

State Playoff Committee Minutes

September 23, 2021

Zoom Meeting

Call to Order: 8:01pm

Joe Barone, VP Youth called the meeting to order at 8:01pm. Attending the meeting were voting members Joe Barone, Mickie Jesus, Al Wakeham, Dorothy Ballard, George Atkinson, Jim Cosgrove, Roger Mauritho, Tom Berry, Dan Pozdol, Doug Diroff, Nick Zajas, Jerry Ruzowski, Kevin Wood, Jean Laxton, Don Wright,

State Playoffs:

Tier 1 schedule- possibility of splitting weekends with 14u, 15u , 16u like the 18u, Joe talked to Darin to see what the possibility is for 2021-2022, the potential is there to make this work but not for the 2021-2022, more discussion to create a new bid structure for 2022-2023.

State schedules- D6 have all bids turned in, Bantam b in D8 will move to 3/11-3/13, 2022.

Discussion on state awards for playoffs, Roger M. is heading up the bids and progress of awards.

SPC Sub Committees:

- 1) Schedule review for states- Doug, Kevin, Joe.
- 2) State playoff format- Dan to chair it. Discuss whats best for states, not to make new rules or effect anything with the task force.
- 3) Split season format-Don Wright to chair it. Do we continue/discontinue, good and bad.

Please volunteer for committees, keep on agenda, December meeting focus on sub-committees.

Exceptions: Must be reviewed by the districts and chairs, especially related to rostering, there are exceptions coming into the online registrations.

Playoff commitments:

Approx. 45 days to register for states, what are the ramifications for not signing up for states on time, boys/girls Tier 1, girls tier III. This will be an active discussion point for the October 7th meeting. How do we get teams to register on time, if late what's the punishment without punishing the kids.

suggestion-if there are eight teams registered for eight team divisions, don't take the extra teams, everything is date and time stamped which will help to track when they registered.

Old Business:

Tier 3 Girls-Trenton only bid?

New Business:

Ref rates for state tournaments were discussed regarding the current contract or future contract?
The current contract is still valid for the 2021-2022 season.

State tournament Guidebook Dan P. To review, Covid section should be removed.

Executive decisions made-should be transparent to the SPC if it regard the committee.

JV League Roster 25 players now and then down to 20 for the season.

Adray JV League asked to be able to keep the rules from last season regarding penalty lengths and the tag up rule following the USA High School Rules.

Next Meeting: October 7th, 8:00pm.

Motion to adjourn: 8:57 pm

Kevin Wood
Secretary

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