in-person format of AGM 2020 (South Central - Moose Jaw). The host sites of these events have been asked to indicate by May 1, 2020 whether they would like to be inserted into the hosting rotation for the 2020-2021 school year. Once that information is received a complete list of 2020-21 hosts can be finalized.

To this point the 2020-21 host sites can be found at <https://www.shsaa.ca/page/show/1004061-championship-host-site-projection>. Please note that *Naicam* has been awarded the **2020 2A Girls Provincial Volleyball** championship after the Executive considered a number of quality bids to host.

Bids to host this fall's **5A Regional Volleyball Championships** and **5A Girls Soccer Championship** are due by May 13, 2020.

ONLINE COACH DEVELOPMENT OPPORTUNITIES:

Thank you to Brian Grest for his work in putting together a resource package of online coaching development opportunities. Brian's document is available at https://cdn1.sportngin.com/attachments/document/74f4-2146844/Online_PD_Opportunities_-_coach_and_AD.pdf

In addition, Coaches Association of Saskatchewan is doing their part in making Coach Education easier to access in an online, e-learning platform. Please check out the SHSAA homepage (<https://www.shsaa.ca/>) for more information and relevant links.

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2020-2021 Start Dates & Provincial Championships

<u>Sport</u>	<u>Start Date</u>	<u>Provincial Championship Date</u>
Golf	April 6, 2020	September 25-26, 2020
Cross Country	June 8, 2020	October 17, 2020
Soccer	September 1, 2020	October 30-31, 2020
Football	August 20, 2020	November 14, 2020
Volleyball	September 1, 2020	November 20-21, 2020 (1A-4A Girls & 5A) November 27-28, 2020 (1A-4A Boys)
Curling	November 9, 2020	March 5-6, 2021
Wrestling	November 23, 2020	March 5-6, 2021
Basketball	November 23, 2020	March 25-27, 2021
Badminton	February 1, 2021	May 8, 2021
Track and Field	March 29, 2021	June 4-5, 2021
AGM		June 23-25, 2021



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