

NORTHWEST DISTRICT ATHLETIC BOARD
Minutes Thursday, October 19, 2006
University of Findlay – 4:00 p.m.

Note: The following minutes from the October 19, 2006, NWDAB meeting have not been officially approved. The minutes will be officially approved by the NWDAB at the November 20th meeting.

The meeting was convened by President Axe at 4:15 p.m. Those present included Mr. Snodgrass, Mr. Palmer, Mr. Richards and Mr. Hanna. Mr. Clifton was excused. Also present were Mr. Krauss and Mr. Brueggemeier.

The minutes of the September 18th meeting were unanimously approved on a motion by *Palmer/Snodgrass*. Interim treasurer, Mr. Hanna, reported the current checking account balance, as of this date, of \$81,002.13. He further discussed with the board the procedure for ordering and storing tickets for the winter and spring tournaments. This report was unanimously approved on a motion by *Snodgrass/Richards*.

Tennis and softball coach's representatives were invited, but failed to attend, this meeting with the board.

Track representatives, Paul Leslie, Perkins responded with an e-mail and Steve Bruskotter, Bluffton, who was present at the meeting, expressed the following concerns:

- a. Dates and sites for district tournaments.
- b. Suggested that a procedure be established in case of inclement weather.

Baseball representatives Chris Smith, Bucyrus and Dave Hall, Perrysburg presented a list of recommendations that are to be presented to the OHSAA Board of Control. **They are requesting and the board will implement, effective with the 2007 tournaments, to move the playing dates of the sectional tournaments back one week May 5 through May 12 and the district tournaments to be held the week of May 14th, playing double headers when applicable.**

Mr. Snodgrass, state board representative presented a short report that included changing the Rawlings basketball for 2007 tournaments.

Mr. Axe's report on the District Athletic Board Committee included uniform dates for sectional/district baseball and softball and also a review of the uniform fee structure for all officials that would be effective with the 2007-08 tournaments.

Mr. Palmer reported that the previous sites for sectional bowling were not available and the new tentative sites will be Fostoria and Lima. The district tournament will be held at Bowling Green.

Winter tournament sites were approved on a motion by *Axe/Hanna*. The secretary will forward this information to Columbus and the web sites.

Items tabled until the November 20th meeting included selection of the Mac Morrison and Media award winners as well as the hiring of the Northwest Board treasurer.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:45 p.m. with the next meeting to be held **NOVEMBER 20th AT 4:00 P.M. AT THE UNIVERSITY OF FINDLAY.**