

# 3A Conference Meeting

## Thursday, November 29, 2017

### 10:00am AIA Office

## AGENDA

**Call Meeting to Order:** - 10:00 am

### **Roll Call:**

#### **Central Region**

American Leadership-QC – YES  
Ben Franklin – YES  
Coolidge – YES  
Florence – YES  
Globe – NO  
Safford – YES

#### **East Region**

Blue Ridge – YES  
Holbrook – YES  
Payson – YES  
Show Low – YES  
Snowflake – YES  
Winslow – YES

#### **Metro Region**

ASU Prep – NO  
Casteel – NO  
Fountain Hills – YES  
North Pointe Prep – NO  
Valley Christian – YES  
Yuma Catholic – NO

#### **North Region**

Chinle – YES  
Ganado – NO  
Monument Valley – NO  
Page – YES  
Tuba City – YES  
Window Rock – YES

#### **South Region**

Catalina – YES  
Empire – NO  
Pusht Ridge Christian – YES  
Sabino – YES  
Santa Rita – NO  
Sahuarita – YES  
Tanque Verde – YES

#### **West Region**

Chino Valley – YES  
Kingman – YES  
Northwest Christian – YES  
Odyssey Institute – YES  
River Valley – NO  
Wickenburg – YES

#### **New Schools to the 3A Conference**

American Leadership-Gilbert - NO  
Bourgade Catholic – YES  
Gilbert Christian - NO  
San Tan Foothills - YES

American Leadership-Ironwood - NO  
Coronado - YES  
Kingman Academy - YES

Arizona College Prep – NO  
Horizon Honors - YES  
Paradise Honors - YES

### **Minutes:**

- Motion to approve the minutes from November 16, 2017: **Motion by Jamie Roe (Tuba City) with corrections to strike the word Probation and change it to Provisional on ALA-Ironwood 2-year Provisional from make the State Playoffs. 2<sup>nd</sup> by Toni Corona (Safford)**

### **3A Executive Board Member Report:**

- Jacob Holiday (Monument Valley) – **No Report from Jacob, but Mr. Joe Paddock (AIA) sat in on the meeting and mentioned that the 4 schools that the Membership voting on where all approved to enter the AIA. American Leadership Academy-Ironwood will be in the 3A Conference. The AIA Executive Board meeting on Monday, November 20<sup>th</sup> that discussed American Leadership Academy-Gilbert North was tabled and will be voted on at the next Executive Board Meeting.**

### **Committee Reports:**

- Hardship Appeals – 3A Committee – **We continue to receive Hardship Appeals and I (Kevin Standerfer – Snowflake) reported that we are trying to get these done in and orderly manner and we are trying to be fair and consistent with all Appeals.**
- Ethics and Sportsmanship –
- Girls Equity –
- Volleyball –
- Football –
- Basketball –
- Wrestling –
- Baseball –
- Softball –
- Cross Country –
- Track and Field –

#### Old Business:

- 3A Conference and 3A Region Alignments
- Qualifying for the State Tournament in 2018-2020 – With 7 Regions, I suggest that we only have Region Champions automatically qualify for the State Tournament and have 9 at-large bids. Thoughts?
- Football – 6 Quarters (per week) vs. Count Games
- Volleyball – 6 sets (per night) vs. Count Games

#### New Business:

- 3A Conference and 3A Region Alignments – **We briefly discussed that we wanted to move forward with schedules as we set the 3A Conference and it's 7 Regions that include ALA-Gilbert that has not official been accepted.**
- 2018-2020 Individual Sport Schedules – **This agenda item took up most of our time. There was discussion at great length with Joe Paddock (AIA), Dean Visser (AIA) and all us about the 3A Conference not understanding the scheduling process. We discussed this and developed members from the 3A to help with scheduling. See the attachments with the email. The first attachment is AIA Scheduling timeline, second attachment will be how to do our schedules, and the third attachment will include who signed up for which sport and what each school wants or does not want mid-week Duels/Multi's.**
- 2018-2020 Team Sport Schedules – Across Region Game Schedules, Do we want to schedule those games or not? Do we just do Football or do we do FB, VB, Boys and Girls Basketball, Baseball and Softball? Thoughts? – **FB Schedules were handed out. We shortly discussed that we as members of the 3A Conference need to honor our agreed upon schedules with the crossover games. Each Region can do with their Region as they choose to as a Region, but all schools within the Region need to agree up that. BUT TRY AND STICK TO THE SCHEDULE HANDED TO YOU AS MUCH AS POSSIBLE. Big shout out to Greg Haagsma (Valley Christian) from putting these schedules together for us!!**

#### Table Business:

- **I contacted Dean Visser and he will work on doing a double elimination State Tournament for BB and SB once we reach the Final Four for the next 2-year Block.**

#### Upcoming Meetings:

- **National Athletic Director Conference - in Phoenix, AZ on Friday, December 8<sup>th</sup> – Tuesday, December 12<sup>th</sup> (Put these dates on your Calendar)**
- **3A Conference Meeting – Thursday, February 22, 2018 at AIA Office at 10:00am**

#### Adjournment:

- **Motion by Toni Corona (Safford) with a 2<sup>nd</sup> by Jamie Roe (Tuba City)**