

Notes 5.22.07

1. budget

we may need to charge more for HS players if we split from MS.

2. reffing shortage

- handout from Lori
- there will probably be a new high school assignor for '07-'08
- JV was a mess with refs
- It's too hard to schedule any games before 4:30 in city
- It is very hard for refs to get way out to ref by a descent time
- 432 games scheduled
- 6 cancelled
- 5 forfeited
- 59 played with one ref

Problem: early game times in Seattle area and traveling to outskirts

Solution:

- Programs need to be more flexible with their game sites and times.
- Programs also may have to only have away games or find a field closer to the urban core.
- There seems to be a need to make this issue more public – people need to be made aware that there is potentially a HUGE referee shortage that will impact teams and players. The word should be spread about this issue in hopes of gaining more refs.
- Coaches should be certified to ref.
- Require an adult and a player from each program to become certified.
- Make the JV league have a 10 game schedule.

Starfire Stadium in Tukwila (?) Franklin HS (?) Ingraham (?) – do these fields have lights? Are they lined?

3. Residency Boundaries/Guidelines

There is a proposal for a new guideline that explains boundaries and school affiliations.

Jessanne Allen will make a first draft for full board input

We will present the model for coaches council meeting

4. Kennedy High School

They will enter as a Varsity B team.

5. League Alignments

Tacoma will move up to Varsity A
Overlake, Klahowya, and Bellevue to Varsity B

6. Uniform Regulations for Next Year

This rule will be enforced in '07-'08
Rosters MUST be accurate and if there are any changes it must be reported to the score table and all coaches must be notified.

7. Timer's/Scorekeeper's Clinic

It will be mandatory for each team to send a representative to this clinic '07-'08

8. WIAA Proposal

Jamie Asaka and Sue Haviland will prepare something to be submitted in December 2007 to WIAA.

9. 2007-2008 Board Positions

10. Stipend for VP and Treasurer?

This will be put on the agenda for the summertime for future conversation

11. Regional Team Procedures

Some of the girls that made the Washington State 1st and 2nd teams were cut from the Regional team.

Some of the girls that made the Regional Team were not even nominated by their coaches for these awards

There needs to be a template for how to select a team, run a try-out, and what the team should look like.

12. All State Awards

We will review the selection process.

It was suggested that the process goes something like:

- coaches nominate
- ballots made, coaches vote
- votes are counted and then presented at the coaches meeting

Jamie will continue to work on this process and see what may work better
Talia suggests that at the timekeeper's clinic, stats should be overly emphasized and the All State Awards should be talked about.