Volleyball Advisory Committee Minutes August 7, 2012

Call to Order: 9:03 a.m.

Roll Call:

Members Present:

1A Cindy Kirk, Tylene Miller2A Doug Meyer,3A Jacob Holiday, Allan Ramage4A Christine Gutierrez, Sandy Novak5A Sunny Resch, Bill Lang

Members Absent:

2A Cindy Riley, Krista Brown 4A Phil Camacho, Nick Lujan 5A Rod Huston

Approval of Minutes: With a motion by Doug Meyer and a second by Cindy Kirk, the minutes of April 4, 2012 were approved.

Discussion Items:

- A Volleyball proposal analysis was shared with the Executive Board on August 2nd and will be approved or denied on August 20th. The analysis did show a significant loss potentially if sectional tournament games were added.
- The 2013-14 proposals sited several solutions to concerns by the committee. The number of teams in a section, number of games played within a section and division, number of freedom games and section tournaments. It was explained that the Scheduling Committee has looked at section size (7-12 teams per section), and that schools would play teams in their section or in their division. With that information, the committee will wait to see what the scheduling committee proposes. The consensus was for volleyball to go to at least 4 sections per division.
- The approved 3-6-6 minute warm-up proposal was discussed and will be sent out to all athletic Directors and volleyball coaches. It was determined by the committee that the visiting team would have the 1st 6 minutes on the court and the home team would have the second 6 minutes.
- The MaxPreps rating system will be used this year for power points and available for statistics.
- If the Executive Board brings forward the Competitive Equity Proposal to the Legislative Council, the committee needs to aware that they may be used to hear appeals up or down divisions.
- The State Tournament format for Division III/IV/V will be the same as last year. Games will be played at Tim's Toyota November 1st, 2nd and 3rd.

• The State Tournament format for Division I/II will be the same as last year. The first two rounds at high seeds and the semis and finals at Mesquite H.S.. Grand Canyon is unavailable this year.

From the Group:

- Doug Meyer expressed concern with going to Prescott Valley for the volleyball tournament and would like it if the Executive Board would consider other options. Other members of the committee had the same concerns.
- Bill Lang brought up the bylaw that address the of players that can dress in the state tournament. The bylaw states you can dress 15 players. Bill asked if that number could be increased to 18. After discussion of the committee this will be an agenda item for November, we ask for feedback on this issue.
- Bill also asked about the bylaw limiting lower level teams to no tournaments. The committee discussed and will bring an agenda item forward at the next meeting to possibly adding the ability to go to one tournament at the lower level.
- In addition Bill Lang brought up a request to give more time between the 1st and 2nd round games that were played on the same day in boys Volleyball. After discussion the committee determined that the time schedule for the Saturday games would be 12:00 & 5:00 p.m. This would give the team that played first a chance to recover and possibly eat between games.

Meeting adjourned: 10:45 p.m.