#### PRESENT

**Executive Committee Members:** Chairman Chris Conley, Vice-Chairman John Steinhilber, Stacy Adams (virtually), Tom Black (Member-Elect), Jim Brown, Martin Brown, Victor Bush, Nathan Dean, Kye Denney (Member-Elect), Jeff Doyle, Brent Duncan, Tom Finicle, Ed Gilliland, Tim Grove, Matt Martin, Patti McCormack, Brian Strong, Mike Whitten, Rae Ferriell-Woolpy (virtually), Dave Worland.

**Executive Staff Members:** Commissioner Paul Neidig, Assistant Commissioners Robert Faulkens, Chris Kaufman, Kerrie Schludecker, Sandra Walter; Attorney Bob Baker, Technology Director Luke Morehead, Director of Broadcast Operations Heath Shanahan, Sports Information Director Jason Wille, Foundation President Matt Wolfert.

### AGENDA

### FOR ACTION

#### 1) MINUTES

The minutes of the April 2, 2021 meeting were recommended for approval.

# A motion for approval was made by Tim Grove; seconded by Matt Martin; motion approved 17-1 with Jeff Doyle opposed.

### 2) REVIEW STATUS OF GYMNASTICS AS AN IHSAA SPONSORED SPORT

Commissioner Paul Neidig and Assistant Commissioner Sandra Walter reported on the status of gymnastics as an IHSAA sport. Per Rule 1-4 of the IHSAA By-Laws, sports that do not maintain at least 25% participation of the member schools will be reviewed annually for purposes of determining future tournament and recognition status. This year's state tournament included 76 schools and 519 participants and the state finals were hosted at Ball State's Worthen Arena.

### A motion for approval was made by Jim Brown; seconded by Brent Duncan; motion approved 17-0.

### 3) FOOTBALL TOURNAMENT ALIGNMENT FOR 2021-22

Assistant Commissioner Robert Faulkens presented the following sectional groups for the 2021-22 football state tournament for consideration.

#### A motion for approval was made by Patti McCormack; seconded by Tom Finicle; motion approved 18-0.

#### Class 6A

1. (4): Crown Point, Lafayette Jefferson, Lake Central, Merrillville



- 2. (4): Chesterton, Elkhart, Penn, Portage
- 3. (3): Carroll (Fort Wayne), Homestead, Warsaw
- 4. (4): Fishers, Hamilton Southeastern, Noblesville, Westfield
- 5. (4): Avon, Brownsburg, Carmel, Pike
- 6. (4): Ben Davis, Indianapolis Arsenal Technical, Perry Meridian, Southport
- 7. (4): Lawrence Central, Lawrence North, North Central (Indianapolis), Warren Central
- 8. (3): Center Grove, Columbus North, Franklin Central

### Class 5A

- 9. (4): Hammond Central, Hammond Morton, Munster, Valparaiso
- 10. (4): LaPorte, Michigan City, Mishawaka, South Bend Adams

**11. (6):** Concord, Fort Wayne Bishop Dwenger, Fort Wayne North Side, Fort Wayne Northrop, Fort Wayne Snider, Goshen

- 12. (5): Anderson, Harrison (West Lafayette), Kokomo, McCutcheon, Zionsville
- 13. (5): Decatur Central, Indianapolis Cathedral, Plainfield, Terre Haute North, Terre Haute South
- 14. (4): Columbus East, Franklin Community, New Palestine, Whiteland Community
- **15. (4):** Bloomington North, Bloomington South, Castle, Evansville North
- 16. (5): Bedford North Lawrence, Floyd Central, Jeffersonville, New Albany, Seymour

#### Class 4A

17. (7): East Chicago Central, Gary West Side, Griffith, Highland, Hobart, Kankakee Valley, Lowell

- 18. (7): Culver Academies, Logansport, New Prairie, Plymouth, South Bend Clay, South Bend Riley, South Bend St. Joseph
- 19. (8): Angola, Columbia City, DeKalb, East Noble, Leo, Northridge, NorthWood, Wawasee

**20. (8):** Delta, Fort Wayne South Side, Fort Wayne Wayne, Huntington North, Jay County, Marion, Mississinewa, New Haven

**21. (8):** Connersville, Greenfield-Central, Mt. Vernon (Fortville), Muncie Central, New Castle, Pendleton Heights, Richmond, Shelbyville

**22. (8):** Beech Grove, Frankfort, Indianapolis Bishop Chatard, Indianapolis Crispus Attucks, Indianapois Shortridge, Lebanon, Roncalli, Western

**23. (8):** East Central, Greenwood, Jennings County, Madison Consolidated, Martinsville, Mooresville, Silver Creek, South Dearborn

**24. (7):** Boonville, Evansville Central, Evansville F.J. Reitz, Evansville Harrison, Evansville Reitz Memorial, Jasper, Northview

#### Class 3A

**25.** (6): Benton Central, Calumet, Hanover Central, Knox, River Forest, Twin Lakes

26. (8): Garrett, Glenn, Jimtown, Lakeland, Mishawaka Marian, South Bend Washington, Tippecanoe Valley, West Noble

27. (8): Bellmont, Fort Wayne Concordia Lutheran, Heritage, Maconaguah, Northwestern, Norwell, Oak Hill, Peru

**28. (8):** Brebeuf Jesuit, Crawfordsville, Guerin Catholic, Hamilton Heights, North Montgomery, West Lafayette, Western Boone, Yorktown

**29. (7):** Danville Community, Greencastle, Indian Creek, Indianapolis Cardinal Ritter, Indianapolis George Washington, Tri-West Hendricks, West Vigo

**30. (8):** Brown County, Edgewood, Owen Valley, Pike Central, Princeton Community, Sullivan, Vincennes Lincoln, Washington

**31. (8):** Batesville, Brownstown Central, Charlestown, Franklin County, Greensburg, Lawrenceburg, Rushville, Scottsburg **32. (8):** Corydon Central, Evansville Bosse, Gibson Southern, Heritage Hills, Mt. Vernon, North Harrison, Salem, Southridge

### Class 2A

**33. (8):** Andrean, Boone Grove, Bowman Academy, Hammond Bishop Noll, North Newton, Rensselaer Central, Wheeler, Whiting

34. (8): Bremen, Delphi, LaVille, Lewis Cass, Manchester, Pioneer, Rochester, Wabash

- 35. (8): Bluffton, Central Noble, Eastside, Fairfield, Fort Wayne Bishop Luers, Prairie Heights, Whitko, Woodlan
- 36. (8): Alexandria, Blackford, Eastbrook, Eastern (Greentown), Elwood, Frankton, Lapel, Tipton
- **37. (8):** Cascade, Lafayette Central Catholic, Monrovia, North Putnam, Seeger, South Vermillion, Southmont, Speedway **38. (7):** Centerville, Eastern Hancock, Heritage Christian, Indianapolis Scecina Memorial, Northeastern, Shenandoah, Winchester
- 39. (8): Clarksville, Eastern (Pekin), Mitchell, Paoli, Providence, Switzerland County, Triton Central, Union County
- **40. (8):** Crawford County, Evansville Mater Dei, Forest Park, Linton-Stockton, North Knox, North Posey, South Spencer, Tell City

# Class A

**41. (8):** Caston, Culver Community, Lake Station Edison, North Judson-San Pierre, South Newton, South Central (Union Mills), West Central, Winamac

42. (7): Carroll (Flora), Clinton Central, Clinton Prairie, Frontier, North White, Tri-County, Traders Point Christian

43. (8): Madison-Grant, Monroe Central, South Adams, Southern Wells, Taylor, Tri-Central, Union City, Wes-Del

44. (8): Adams Central, Anderson Preparatory, Churubusco, Fremont, North Miami, Northfield, Southwood, Triton

45. (8): Attica, Cloverdale, Covington, Fountain Central, North Vermillion, Parke Heritage, Riverton Parke, South Putnam

46. (7): Covenant Christian (Indpls.), Edinburgh, Indiana Deaf, Indianapolis Lutheran, Park Tudor, Sheridan, Tindley

**47. (8):** Cambridge City Lincoln, Hagerstown, Knightstown, Milan, North Decatur, Oldenburg Academy, South Decatur, Tri

**48. (8):** Eastern Greene, North Central (Farmersburg), North Daviess, Perry Central, Rock Creek Academy, Springs Valley, Tecumseh, West Washington

# 4) BOYS AND GIRLS SOCCER ALIGNMENTS FOR 2021-22

Assistant Commissioner Sandra Walter presented the following sectional groups for the 2021-22 boys and girls state tournaments for consideration.

# A motion for approval was made by Martin Brown; seconded by Jim Brown; motion approved 18-0.

# **Boys Sectionals**

# Class 3A

**1. (7):** East Chicago Central, Hammond Central, Hammond Morton, Highland, Lake Central, Lowell, Munster

2. (7): Chesterton, Crown Point, Hobart, Kankakee Valley, Merrillville, Portage, Valparaiso

- **3. (6):** LaPorte, Michigan City, Mishawaka, Plymouth, South Bend Adams, South Bend Riley
- 4. (6): Concord, Elkhart, Goshen, Northridge, Penn, Warsaw Community
- 5. (6): Harrison (West Lafayette), Kokomo, Lafayette Jefferson, Logansport, Marion, McCutcheon
- 6. (6): Carroll (Fort Wayne), DeKalb, East Noble, Fort Wayne North Side, Fort Wayne Northrop, Fort Wayne Snider
- 7. (6): Columbia City, Fort Wayne South Side, Fort Wayne Wayne, Homestead, Huntington North, New Haven
- 8. (6): Anderson, Fishers, Hamilton Southeastern, Muncie Central, Noblesville, Pendleton Heights
- 9. (6): Avon, Ben Davis, Brownsburg, Decatur Central, Mooresville, Plainfield

**10.** (6): Carmel, Indianapolis Shortridge, North Central (Indianapolis), Pike, Westfield, Zionsville

**11. (7):** Franklin Central, Indianapolis Arsenal Technical, Indianapolis Cathedral, Indianapolis Crispus Attucks, Lawrence Central, Lawrence North, Warren Central

**12. (7):** Connersville, East Central, Greenfield-Central, Mt. Vernon (Fortville), New Palestine, Richmond, Shelbyville **13. (7):** Center Grove, Franklin Community, Greenwood Community, Perry Meridian, Roncalli, Southport, Whiteland Community

**14. (7):** Bedford North Lawrence, Bloomington North, Bloomington South, Martinsville, Northview, Terre Haute North Vigo, Terre Haute South Vigo

15. (7): Columbus East, Columbus North, Floyd Central, Jeffersonville, Jennings County, New Albany, Seymour

**16. (7):** Castle, Evansville Central, Evansville F.J. Reitz, Evansville Harrison, Evansville North, Evansville Reitz Memorial, Jasper

# Class 2A

17. (6): Griffith, Hammond Bishop Noll, Hanover Central, New Prairie, River Forest, Wheeler

**18. (5):** Benton Central, Boone Grove, Rensselaer Central, Twin Lakes, West Lafayette

19. (7): Bremen, Glenn, Jimtown, Mishawaka Marian, South Bend Clay, South Bend St. Joseph, South Bend Washington

**20.** (6): Angola, Garrett, Lakeland, NorthWood, Wawasee, West Noble

21. (8): Eastern (Greentown), Maconaquah, Mississinewa, Northwestern, Oak Hill, Peru, Tipton, Western

**22. (7):** Argos, Culver Academies, Fort Wayne Canterbury, Fort Wayne Concordia Lutheran, Manchester, Rochester Community, Tippecanoe Valley

23. (7): Bellmont, Fort Wayne Bishop Dwenger, Fort Wayne Bishop Luers, Heritage, Leo, Norwell, Woodlan

24. (7): Blackford, Delta, Eastbrook, Jay County, Muncie Burris, New Castle, Yorktown

**25.** (7): Crawfordsville, Danville Community, Frankfort, Greencastle, North Montgomery, Southmont, Tri-West Hendricks

26. (6): Brebeuf Jesuit, Guerin Catholic, Hamilton Heights, Indianapolis Cardinal Ritter, Lebanon, Western Boone

27. (5): Beech Grove, Herron, Indianapolis Bishop Chatard, Indianapolis George Washington, Speedway

28. (6): Batesville, Franklin County, Greensburg, Lawrenceburg, Rushville Consolidated, South Dearborn

29. (7): Brown County, Edgewood, Monrovia, Owen Valley, South Vermillion, Sullivan, West Vigo

**30.** (6): Gibson Southern, Pike Central, Princeton Community, Southridge, Vincennes Lincoln, Washington

**31. (7):** Charlestown, Corydon Central, Madison Consolidated, North Harrison, Salem, Scottsburg, Silver Creek

32. (5): Boonville, Evansville Bosse, Evansville Mater Dei, Heritage Hills, Mt. Vernon

# Class A

**33. (6):** Andrean, Covenant Christian (DeMotte), Hebron, Hammond Acad. of Science & Technology, Illiana Christian, Kouts

**34. (7):** LaVille, Marquette Catholic, Morgan Township, Oregon-Davis, Trinity at Greenlawn, Washington Township, Westville

35. (6): Bethany Christian, Central Noble, Eastside, Elkhart Christian Academy, Prairie Heights, Westview

36. (4): Caston, Culver Community, North Miami, Winamac Community

37. (5): Fort Wayne Blackhawk Christian, Lakeland Christian Academy, Lakewood Park Christian, South Adams, Wabash

38. (6): Carroll (Flora), Delphi Community, Faith Christian, Lafayette Central Catholic, North White, Rossville

**39. (5):** Anderson Preparatory Academy, Liberty Christian, Sheridan, Taylor, Tri-Central

**40.** (6): Heritage Christian, Indianapolis Scecina Memorial, International, Park Tudor, Tindley, University

**41. (8):** Bethesda Christian, Cascade, Covington, Eminence, Indiana Math & Science, North Putnam, Riverside, Traders Point Academy

42. (5): Centerville, Knightstown, Seton Catholic, Union County, Wapahani

**43. (6):** Central Christian Academy, Christel House Academy, Covenant Christian (Indianapolis), Indianapolis Lutheran, Irvington, Providence Cristo Rey

44. (5): Greenwood Christian Academy, Hauser, Morristown, Oldenburg Academy, Southwestern (Shelbyville)

45. (7): Jac-Cen-Del, Milan, Rising Sun, Shawe Memorial, South Ripley, Southwestern (Hanover), Switzerland County

46. (7): Austin, Christian Academy of Indiana, Henryville, Lanesville, Providence, Rock Creek Academy, Trinity Lutheran

**47. (8):** Bloomfield, Lighthouse Christian Academy, Mitchell, North Knox, South Knox, Vincennes Rivet, Washington Catholic, White River Valley

48. (7): Evansville Day, Forest Park, North Posey, Northeast Dubois, Shoals, South Spencer, Tell City

### **Girls Sectionals**

# Class 3A

1. (7): Crown Point, East Chicago Central, Hammond Central, Hammond Morton, Highland, Lake Central, Munster

2. (6): Chesterton, Hobart, Merrillville, Michigan City, Portage, Valparaiso

3. (5): LaPorte, Mishawaka, South Bend Adams, South Bend Riley, South Bend St. Joseph

- 4. (5): Concord, Elkhart, Goshen, Northridge, Penn
- 5. (5): Harrison (West Lafayette), Kokomo, Lafayette Jefferson, Logansport, McCutcheon

**6. (6):** Carroll (Fort Wayne), East Noble, Fort Wayne Bishop Dwenger, Fort Wayne North Side, Fort Wayne Northrop, Fort Wayne Snider

- 7. (5): Fort Wayne South Side, Fort Wayne Wayne, Homestead, Huntington North, Warsaw Community
- 8. (6): Anderson, Fishers, Hamilton Southeastern, Muncie Central, Noblesville, Pendleton Heights
- 9. (6): Avon, Ben Davis, Brownsburg, Decatur Central, Mooresville, Plainfield
- 10. (7): Carmel, Guerin Catholic, Indianapolis Arsenal Technical, North Central (Indianapolis), Pike, Westfield, Zionsville
- 11. (7): Franklin Central, Lawrence Central, Lawrence North, Perry Meridian, Roncalli, Southport, Warren Central
- **12. (6):** East Central, Greenfield-Central, Mt. Vernon (Fortville), New Palestine, Richmond, Shelbyville

**13. (6):** Center Grove, Columbus East, Columbus North, Franklin Community, Greenwood Community, Whiteland Community

- 14. (5): Bloomington North, Bloomington South, Martinsville, Terre Haute North Vigo, Terre Haute South Vigo
- 15. (6): Bedford North Lawrence, Floyd Central, Jeffersonville, Jennings County, New Albany, Seymour
- 16. (5): Castle, Evansville Central, Evansville F.J. Reitz, Evansville Harrison, Evansville North

### Class 2A

- 17. (5): Griffith, Hanover Central, New Prairie, River Forest, Wheeler
- 18. (5): Benton Central, Kankakee Valley, Lowell, Twin Lakes, West Lafayette
- 19. (7): Culver Academies, Glenn, Jimtown, Mishawaka Marian, Plymouth, South Bend Clay, South Bend Washington
- **20. (6):** Angola, DeKalb, Lakeland, NorthWood, Wawasee, West Noble
- 21. (6): Maconaquah, Mississinewa, Northwestern, Oak Hill, Peru, Western
- 22. (4): Columbia City, Fort Wayne Concordia Lutheran, Garrett, Leo
- 23. (5): Bellmont, Heritage, Marion, New Haven, Norwell
- 24. (5): Delta, Hamilton Heights, Jay County, New Castle, Yorktown
- **25. (7):** Crawfordsville, Danville Community, Frankfort, Greencastle, Lafayette Central Catholic, North Montgomery, Tri-West Hendricks
- 26. (7): Brebeuf Jesuit, Indianapolis Cardinal Ritter, Indianapolis Crispus Attucks, Indianapolis Bishop Chatard,

Indianapolis George Washington, Lebanon, Park Tudor

- 27. (5): Batesville, Beech Grove, Greensburg, Herron, Indianapolis Cathedral
- 28. (5): Connersville, Franklin County, Lawrenceburg, Rushville Consolidated, South Dearborn
- 29. (5): Brown County, Edgewood, Northview, Owen Valley, West Vigo
- 30. (5): Jasper, Pike Central, Princeton Community, Vincennes Lincoln, Washington
- **31.** (7): Charlestown, Corydon Central, Madison Consolidated, North Harrison, Salem, Scottsburg, Silver Creek

**32. (7):** Boonville, Evansville Bosse, Evansville Mater Dei, Evansville Reitz Memorial, Gibson Southern, Heritage Hills, Mt. Vernon

### Class A

33. (7): Andrean, Boone Grove, Hammond Bishop Noll, Hebron, Illiana Christian, Oregon-Davis, Rensselaer Central

**34. (7):** Covenant Christian (DeMotte), Kouts, Marquette Catholic, Morgan Township, Trinity at Greenlawn, Washington Township, Westville

35. (6): Argos, Bremen, Culver Community, LaVille, North Miami, Rochester Community

**36. (6):** Bethany Christian, Central Noble, Elkhart Christian Academy, Lakeland Christian Academy, Lakewood Park Christian, Westview

- 37. (6): Eastern (Greentown), Sheridan, Taylor, Tipton, Tri-Central, University
- 38. (5): Delphi Community, Faith Christian, North White, Rossville, Western Boone
- **39. (5):** Blackford, Eastbrook, Manchester, Wabash, Whitko
- 40. (5): Fort Wayne Bishop Luers, Fort Wayne Blackhawk Christian, Fort Wayne Canterbury, South Adams, Woodlan
- **41. (6):** Cascade, Covington, Monrovia, North Putnam, South Vermillion, Southmont

**42. (6):** Bethesda Christian, Covenant Christian (Indianapolis), Greenwood Christian Academy, International, Riverside, Speedway

43. (5): Heritage Christian, Indianapolis Lutheran, Indianapolis Scecina, Tindley, Triton Central

- 44. (6): Centerville, Knightstown, Morristown, Muncie Burris, Union County, Wapahani
- 45. (5): Milan, Oldenburg Academy, Rising Sun, South Ripley, Switzerland County
- 46. (5): Austin, Christian Academy of Indiana Providence, Southwestern (Hanover), Trinity Lutheran
- 47. (6): Bloomfield, North Knox, South Knox, Sullivan, Vincennes Rivet, Washington Catholic
- 48. (7): Evansville Day, Forest Park, North Posey, Northeast Dubois, South Spencer, Southridge, Tell City

#### 5) VOLLEYBALL ALIGNMENT FOR 2021-22

Assistant Commissioner Kerrie Schludecker presented the following sectional groups for the 2021-22 volleyball state tournament for consideration.

### A motion for approval was made by Ed Gilliland; seconded by Tom Finicle; motion approved 18-0.

### Class 4A

1. (7): East Chicago Central, Gary West Side, Hammond Central, Hammond Morton, Highland, Lake Central, Munster

- 2. (7): Chesterton, Crown Point, Hobart, Lowell, Merrillville, Portage, Valparaiso
- 3. (6): LaPorte, Michigan City, Mishawaka, Plymouth, South Bend Adams, South Bend Riley
- 4. (6): Concord, Elkhart, Goshen, Northridge, Penn, Warsaw Community
- 5. (6): Carroll (Fort Wayne), DeKalb, East Noble, Fort Wayne North Side, Fort Wayne Northrop, Fort Wayne Snider
- 6. (6): Columbia City, Fort Wayne South Side, Fort Wayne Wayne, Homestead, Huntington North, New Haven
- 7. (6): Harrison (West Lafayette), Kokomo, Lafayette Jefferson, Logansport, Marion, McCutcheon
- 8. (6): Carmel, Fishers, Hamilton Southeastern, Noblesville, Westfield, Zionsville

**9. (8):** Anderson, Greenfield-Central, Mt. Vernon (Fortville), Muncie Central, New Castle, Pendleton Heights, Richmond, Yorktown

**10. (6):** Indianapolis Cathedral, Lawrence Central, Lawrence North, New Palestine, North Central (Indianapolis), Warren Central

- 11. (7): Ben Davis, Indianapolis Arsenal Technical, Indianapolis Crispus Attucks, Perry Meridian, Pike, Roncalli, Southport
- 12. (7): Avon, Brownsburg, Decatur Central, Mooresville, Plainfield, Terre Haute North Vigo, Terre Haute South Vigo
- 13. (6): Center Grove, Franklin Central, Franklin Community, Greenwood Community, Shelbyville, Whiteland Community
- **14. (7):** Bedford North Lawrence, Bloomington North, Bloomington South, Columbus East, Columbus North, East Central, Martinsville
- 15. (6): Floyd Central, Jeffersonville, Jennings County, New Albany, Providence, Seymour
- 16. (6): Castle, Evansville Central, Evansville F.J. Reitz, Evansville Harrison, Evansville North, Jasper

### Class 3A

- 17. (5): Calumet, Griffith, Hanover Central, Lighthouse CPA, River Forest
- 18. (4): Culver Academies, Kankakee Valley, Knox, Wheeler
- 19. (6): Glenn, Mishawaka Marian, New Prairie, South Bend Clay, South Bend St. Joseph, South Bend Washington
- 20. (6): Benton Central, Crawfordsville, Frankfort, North Montgomery, Twin Lakes, West Lafayette
- 21. (6): Jimtown, Lakeland, NorthWood, Tippecanoe Valley, Wawasee, West Noble

**22. (7):** Angola, Fort Wayne Bishop Dwenger, Fort Wayne Bishop Luers, Fort Wayne Concordia Lutheran, Garrett, Leo, Woodlan

- 23. (7): Bellmont, Delta, Heritage, Jay County, Muncie Burris, Norwell, Wapahani
- 24. (6): Maconaquah, Mississinewa, Northwestern, Oak Hill, Peru, Western
- 25. (5): Danville, Greencastle, Lebanon, Monrovia, Tri-West Hendricks
- 26. (7): Brown County, Brownstown Central, Edgewood, Northview, Owen Valley, South Vermillion, West Vigo

**27. (6):** Brebeuf Jesuit, Guerin Catholic, Hamilton Heights, Heritage Christian, Indianapolis Bishop Chatard, Indianapolis Shortridge

- 28. (6): Beech Grove, Herron, Indianapolis Cardinal Ritter, Indianapolis George Washington, Indian Creek, Speedway
- 29. (7): Batesville, Connersville, Franklin County, Greensburg, Lawrenceburg, South Dearborn, Rushville Consolidated
- **30.** (7): Charlestown, Corydon Central, Madison Consolidated, North Harrison, Salem, Scottsburg, Silver Creek

- 31. (6): Barr-Reeve, Pike Central, Princeton Community, Vincennes Lincoln, Washington, Sullivan
- 32. (6): Boonville, Evansville Bosse, Evansville Reitz Memorial, Gibson Southern, Heritage Hills, Mt. Vernon

# Class 2A

- 33. (6): Andrean, Bowman Leadership Academy, Hammond Bishop Noll, Illiana Christian, Lake Station Edison, Whiting
- 34. (6): Boone Grove, Hebron, North Judson-San Pierre, North Newton, Rensselaer Central, Winamac Community
- 35. (6): Bremen, LaVille, Rochester, South Bend Career, South Central (Union Mills), Westville
- 36. (6): Central Noble, Churubusco, Eastside, Fairfield, Prairie Heights, Westview
- 37. (7): Carroll (Flora), Clinton Prairie, Delphi Community, Fountain Central, Lewis Cass, Rossville, Seeger
- 38. (7): Adams Central, Bluffton, Fort Wayne Canterbury, Manchester, South Adams, Wabash, Whitko
- 39. (6): Blackford, Eastbrook, Eastern (Greentown), Madison-Grant, Taylor, Tipton
- 40. (7): Alexandria Monroe, Cowan, Elwood Community, Frankton, Lapel, Monroe Central, Winchester Community
- 41. (7): Centerville, Eastern Hancock, Hagerstown, Knightstown, Northeastern, Shenandoah, Union County
- 42. (4): Covenant Christian (Indianapolis), Indianapolis Scecina Memorial, Irvington, Triton Central
- 43. (4): Park Tudor, Sheridan, University, Western Boone
- 44. (7): Cascade, Cloverdale, North Putnam, Parke Heritage, Riverton Parke, South Putnam, Southmont
- **45.** (7): Austin, Milan, North Decatur, South Decatur, South Ripley, Southwestern (Hanover), Switzerland County
- 46. (7): Christian Academy of Indiana, Clarksville, Crawford County, Eastern (Pekin), Henryville, Mitchell, Paoli
- 47. (6): Eastern Greene, Forest Park, Linton-Stockton, North Knox, South Knox, Southridge
- 48. (6): Evansville Mater Dei, North Posey, Perry Central, South Spencer, Tecumseh, Tell City

## **Class A**

**49. (7):** 21st Century-Gary, Covenant Christian (DeMotte), Hammond Academy Science & Technology, Kouts, Marquette Catholic, Morgan Township, Washington Township

50. (7): Argos, Culver Community, LaCrosse, Oregon-Davis, Trinity at Greenlawn, Triton, West Central

**51. (6):** Bethany Christian, Elkhart Christian Academy, Fort Wayne Blackhawk Christian, Fremont, Hamilton, Lakewood Park Christian

- 52. (6): Caston, Lakeland Christian Academy, North Miami, Northfield, Pioneer, Southwood
- 53. (6): Clinton Central, Faith Christian, Frontier, North White, South Newton, Tri-County
- 54. (6): Attica, Bethesda Christian, Covington, Lafayette Central Catholic, North Vermillion, Traders Point Christian
- 55. (6): Anderson Preparatory Academy, Daleville, Liberty Christian, Southern Wells, Tri-Central, Wes-Del
- 56. (7): Blue River Valley, Cambridge City Lincoln, Randolph Southern, Seton Catholic, Tri, Union (Modoc), Union City
- 57. (6): Bloomfield, Clay City, Eminence, North Central (Farmersburg), Shakamak, White River Valley
- 58. (6): Indiana Math & Science, Indiana School for the Deaf, Indianapolis Metropolitan, International, Riverside, Tindley
- **59. (5):** Central Christian Academy, Christel House Academy, Indianapolis Lutheran, Providence Cristo Rey, Victory College Preparatory
- 60. (6): Edinburgh, Greenwood Christian Academy, Hauser, Morristown, Southwestern (Shelbyville), Waldron
- 61. (6): Borden, Lanesville, New Washington, Rock Creek Academy, Shawe Memorial, South Central (Elizabeth)
- 62. (7): Crothersville, Jac-Cen-Del, Medora, Oldenburg Academy, Rising Sun, Trinity Lutheran, West Washington
- 63. (6): Lighthouse Christian Academy, Loogootee, North Daviess, Shoals, Vincennes Rivet, Washington Catholic
- 64. (5): Cannelton, Northeast Dubois, Orleans, Springs Valley, Wood Memorial

### 6) BOYS BASKETBALL ALIGNMENT FOR 2021-22

Commissioner Paul Neidig presented the following sectional groups for the 2021-22 boys basketball state tournament consideration.

### A motion for approval was made by Brian Strong; seconded by Mike Whitten; motion approved 18-0.

# Class 4A

1. (7): East Chicago Central, Gary West Side, Hammond Central, Hammond Morton, Highland, Lake Central, Munster

- 2. (7): Chesterton, Crown Point, Hobart, Lowell, Merrillville, Portage, Valparaiso
- 3. (6): LaPorte, Michigan City, Mishawaka, Plymouth, South Bend Adams, South Bend Riley
- 4. (6): Concord, Elkhart, Goshen, Northridge, Penn, Warsaw Community
- 5. (6): Carroll (Fort Wayne), DeKalb, East Noble, Fort Wayne North Side, Fort Wayne Northrop, Fort Wayne Snider
- 6. (6): Columbia City, Fort Wayne South Side, Fort Wayne Wayne, Homestead, Huntington North, New Haven
- 7. (6): Harrison (West Lafayette), Kokomo, Lafayette Jefferson, Logansport, Marion, McCutcheon
- 8. (6): Carmel, Fishers, Hamilton Southeastern, Noblesville, Westfield, Zionsville

**9. (7):** Anderson, Greenfield-Central, Mt. Vernon (Fortville), Muncie Central, New Palestine, Pendleton Heights, Richmond

**10. (7):** Indianapolis Arsenal Technical, Indianapolis Cathedral, Indianapolis Crispus Attucks, Lawrence Central, Lawrence North, North Central (Indianapolis), Warren Central

- 11. (6): Ben Davis, Decatur Central, Perry Meridian, Pike, Roncalli, Southport
- **12.** (6): Avon, Brownsburg, Mooresville, Plainfield, Terre Haute North Vigo, Terre Haute South Vigo
- 13. (6): Center Grove, Franklin Central, Franklin Community, Greenwood Community, Shelbyville, Whiteland Community
- 14. (6): Bloomington North, Bloomington South, Columbus East, Columbus North, East Central, Martinsville
- **15.** (6): Bedford North Lawrence, Floyd Central, Jeffersonville, Jennings County, New Albany, Seymour
- 16. (6): Castle, Evansville Central, Evansville F.J. Reitz, Evansville Harrison, Evansville North, Jasper

### Class 3A

- 17. (5): Calumet, Griffith, Hanover Central, Lighthouse CPA, River Forest
- 18. (5): Culver Academies, Kankakee Valley, Knox, New Prairie, Wheeler
- **19.** (6): Glenn, Jimtown, Mishawaka Marian, South Bend Clay, South Bend St. Joseph, South Bend Washington
- 20. (7): Benton Central, Maconaquah, Northwestern, Peru, Twin Lakes, West Lafayette, Western
- 21. (5): Lakeland, NorthWood, Tippecanoe Valley, Wawasee, West Noble

**22. (7):** Angola, Fort Wayne Bishop Dwenger, Fort Wayne Bishop Luers, Fort Wayne Concordia Lutheran, Garrett, Leo, Woodlan

- 23. (6): Bellmont, Eastern (Greentown), Heritage, Mississinewa, Norwell, Oak Hill
- 24. (6): Delta, Hamilton Heights, Jay County, Muncie Burris, New Castle, Yorktown
- 25. (7): Crawfordsville, Danville Community, Frankfort, Greencastle, Monrovia, North Montgomery, Tri-West Hendricks
- 26. (7): Brownstown Central, Brown County, Edgewood, Northview, Owen Valley, South Vermillion, West Vigo
- 27. (5): Brebeuf Jesuit, Guerin Catholic, Indianapolis Bishop Chatard, Indianapolis Shortridge, Lebanon
- 28. (6): Beech Grove, Herron, Indian Creek, Indianapolis Cardinal Ritter, Indianapolis George Washington, Speedway
- 29. (7): Batesville, Connersville, Franklin County, Greensburg, Lawrenceburg, Rushville Consolidated, South Dearborn
- **30.** (7): Charlestown, Corydon Central, Madison Consolidated, North Harrison, Salem, Scottsburg, Silver Creek
- 31. (5): Pike Central, Princeton Community, Sullivan, Vincennes Lincoln, Washington
- 32. (6): Boonville, Evansville Bosse, Evansville Reitz Memorial, Gibson Southern, Heritage Hills, Mt. Vernon

### Class 2A

**33. (6):** Andrean, Bowman Leadership Academy, Hammond Bishop Noll, Illiana Christian, Lake Station Edison, Whiting **34. (7):** Boone Grove, Hebron, LaVille, North Judson-San Pierre, South Bend Career Academy, South Central (Union Mills), Westville

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**41. (8):** Cambridge City Lincoln, Centerville, Eastern Hancock, Hagerstown, Knightstown, Northeastern, Shenandoah, Union County

**42. (6):** Covenant Christian (Indianapolis), Heritage Christian, Indianapolis Scecina Memorial, Irvington Preparatory Academy, Park Tudor, University

- 43. (7): Cascade, Cloverdale, North Putnam, Parke Heritage, Riverton Parke, South Putnam, Southmont
- **44. (5):** Milan, North Decatur, South Decatur, South Ripley, Triton Central
- 45. (6): Austin, Clarksville, Henryville, Providence, Southwestern (Hanover), Switzerland County
- **46. (5):** Crawford County, Eastern (Pekin), Paoli, Perry Central, Tell City
- 47. (5): Eastern Greene, Linton-Stockton, Mitchell, North Knox, South Knox.
- 48. (6): Evansville Mater Dei, Forest Park, North Posey, South Spencer, Southridge, Tecumseh

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- 50. (7): Argos, Culver Community, LaCrosse, Oregon-Davis, Trinity at Greenlawn, Triton, West Central
- **51. (5):** Bethany Christian, Elkhart Christian Academy, Fremont, Hamilton, Lakewood Park Christian
- 52. (6): Caston, Frontier, North White, Pioneer, South Newton, Tri-County

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- 64. (6): Cannelton, Evansville Day, Northeast Dubois, Springs Valley, Vincennes Rivet, Wood Memorial

### 7) GIRLS BASKETBALL ALIGNMENT FOR 2021-22

Assistant Commissioner Sandra Walter presented the following sectional groups for the 2021-22 girls basketball state tournament for consideration.

### A motion for approval was made by Brent Duncan; seconded by Tim Grove; motion approved 18-0.

### Class 4A

- 1. (7): East Chicago Central, Gary West Side, Hammond Central, Hammond Morton, Highland, Lake Central, Munster
- 2. (7): Chesterton, Crown Point, Hobart, Lowell, Merrillville, Portage, Valparaiso
- 3. (6): LaPorte, Michigan City, Mishawaka, Plymouth, South Bend Adams, South Bend Riley
- 4. (6): Concord, Elkhart, Goshen, Northridge, Penn, Warsaw Community
- 5. (6): Carroll (Fort Wayne), DeKalb, East Noble, Fort Wayne North Side, Fort Wayne Northrop, Fort Wayne Snider
- 6. (6): Columbia City, Fort Wayne South Side, Fort Wayne Wayne, Homestead, Huntington North, New Haven
- 7. (7): Harrison (West Lafayette), Kokomo, Lafayette Jefferson, Logansport, Marion, McCutcheon, Northwestern
- 8. (6): Carmel, Fishers, Hamilton Southeastern, Noblesville, Westfield, Zionsville

**9. (7):** Anderson, Greenfield-Central, Mt. Vernon (Fortville), Muncie Central, New Palestine, Pendleton Heights, Richmond

**10. (7):** Indianapolis Arsenal Technical, Indianapolis Cathedral, Indianapolis Crispus Attucks, Lawrence Central, Lawrence North, North Central (Indianapolis), Warren Central

11. (6): Ben Davis, Decatur Central, Perry Meridian, Pike, Roncalli, Southport

- 12. (6): Avon, Brownsburg, Mooresville, Plainfield, Terre Haute North Vigo, Terre Haute South Vigo
- **13.** (6): Center Grove, Franklin Central, Franklin Community, Greenwood Community, Shelbyville, Whiteland Community
- 14. (6): Bloomington North, Bloomington South, Columbus East, Columbus North, East Central, Martinsville
- 15. (6): Bedford North Lawrence, Floyd Central, Jeffersonville, Jennings County, New Albany, Seymour
- 16. (6): Castle, Evansville Central, Evansville F.J. Reitz, Evansville Harrison, Evansville North, Jasper

## Class 3A

- 17. (5): Calumet, Griffith, Hanover Central, Lighthouse CPA, River Forest
- 18. (5): Culver Academies, Kankakee Valley, Knox, New Prairie, Wheeler
- 19. (6): Glenn, Jimtown, Mishawaka Marian, South Bend Clay, South Bend St. Joseph, South Bend Washington
- 20. (5): Lakeland, NorthWood, Tippecanoe Valley, Wawasee, West Noble
- 21. (6): Angola, Fort Wayne Bishop Dwenger, Fort Wayne Concordia Lutheran, Garrett, Leo, Woodlan
- 22. (6): Benton Central, Maconaquah, Peru, Twin Lakes, West Lafayette, Western
- 23. (7): Bellmont, Eastern (Greentown), Fort Wayne Bishop Luers, Heritage, Mississinewa, Norwell, Oak Hill
- 24. (6): Delta, Hamilton Heights, Jay County, Muncie Burris, New Castle, Yorktown
- 25. (7): Crawfordsville, Danville Community, Frankfort, Greencastle, North Montgomery, Monrovia, Tri-West Hendricks
- 26. (7): Brownstown Central, Brown County, Edgewood, Northview, Owen Valley, South Vermillion, West Vigo
- 27. (5): Brebeuf Jesuit, Guerin Catholic, Indianapolis Bishop Chatard, Indianapolis Shortridge, Lebanon
- 28. (6): Beech Grove, Herron, Indian Creek, Indianapolis Cardinal Ritter, Indianapolis George Washington, Speedway
- 29. (7): Batesville, Connersville, Franklin County, Greensburg, Lawrenceburg, Rushville Consolidated, South Dearborn
- 30. (7): Charlestown, Corydon Central, North Harrison, Madison Consolidated, Salem, Scottsburg, Silver Creek
- **31. (6):** Linton-Stockton, Pike Central, Princeton Community, Sullivan, Vincennes Lincoln, Washington
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## **REPORTS**

## 8) IIAAA PROPOSALS – SOCCER AND BASKETBALL MERCY RULE AND LENGTH OF SUB-VARSITY CONTESTS

Goshen Athletic Director Larry Kissinger and Speedway Athletic Director Brian Avery, both representing the Indiana Interscholastic Athletic Administrators Association (IIAAA), spoke to the pair of rules proposals listed below.

### Soccer Mercy Rule Proposal:

A Five Nine (5-9) Goal-Differential Rule is in effect for the IHSAA tournament and regular season play. On a goal that would make the game score a five (5) goal difference, a running clock will be initiated immediately upon the scoring of that goal. The only time the clock would stop would be for an injury requiring attention on the field based on the judgement of the official. This game would never return to normal clock management. After the first half is completed, a game shall be terminated when a team is ahead by nine (9) goals or more.

### Basketball Mercy Rule Proposal:

At all levels of play and in the IHSAA tournament, a running clock will be initiated after the first half when one team has a lead of thirty (30) points or more. The clock shall revert to the regular game timing should the score be reduced to a twenty (20) point lead or less. During running clocks mode, the clock shall be stopped as normal for all time outs and between the third and fourth quarter, as well as free throws during the games final two minutes.

As in football, there should be a six (6) quarter allowance for players after the point differential has been reached.

### Length of Contest Proposal for Non-Varsity Team Sports:

For IHSAA team sports, schools can mutually agree to shorten the length of non-varsity level contests. Soccer already has a rule in place so the idea would be extend similar rules to baseball, basketball, football, softball, and volleyball, For example, but not specifically:

Baseball and Softball: 5 inning contests Basketball and Football: one extra quarter or one half contests Volleyball: one set contests

No decision was made on these proposals but will be considered and voted upon at the June 25, 2021 meeting.

#### 9) WRESTLING COACHES PROPOSALS

JD Minch, Gary Myers of Hamilton Heights, and Danny Struck of Jeffersonville, all representing the Indiana High School Wrestling Coaches Association (IHSWCA), spoke to the rules proposals listed below for consideration.

Proposal 1: Add Girls Wrestling as an IHSAA sanctioned sport.

Proposal 2: Reduce the wait time between competition from 45 minutes to 30 minutes. (the coaches association withdrew this proposal as this will be part of the NFHS rules change process).

Proposal 3: Expansion of state tournament from 16 competitors per class to 20 competitors per class.

Proposal 4: Allow tenths of a pound to be removed from a qualified weigh in.

No decision was made on these proposals but will be considered and voted upon at the June 25, 2021 meeting.

#### **10) OFFICIALS FOR BOYS AND GIRLS TRACK & FIELD STATE TOURNAMENTS**

Assistant Commissioner Paul Neidig presented a list of track and field starters who have applied to work the boys and girls tournaments.

#### **11) OFFICIALS FOR UNIFIED TRACK & FIELD STATE TOURNAMENT**

Assistant Commissioner Paul Neidig presented a list of track and field starters who have applied to work the boys, girls and unified tournaments.

#### **12) CHAIR OFFICIALS FOR GIRLS TENNIS STATE TOURNAMENT**

Assistant Commissioner Chris Kaufman presented a list of USTA officials who may work at the girls tennis state finals.

### **13) UMPIRES FOR BASEBALL STATE TOURNAMENT**

Assistant Commissioner Robert Faulkens presented a list of baseball umpires who have applied to work the baseball tournament series. One hundred ninety-two (192) will be assigned to the sectional tournaments.

#### 14) UMPIRES FOR SOFTBALL STATE TOURNAMENT

Assistant Commissioner Kerrie Schludecker presented a list of softball umpires who have applied to work the softball tournament series. One hundred thirty-eight (144) are needed for the sectional rounds.

#### **15) GENERAL UPDATE ON LICENSED OFFICIALS**

Assistant Commissioner Sandra Walter reported on the overall official licensing program and the numbers of license renewals to this point. She shared a brochure that will be distributed to prospective officials at recruiting fairs and other opportunities.

### **16) SPORTSMANSHIP**

Assistant Commissioner Sandra Walter reported on the area of unsporting behavior for the period between August 1-April 25, 2021 and the numbers from the same period a year ago.

	2020-21	2019-20	% Change
Exemplary Reports Filed	1,457	1,104	32%
Unsporting Reports Filed	2,997	3,271	-8%
Total Ejections	408	417	-2%
Ejections (Administration)	2	1	100%
Ejections (Coaches)	53	40	33%
Ejections (Players)	301	312	-4%
Ejections (Fans)	52	64	-19%

#### **17) TRANSFERS**

Commissioner Paul Neidig reported on transfers that have been ruled on for the period of June 1-April 27, 2021 and, for comparison, the numbers from the same period a year ago.

	2020-21	Percent	2019-20	Percent
Full Eligibility	2,539	92.3%	2,954	90.2%
Limited Eligibility	180	6.5%	298	9.1%
Ineligible	33	1.2%	22	0.7%
Total	2,752		3,274	

Foreign Exchange Transfers					
	2020-21	Percent	2019-20	Percent	
Full Eligibility	161	97.0%	582	96.5%	
Limited Eligibility	4	2.4%	13	2.2%	
Ineligible	1	0.6%	8	1.3%	
Total	166		603		

#### **18) FINANCIAL REPORTS ON WINTER SPORTS**

- Assistant Commissioner Paul Neidig reported on attendance and finances for the 2020-21 Boys Basketball Tournament Series.
- Assistant Commissioner Sandra Walter reported on attendance and finances for the 2020-21 Girls Basketball Tournament Series.
- Assistant Commissioner Sandra Walter provided the Executive Committee with the annual attendance and financial report for the 2020-21 Gymnastics Tournament Series.
- Commissioner Paul Neidig then provided an analysis of the budget and attendance of each winter sport state tournament.

## 19) TECHNOLOGY

Director of Technology Luke Morehead reported on several cost-saving initiatives, a potential grant from the Department of Homeland Security for building security upgrades, recent updates to the myIHSAA web portal, and expanded capabilities for financial reporting.

## 20) LITIGATION / IDOE CASE REVIEW PANEL

Attorney Robert Baker updated the Executive Committee on the current status of litigation as well as results from the Case Review Panel at the Indiana Department of Education.

### **21) PENALTIES ASSESSED**

Blackford HS – Girls Track & Field - Rule 19-3 (A student athlete participated in multiple meets without an approved transfer report on file)

- The Blackford High School Girls Track & Field program is issued a warning. This warning is official notice that a serious rule violation has occurred and shall not be repeated.
- The student athlete is declared ineligible until a completed transfer report is submitted and ruled upon.
- The Track & Field meets the ineligible student athlete participated in shall be rescored to remove any points earned by the student athlete if a team score was calculated. The opposing schools shall be notified of this violation.
- Part of an IHSAA member school's obligation is to uphold the By-Laws of its association and furthermore to self-report any violation to the Commissioner (Rule 3).

Evansville North HS – Boys Golf - Rule 15-1.1a (A student athlete participated in a non-school sponsored event without an approved waiver during the authorized contest season)

- The North High School Boys Golf program is issued a warning. This warning is official notice that a serious rule violation has occurred and shall not be repeated.
- The student athlete was not permitted to compete in a match listed on the school's schedule.
- Part of an IHSAA member school's obligation is to uphold the By-Laws of its association and furthermore to self-report any violation to the Commissioner (Rule 3).

Glenn HS – Baseball - Rule 51-4 (A student athlete was not given the proper number of days of rest after throwing 71 pitches)

- The John Glenn Baseball program is placed on probation for this student athlete health and safety IHSAA By-Law violation for 365 days from the date of this occurrence. This communication serves as official notice that serious violation has occurred, is a matter of record and future, similar incidents will not be tolerated.
- Head Coach John Nadolny is reprimanded for allowing this student athlete health and safety violation to occur.
- If victorious John Glenn High School shall forfeit the interscholastic contest in which this student athlete participated in. The opposing school shall be notified of this forfeiture.
- Part of an IHSAA member school's obligation is to uphold the By-Laws of its association and furthermore to self-report any violation to the Commissioner (Rule 3).

# Maconaquah HS – Baseball – Rule 3-10 (2) (A student athlete practiced and participated in a contest without an approved pre-participation physical examination and consent form on file)

• The Maconaquah baseball program is issued a warning. This warning is official notice that a member school By-Law violation act has occurred, is a matter of record, and shall not be repeated. This is a health and safety issue and it is imperative that the "IHSAA Pre-Participation Evaluation Form" complete in every detail be on file for all student athletes prior to their participation.

- The student involved in this violation is declared ineligible until such time the student provides a fully completed pre-participation physical and consent form to the school.
- The contest in which the ineligible athlete participated in shall be forfeited if Maconaquah High School was victorious. The opposing school shall be notified of this violation.
- Part of an IHSAA member school's obligation is to uphold the By-Laws of its association and furthermore to self-report any violation to the Commissioner (Rule 3).

Martinsville HS – Softball - Rule 18-1 (A student athlete participated in multiple contests while academically ineligible)

- The Martinsville High School Softball program is issued a warning. This warning is notice of a rule violation occurring and shall not be repeated.
- The student athlete involved in this violation is declared ineligible. The student may gain academic eligibility at the next certification date of the school.
- If Martinsville High School was victorious, the interscholastic contests in which this ineligible student athlete participated in shall be forfeited. The opposing schools shall be made aware of this violation.
- Part of an IHSAA member school's obligation is to uphold the By-Laws of its association and furthermore to self-report any violation to the Commissioner (Rule 3).

Muncie Burris HS – Girls Track & Field - Rule 18-1 (A student athlete participated in a meet while academically ineligible)

- The Muncie Burris High School girls Track and Field program is issued a warning. This warning is official notice that a rule violation has occurred and shall not be repeated.
- The student athlete involved in this violation is declared ineligible immediately. The student may gain academic eligibility at the next certification date of the school.
- The regular season Track and Field meet the ineligible student athlete participated in shall be rescored to remove any points earned by the ineligible student athlete if a team score was calculated. The opposing schools shall be notified of this violation.
- Part of an IHSAA member school's obligation is to uphold the By-Laws of its association and furthermore to self-report any violation to the Commissioner (Rule 3).

Munster HS – Baseball - Rule 51-4 (A student athlete exceeded the maximum number of pitches allowable in a day)

- The Munster Baseball program is placed on probation for this student athlete health and safety IHSAA By-Law violation for 365 days from the date of this occurrence. This communication serves as official notice that serious violation has occurred, is a matter of record and future, similar incidents will not be tolerated.
- Head Coach Robert Shinkan is reprimanded for allowing this student athlete health and safety violation to occur.
- Munster High School shall forfeit the interscholastic contest in which this ineligible student athlete participated in. The opposing school shall be notified of this forfeiture.
- Part of an IHSAA member school's obligation is to uphold the By-Laws of its association and furthermore to self-report any violation to the Commissioner (Rule 3).

Pike Central HS – Boys Track & Field - Rule 19-3 (A student athlete participated in multiple meets without an approved transfer report on file)

- The Pike Central High School Boys Track & Field program is issued a warning. This warning is official notice that a serious rule violation has occurred and shall not be repeated.
- The student athlete was declared ineligible until a completed transfer report is submitted and ruled upon.
- The Track & Field meet the ineligible student athlete participated in shall be rescored to remove any points earned by the student athlete if a team score was calculated. The opposing schools shall be notified of this violation.
- Part of an IHSAA member school's obligation is to uphold the By-Laws of its association and furthermore to self-report any violation to the Commissioner (Rule 3).

Plainfield HS – Boys Golf - Rule 19-3 (A student athlete participated in multiple matches without an approved transfer report on file)

- The Plainfield High School Boys Golf program is issued a warning. This warning is official notice that a serious rule violation has occurred and shall not be repeated.
- The student athlete is declared ineligible until a completed transfer report is submitted and ruled upon.
- The Golf matches the ineligible student athlete participated in shall be rescored to remove any points earned by the student athlete if a team score was calculated. The opposing schools shall be notified of this violation.
- Part of an IHSAA member school's obligation is to uphold the By-Laws of its association and furthermore to self-report any violation to the Commissioner (Rule 3).

Silver Creek HS – Boys Golf - Rule 18-1 (A student athlete participated in a match while academically ineligible)

- The Silver Creek Boys' Golf Program is issued a warning. This warning is official notice that an IHSAA Member School By-Law Violation has occurred, is a matter of record, and shall not be repeated.
- The student athlete is ineligible until such time the student may become academically eligible.
- Any team points earned by the ineligible student athlete shall be removed and the team score refigured. A letter of explanation shall be sent to the opponent. (By-Law 3-9-2)
- An IHSAA Member School's responsibility is to uphold the By-Laws of the association and self-report any violation to the Commissioner, the administration of Silver Creek High School has done this and therefore, commended for its handling of this member school by-law violation.

### **ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION**

#### 22) COMMUNICATIONS

### 23) CONGRATULATIONS

#### 19) FOR THE GOOD OF THE ORDER

- A decision on Purdue Polytechnic's request for membership will be decided at June meeting.
- A decision on the requests by Christel House and Indianapolis Emmerich Manual to combine athletic teams will be communicated to those schools soon.
- Assistant Commissioner Chris Kaufman reported the Cato Scholarship recipients have been determined and will be announced this week.
- Assistant Commissioner Chris Kaufman discussed a new corporate partnership with Hudl.
- Ed Gilliland talked about the June Executive Committee meeting in Nashville, IN next month.

# A motion to adjourn the May 3, 2021 meeting of the IHSAA Executive Committee was made by Jeff Doyle; seconded by Tim Grove; motion approved 18-0.

The next meeting of the Executive Committee will be Friday, June 25, 2021 in Nashville, IN.

Chris Conley, Chairman

Paul Neidig, Commissioner