

**New North Central District Athletic Association Meeting : April 19, 2007**  
**Carlton Comprehensive Highschool**

**1. Introduction of people present**

The North Central District Athletic Association had representation from the following schools: P.A.C.I., Carlton, St. Louis, St. Mary, Sturgeon Lake, Canwood, Big River, Churchill (La Ronge), Debden, Senator Myles Venne, Montreal Lake, Sally Ross, Muskoday, Kinistino, Shellbrook

**2. Minutes from December 14<sup>th</sup> Meeting**

Minutes were read by secretary Chantelle LaMotte. No business arising. Adam Swenkeson moves to adopt Dec.14<sup>th</sup> minutes. Seconder Dave Dice. Minutes adopted.

**3. Financial Report: Don Laing**

Motion by Bob Coffin to adopt Treasurer's Report. Seconded by Paul Heselwood.

**4. Official's Report: Jackie Packett**

Letter was sent to SHSAA regarding 4A Girls Regional Basketball hosted at Carlton being officiated by a parent of a Carlton player. Possible conflict of interest.

Request for training Basketball officials, now being done with the P4A (mentoring officials)

Football Referee Clinic to be held Sat. April 21, 2007 in Big River (10am-2pm)

Track & Field Official's Clinic may be held this spring by David Dice.

Fall Volleyball & Basketball Clinics T.B.A.

**5. Winter Sports**

**Basketball**

Conferences

2A Girls hosted by Kinistino, Kinistino & Meath Park advanced

2A Boys hosted by Kinistino, Kinistino advanced

3A Girls hosted by Rivier, PACI & Birch Hills advanced

3A Boys hosted by LaRonge, Churchill advanced

Regionals

2A Girls hosted by Kinistino

4A Girls hosted by Carlton

Hoopla

Kinistino wins Gold in 2A Girls

St. Mary wins Bronze in 4A Girls

St. Mary wins Bronze in 4A Boys

## **Curling**

All went well, hosted at P.A. Golf & Curling club. Can be hosted there again next year with Dave Zultok commissioner, Bob Thompson of Debden wishes to enter a bid. Will be discussed at the fall meeting.

## **Wrestling**

Big River, St. Mary & Carlton all had wrestlers advance to Regionals. St. Mary is bidding to host Regional wrestling next year.

## **Badminton**

Districts to be held Friday April 27. Mixed & Singles at Carlton, Boys doubles at St. Mary & Girls Doubles at Rivier. Commissioner is Mark Cantin of St. Mary's.

## **Track & Field**

150 New track uniforms have been ordered (red/white/blue) for the district. SK Rivers & PA Catholic are giving a one time donation and dividing the cost between school boards in the district to purchase the uniforms.

Districts are May 23 & 24

Proposed schedule includes Hurdles, 200m, 1500m & Pole Vault all taking place on Wed. evening. See link on main page of website for more track & field information and to send entries in to Dave Dice.

Provincials are in Yorkton, discussion by the group about possibly taking a charter bus with athletes to promote team atmosphere. Cost was part of discussion, it was determined that cost of bus may be cheaper than sending athletes on own. Try it for this year.

Paul Heselwood motions to book 2 busses from P.A. Northern to go to Yorkton for Track & Field provincials & to determine a per athlete cost.

Seconder Adam Swenkeson. Motion Carried.

## **Other:**

Provincial bids in our district include: 3A Boys Volleyball – Kinistino, Cross Country- Carlton, Sand Golf- Canwood, Regional Wrestling- Open

2007/08 we were scheduled to host Track Provincials in Prince Albert, may not be possible due to condition of the track.

AGM hosting bid is open for 2008/09 & it's scheduled to be in our area (Sec. 3)

Poor attendance at December meeting: only 15 people, suggestions:

- Eliminate December meeting
- Have people email a commitment of attending the meeting & if not 60-80% representation, meeting will not be held
- Discussion about severity of attending meetings & that Principals must delegate a person to go, and if they cannot go, some one from the school must attend
- Need to beef up communication with schools through athletic director

## **6. SHSAA Report: Kevin Vollet**

Thanks to hosts of Conferences & Regionals & Districts in the NCDAA

Map grant money has increased from last year, due to Sask Sport

Some issues regarding experience of Referees at Regional Wrestling (same weekend as CIS finals in Saskatoon therefore more experienced officials there)

Hoopla & Regional basketball went well, revenue was up due in part to gate increase & favorable weather.

All Curling & Grass & Sand Golf Provincial bids still open for 2007.

SHSAA Executive: Section 2, 4, Saskatoon & Women's Representative bids are still open.

AGM Resolutions due May 9- must be passed through NCDAA tonight, or later through school board or SHSAA executive.

Aug. 21/22 Coaches' Symposium in Saskatoon

AGM June 20-22 in Lloydminster. Thursday banquet for Merit award winner requires business attire.

Merit Award & Service Award (1 per district) is due April 30<sup>th</sup> to SHSAA – need written nomination.

Coaching Awards (1 male & 1 female): deadline May 31 to SHSAA (need names) award presented at June Meeting.

Official's Award deadline is May 31.

SHSAA resigned with Yonex as official shuttle for 3 years. Yonex 350.

3A Football Conference is approved for next year:

North includes: Centennial, Marion Graham & Bedford Road plus P.A. Carlton, P.A. St. Mary's & North Battleford. Other 2 conferences are Moose Jaw & Regina.

Moose Jaw will host Provincials, Semi finals will feature Regina at North

Women In Sport Conference: June 8 & 9, 2007 in Saskatoon

## 7. Resolutions

Rene Quintal motions: be it resolved that the scheduling of Provincial volleyball championships be changed to add an extra 15 minutes to the starting times of the 3<sup>rd</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup>, and 7<sup>th</sup> matches of the day to keep the draw on schedule.

Seconded by Bob Coffin Motion carried

Rene Quintal motions: be it resolved that practice times be allowed on Thursday evening before Provincial Volleyball championship at the host site.

Seconded by Don Laing. Motion Carried

Bill Yeaman motions: be it resolved that for the 1A to 3A categories on both men's and women's basketball that the SHSAA office do a tentative ranking of the top 16 teams 2 weeks prior to the playing of the conference playoffs. No conference should have more than two teams who would be in the top 10 rankings for the province. If there are three teams that are in the top 10 rankings in one conference then the lowest ranked team should travel to another conference.

Background: this would allow for the development of Regional tournaments to increase the level of competitiveness among teams.

Seconded by Rene Quintal. Motion carried.

## 8. AGM Delegates

Trustee: T.B.D.

Member at Large: Bill Yeaman

In school Administrator: Paul Heselwood

Member at Large: Chantelle LaMotte

Official's Representative: Jackie Packett

Member at Large: Jaime Zurakowski

Observers: Rene Quintal, Don Laing, Tim Strom, Adam Swenkeson, Bob Coffin, Trevor Bates

Election of Officers:

Don Laing is stepping down as treasurer. Treasurers duties will be assumed by Adam Swenkeson of Kinistino.

Coaches' Symposium Delegates;

Will be decided at June meeting, people should bring names.

**9. Adjournment of Meeting:**

**Motion to adjourn by Tim Strom, seconded by Paul Heselwood**

**Next meeting of North Central District is JUNE 7, 2007**

**4:30pm at Carlton Comprehensive school Library.**