

# Section IV Handbook 2021-2022



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## CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS

### ARTICLE I PURPOSE

1. To provide a body which shall organize and control the Interscholastic Program for member schools of Section IV of the NYSPHSAA and to finance same.
2. To support the rules and regulations of the Board of Regents, the NYSPHSAA, and the State Education Department.
3. To sponsor such sports, sports events, tournaments, and Sectional Championships as may be approved by the Athletic Council and the NYSPHSAA.
4. To enlist the cooperation of member schools in strengthening the organization of leagues within the Sections.

### ARTICLE II COMPOSITION

1. The governing body for the organization and control of athletics in Section IV shall be the Athletic Council.
2. The Athletic Council shall be composed of the following members:
  - A. The four (4) elected representatives to the NYSPHSAA Central Committee.
  - B. Each school in Section IV will be entitled to one (1) vote for every voting item in the Section IV Meeting Agenda. Each league shall have one (1) representative and (1) alternate to attend and report each school's vote at the Section IV Council Meeting.
  - C. Two (2) representatives or two (2) alternates shall represent the total of all independent schools when there are six (6) or more (independent schools).
  - D. The three elected officers of the Council; President, 1st Vice President, 2nd Vice President, and appointed member; Executive Director. (Or lesser number if positions are combined.)
  - E. The Sports Coordinators of all sports now sponsored by the Athletic Council and of sports which may be added in the future.
  - F. The committee chairman of all committee now sponsored by the Athletic Council and of committees which may be formed in the future.

### ARTICLE III VOTING MEMBERSHIP - ATHLETIC COUNCIL

1. Voting members shall be those listed in Article II, paragraph 2, parts A,B,C,E, and F with the following provision pertaining to E and F: The Sports Coordinator (1) or Committee Chairperson shall be entitled to vote on business relating to that sport or committee only. In the event of a tie, the President of the Section shall cast the deciding vote.
2. Voting members as indicated in #1 above are the only ones eligible to participate in official business.

### ARTICLE IV OFFICERS AND DUTIES

1. The officers of the Athletic Council shall be a President, 1st Vice President, 2nd Vice President, Interscholastic Sports Coordinator, Secretary and Treasurer.
2. The President, 1st Vice President, and the 2nd Vice President shall be elected, for a two year term at the annual June meeting of the Council. They shall take office July 1st following the election. The Executive Director will, in consultation with the DCMO BOCES, be recommended for approval by the DCMO Board of Education, along with those positions required for the function of the Section IV Athletic Association office, and serve at the discretion of the Executive Board. The Treasurer will be appointed by the Executive Board.
3. The President, 1st Vice President, and the 2nd Vice President may be elected, at large, from the member schools in the Section.
4. The President, 1st Vice President, and the 2nd Vice President shall be elected by a majority vote of the voting members of the Athletic Council present. (Article I - B,C, and D).
5. The President shall:
  - A. Preside at all meetings of the Athletic Council and the Executive Committee. The 1st Vice President, in the absence of the President, shall preside at meetings. The 2nd Vice President shall preside in the absence of both the 1st Vice President and the President.
  - B. In the event of a vacancy to be filled, except for a Central Committee member, the President, on advice from the Past President, shall fill such vacancy by appointment until the next meeting for election of officers. For Central Committee members, it shall be the duty of the three remaining members to choose, with advice and consent of the Section Athletic Council, the fourth representative from a member school of the Section and from that branch of service in which the vacancy has occurred. Appointments shall be made for the full period of the unexpired term. If the Presidency is vacated, the 1st Vice President will assume the Presidency and the 2nd Vice President will become the 1st Vice President.
  - C. The President shall appoint a girls' representative to the Executive Committee, who shall have voting rights at all Executive Committee meetings
  - D. The President shall receive an honorarium of \$1000.00 per year.

6. The Past President (Immediate Past President) shall:
  - A. Be a voting member of the Executive Board.
  - B. Preside over the nominating committee.
  - C. Fill unexpired vacancies with the approval of the Executive Board.
7. The Executive Director will, in consultation with DCMO BOCES, be recommended for approval by the DCMO Board of Education, along with those positions required for the function of Athletic Association office, and serve at the discretion of the Executive Board:
  - A. Prepare agendas and keep records of all business transacted at the meetings of the Athletic Council and Executive Committee.
    1. Send minutes and reports to schools, officers, and personnel involved. Including Treasurer's reports.
  - B. Keep on file Sports Coordinators' reports.
    1. Maintain capacity to up-date summaries of reports for more efficient method of running Sectional activities.
  - C. Assist Sports Coordinators in securing sites for Sectionals. Compile dates and sites.
    1. Attend as many seeding meetings as possible and assist Coordinators. (Meet with Coordinators periodically as individuals or in groups.)
    2. Assist Coordinators in the Administration of the Tournament.
  - D. Recommend to Executive Committee any methods that will improve Sectional functions.
    1. Policies, procedures, programs, clinics, sportsmanship, and ethics.
  - E. Order and distribute the necessary awards.
    1. Encourage input from Coordinators.
  - F. Order and distribute necessary tickets.
    1. Be responsible for accounting of the same.
  - G. Be available to attend League meetings when required.
    1. Try to visit each league at least once per year.
      - A.. As a representative of the Section, Officers, and President.
  - H. Be responsible for running the Section office.
    1. Explore ways of operating it more efficiently.
  - I. Be available to interpret Section and State policies.
    1. Through the handbook.
  - J. The Executive Director shall supervise all Sectional activities and make all final decisions regarding the same.
  - K. Be responsible for the coordination of official's evaluations and be responsible for the assignment of officials to post season play-offs in some sports.
  - L. Publish and distribute updates to the Section IV Handbook and the Section IV Policy Handbook on a yearly basis.
  - M. Assist Sports Coordinators in updating, publishing, and distributing the handbooks for their individual sports.
  - N. Help in preparing and presenting the Interscholastic Sports Coordination CoSer Budget.
  - O. Manage the Interscholastic Sports Coordination CoSer Budget as per established BOCES Procedures and Practices.
  - P. Advertise, interview, and recommend, to the Executive Board, Sports Coordinators.
  - Q. Attend committee meetings - add expertise and record minutes. (Executive Director will be evaluated each year by the Executive Board with the assistance of the BOCES representative.)
8. The Treasurer will:
  - A. Keep the Section aware of all Rules and Regulations relative to financial procedures.
    1. Research and examine methods for improving financial proceedings of the Section Treasurer's office.
  - B. Prepare an annual budget for Executive Board and Athletic Council approval.
  - C. To record all transactions in a ledger.
    1. Provide an account of all receipts categorically.
    2. Provide an account of all disbursements categorically.
    3. Examine the best investment procedures whereby the Section will benefit to the maximum.
  - D. To provide and explain Section forms for reporting finances at Sectional activities.
    1. Distribute to Sports Coordinators/Site Chairpersons.
    2. Make reports on all activities to show losses/gains.
    3. Work with Sports Coordinators to seed methods in bettering the financial results of the activities.
  - E. Work with the Chairpersons of the Section and State in handling receipts of all Regional and State Championship contest held in the Section..
    1. Attend as many activities as possible.
    2. Pay all bills by check.
    3. Make financial report and distribute same to appropriate people.
  - F. Awards.

#### ARTICLE V EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

1. The Executive Committee shall be composed of the officers of the Athletic Council and the elected representatives to the Central Committee of the NYSPHSAA. If an officer of the Athletic Council is a member of the Central Committee, the President shall, if possible, appoint a member to sit on the Executive Committee. (Superintendent for Superintendent, Principal for Principal, Athletic Director for Athletic Director, Girls' Representative for Girls' Representative.) There shall be ten (10) members of the Executive Committee (except where two (2) positions are combined such as Secretary-Treasurer). Each member shall have only one vote.
  - A. A representative of the Board of Cooperative Educational Services will meet with the Executive Committee. He/she will be the liaison between the Section and Board of Cooperative Educational Services.
2. The Executive Committee shall have the power to act on all matters not provided for in this Constitution and By-Laws, and such Emergency business as may arise between regular meetings of the Athletic Council. This power shall include, but not limited to, all matters of interpretation of Council rulings and State regulations, eligibility, protests and appeals.
3. The President shall appoint Committees that will function on behalf of the Section. They shall be empowered to hear cases and make the necessary determinations. (Some of these Committees are, but not limited to: Appeals, Ethics, Senior All-Star Contests, Extended Eligibility, Mergers, and Transfer.) They shall report same to the Athletic Council.
4. The Executive Committee shall, on advice of the Finance Committee, prepare and submit a financial budget at each June meeting of the Athletic Council.

#### ARTICLE VI LEAGUE REPRESENTATIVES, ALTERNATES, AND INDEPENDENT SCHOOL REPRESENTATION

1. Each approved league of Section IV shall elect a representative and an alternate to the Athletic Council. The representative shall take office July 1st of each year. The league representative and alternate shall be certified, in writing, to the Executive Director of the Athletic Council, and shall report the votes from each of the league's schools in all matters pertaining to Section IV business. However, if an emergency arises, another alternate may be appointed by the League President before the Council meeting, by phone, mail, or in person, if done in ample time.

#### ARTICLE VII NON-LEAGUE REPRESENTATIVES AND ALTERNATES

1. If there are at least six (6) schools who are members of the NYSPHSAA in the Section and are not members of an approved league within the Section, they shall elect one representative and one alternate to the Athletic Council. (One for the total independent schools.) This representative and alternate shall have the same privileges as, and be subject to, the same provisions that apply to representatives elected under Article VI of this Constitution. The Executive Director shall arrange for this election in June.

#### ARTICLE VIII SPORTS COORDINATORS

1. A coordinator for each of the sports sponsored by the Athletic Council shall be appointed by the Executive Committee and shall be subject to the approval of the Athletic Council. Appointments shall be made at the June Athletic Council meeting. When a vacancy occurs, applications will be screened by the Executive Director who will make the necessary recommendations to the Executive Committee.
2. Coordinators, as directed by the Executive Director, shall organize and administer the program for their particular sport, subject to the approval of the Athletic Council or Executive Committee.
3. Coordinators, as directed by the Executive Director, shall submit a report in writing to the Athletic Council at the close of the game or games, tournaments, or championships; this report shall include a summary of participation, results, and finances.

#### ARTICLE IX MEETINGS

1. Regular meetings of the Athletic Council shall be held corresponding with the NYSPHSAA Executive Committee/Central Committee Meetings. The time and place of these meetings for the following school year shall be determined by the Executive Committee and announced at the June meeting.
2. **Meetings for the transaction of special emergency business may be called by the President provided that at least forty-eight (48) hours notice has been given to all Council members who shall be empowered to vote on the special emergency business item..**
3. The Athletic Council welcomes representatives from member schools to attend all meetings and to participate in deliberations.
4. Any Athletic and Executive meetings not covered by the Constitution will be governed by Roberts Rule of Order. The President shall appoint a Parliamentarian, if so desired.

#### ARTICLE X QUORUM

1. Two-thirds of the members of the Athletic Council shall be present at any meeting in order to constitute a quorum to do business.

#### ARTICLE XI AMENDMENTS

1. Amendments to this Constitution may be made at any meeting of the Athletic Council by a two-thirds vote of the members of the Athletic Council present. However, the amendment must be read at the meeting prior to the one in which the vote will be held.
2. Schools wishing to present an amendment shall submit said proposed amendment to the Executive Director at least thirty (30) days before the next meeting.

#### ARTICLE XII

1. By-Laws to the Constitution of the Athletic Council of Section IV may be added or amended by a majority vote of the members of the Athletic Council present, providing notice of such addition or amendment has been made in writing to all member schools at least ten (10) days in advance of the meeting.
2. The President and Executive Director shall be paid salaries to be established by the Executive Board and approved by the Section IV Athletic Council. (The Executive Director's salary must also be approved by the DCMO Board of Education.)
3. Mileage to authorized Council business shall be paid the prevailing rate allowed officials per mile (round trip) for Officers, Sports Coordinators, and Special Committee Members; also the necessary authorized expenses while engaging in Athletic Council business. These expenses shall also be paid for Executive Committee meetings and for any other special meetings that may be required.
4. Assessments/dues notices will be sent to member school districts, for the ensuing year, by DCMO BOCES. Assessments/dues shall be paid by as required. Failure to pay assessments/dues will prohibit schools from participating in Sectional competition, until such time as assessments/dues are received by DCMO BOCES.
5. In the event that receipts for any fiscal year of the Section IV Athletic Council do not permit payment of the full amount of money mandated in Article XII, the Executive Committee shall have the power to pro-rate among member schools the expenditures mandated in order to keep the budget in satisfactory balance.
6. Upon dissolution or final liquidation of Section IV, the assets of Section IV remaining, after payment of its obligations, shall have been made or provided for, shall be transferred exclusively for the purpose of Section IV, in such manner, or to such organization or organizations organized and operated exclusively for charitable, educational, religious, or scientific purposes, as shall at the time qualify as an exempt organization or organizations under Section 501 © (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 (or corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law) as the Executive Board shall determine.

#### ARTICLE XIII MEMBERSHIP - NEW SCHOOLS

1. Any school that is a member of the NYSPHSAA may apply for membership in Section IV.
2. **Schools located in another Section's territory wishing to be admitted to Section IV must proceed as follows:**
  - A. **A new school would require approval for admission to a league within Section IV.**
  - B. **A new school must submit a request for admission, in writing, to the Section IV Executive Director who will advise the membership of the upcoming vote.**
  - C. **If and when approved by Section IV, the new school must secure a release from their original Section through their Executive Director.**
  - D. **Final acceptance would be determined by the NYSPHSAA and a vote of the Section IV Athletic Council.**

#### ARTICLE XIV PROTESTS

1. For all Sectional contests there shall be a Protest Committee of three (3) in place prior to the contest.
2. No protest is ever allowed on the judgment decision of an official.
3. A Section IV member school may protest the following:
  - A. Misinterpretation of a rule by an official.
  - B. The use of an ineligible player.
  - C. Dangerous field or court conditions. This would apply, ONLY if the Section or school has been previously notified to eliminate the conditions and failed to do so.
    1. Such a protest must be made prior to the start of the game to both officials and the opposing coach, and consideration should be seriously given to postponing the contest in the interest of safety.
4. A protest must be made when a coach considers a violation has occurred, i.e., before the next pitch. THIS APPLIES TO ALL SPORTS – A PROTEST MUST BE MADE BEFORE THE NEXT PLAY BEGINS SO THAT THE OFFICIALS MAY RECONSIDER THE DECISION.
  1. The protesting coach must notify the official, and the opposing coach, with the point of protest recorded in the score book, and announced by the official, in charge, to the crowd.
5. If it is an ineligible player protest, the school need not protest at the game site, but, must protest, in writing, to the Section Executive Director.

#### TIME LINES FOR PROTESTING

1. The Athletic Director of the protesting school must place a phone call to the Executive Director the next school day.
2. The protest, in writing, must be received by the Section Executive Director no later than the third school day after the contest.
3. Copies of the protest must also go to the Section President, the defending Athletic Director, and the involved assigning secretary.
4. The Section Executive Director may request a shorter time frame for any protest review if the season is soon ending.

SECTION REVIEW OF PROTESTS

1. The Section Executive Director will review the written protest, consult with the Section President and the specific Sports Coordinator and make the preliminary decision regarding “grounds for protest”.
2. If the protest is within the rules, the Section Executive Director will contact the officials and the defending school to obtain written statements of their version.
3. Once all statements are available, the Section Executive Director and the Section President will make the final decision if the protest is receivable.
4. If the protest is receivable, the President will call a meeting of the Appeals Committee to rule on the protest.
5. In such cases, the President will call upon the alternates so that neutral members may make a ruling.

ARTICLE XV – SECTION IV SPORTS COMMITTEE CHAIRPERSONA AND COMMITTEE MEMBERS (Approved 8/23/21 by Executive Board)

1. Section IV has 5 sports that are Sectional run through the Section IV Office
  - a. Field Hockey 3 Divisions 3 AD's 3-4 Coaches
  - b. Football 8 Divisions 8 AD's 8 Coaches
  - c. Boys Lacrosse 3 Divisions 3 AD's 3 Coaches
  - d. Girls Lacrosse 2 Divisions 2 AD's 2 Coaches
  - e. B/G Indoor Track 2 Divisions 2 AD's 2 Coaches
2. Each sport will have a Section IV Chairperson. The chairperson will be an active Athletic Director. There will be two representatives for each division in each of the five sports. One Athletic Director Representative and one Coach Representative. Each sport would have a Sport Coordinator.
3. A coach's representative to the football chairman will be appointed by the Executive Director of Section IV Athletics.
4. The voting representatives will be the Athletic Director. The coach representative will have a seat at the table and have a voice, but will not be a voting member. The Athletic Director and coach or each division must work together on matters that will require a vote.



## DUTIES OF THE SPORTS COORDINATORS

1. To work under the direction and in close cooperation with the Executive Director and/or the Director of Sport Coordinators.
2. To have available at all times, a copy of the NYSPHSAA Handbook, the Section IV Handbook and rule book for the particular sport or activity.
3. To attend designated meetings of the Section IV Athletic Council as indicated. \*\*
4. To attend all meetings of the State Committee of his/her sport. (Sports Coordinators must obtain approval from the Executive Director for attendance at any meeting which involves travel and hotel expenses.)
5. To provide an updated handbook with accurate listing of schools, coaches, and league sports coordinators of his/her sport completed and sent to the Section IV Office to be posted on the Section IV Website prior to the start of the sport season.
6. At the direction of the Executive Director and/or Director of Sport Coordinators, organize and administer the program of his sport in Section IV.
7. Send out, receive and compile data upon the request of the Section, State and National sports committees.
8. At the direction of the Executive Director and/or the Director of Sport Coordinators, set up and supervise all Sectional contests, tournaments, play-off games and clinics for his sport. He/she must coordinate dates with other Sectional dates and with possible Regional dates. Appoint an on-site Protest Committee at tournament sites as outlined in NYSPHSAA Handbook on Page 28. Must have a written report from the Officials and the PROTEST COMMITTEE.
9. To cooperate with State Coordinators in representing Section IV in intersectionals.
10. To file a report with the Executive Director on the results of the Sectionals. This report must include a complete and accurate financial report in cooperation with the Section Treasurer. Also, a season end report, on proper form, must be filed with the Executive Director within two weeks of the conclusion of that sports season.
11. To file, as in 10 above, a report of Regionals or Intersectionals in his sport.
12. To work with the Treasurer to determine the number of awards needed.
13. To provide the Executive Director with a budget for the upcoming year.
14. To provide the Executive Director with their report 10 days before each Council meeting for distribution. To keep the Section informed of items in need of vote by the Council. Be available for explanation of the same.
15. Changes in the procedures of Sectionals may not be made at the seeding meeting of the same year. Proposals must be submitted on the Athletic Council Agenda Item Form 3 weeks prior to Athletic Council meeting scheduled date(s) giving time for the Executive Board, Leagues etc time for review prior to the Athletic Council Meeting for action.
16. To submit Sectional dates for the following school year by March 1st for Leagues and Section approval at their April/May Meetings.
17. Also, to attend any other meeting where items pertaining to their sport will be voted upon by the Council.

A schedule of: Sport - Assigned Numbers - Designated Meetings appears on the following page:

<u>SPORT</u>	<u>ASSIGNED NUMBER</u>
Badminton (B)	B-1
Badminton (G)	G-2
Baseball	3
Basketball (B)	B-4
Basketball (G)	G-5
Bowling (B)	B-6
Bowling (G)	G-7
Competitive Cheerleading	30
Cross Country (B)	B-8 (XC)
Cross Country (G)	G-9 (XC)
Field Hockey	10
Football	11
Golf (B)	12
Golf (G)	13
Ice Hockey	
Lacrosse (B)	14
Lacrosse (G)	15
Skiing	16
Soccer (B)	B-17
Soccer (G)	G-18
Softball	19
Swimming (B)	B-20
Swimming (G)	G-21
Tennis (B)	B-22
Tennis (G)	G-23
Track (B) (Spring)	B-24(ST)
Track (G) (Spring)	G-25(ST)
Track (B) (Winter)	B-26
Track (G) (Winter)	G-27
Volleyball (B)	B-28
Volleyball (G) (Fall)	G-29
Wrestling	31
Unified Sports	
Modified	B/G-32

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### Section IV

Classification Enrollments for 2021-2022  
(as per NYSPHSAA October 2020)

ELMIRA HIGH SCHOOL	1275	UNADILLA VALLEY SECONDARY SCHOOL	176
CORNING-PAINTED POST HIGH SCHOOL	1140	DELAWARE ACADEMY HIGH SCHOOL	174
ITHACA SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL	1118	CANDOR JUNIOR-SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL	174
BINGHAMTON HIGH SCHOOL	1029	SOUTHERN CAYUGA CS	174
HORSEHEADS SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL	981	OXFORD ACADEMY HIGH SCHOOL	168
UNION-ENDICOTT HIGH SCHOOL	806	UNATEGO JUNIOR-SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL	162
VESTAL SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL	798	NEWFIELD SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL	158
MAINE-ENDWELL SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL	560	ELMIRA NOTRE DAME HIGH SCHOOL	149
JOHNSON CITY SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL	522	MARATHON HIGH SCHOOL	140
OWEGO FREE ACADEMY	431	ODESSA-MONTOUR JR/SR HIGH SCHOOL	129
WINDSOR CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL	401	AFTON JUNIOR/SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL	123
NORWICH HIGH SCHOOL	390	DEPOSIT MIDDLE-SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL	110
CHENANGO VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL	362	CHERRY VALLEY-SPRINGFIELD CENTRAL	110
CHENANGO FORKS HIGH SCHOOL	350	GILBERTSVILLE-MOUNT UPTON JR-SR HS	90
WAVERLY HIGH SCHOOL	350	HANCOCK JUNIOR-SENIOR HS	89
ONEONTA SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL	336	CHARLOTTE VALLEY SCHOOL	87
DRYDEN HIGH SCHOOL	332	RICHFIELD SPRINGS CENTRAL SCHOOL	83
WHITNEY POINT SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL	306	SOUTH KORTRIGHT CENTRAL SCHOOL	83
SUSQUEHANNA VALLEY SENIOR HIGH SCH	297	GILBOA-CONESVILLE CENTRAL SCHOOL	81
LANSING HIGH SCHOOL	267	MARGARETVILLE CENTRAL SCHOOL	80
WATKINS GLEN CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL	261	MILFORD CENTRAL SCHOOL	78
NEWARK VALLEY SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL	257	SCHENEVUS CENTRAL SCHOOL	77
THOMAS A EDISON HIGH SCHOOL	242	WORCESTER SCHOOL	77
CHARLES O DICKERSON HS (T-BURG)	230	MORRIS CENTRAL SCHOOL	77
SIDNEY HIGH SCHOOL	225	WINDHAM ASHLAND CENTRAL SCHOOL	75
WALTON HIGH SCHOOL	215	ROXBURY CENTRAL SCHOOL	71
SPENCER-VAN ETEN HIGH SCHOOL	212	LAURENS CENTRAL SCHOOL	69
GREENE HIGH SCHOOL	210	EDMESTON CENTRAL SCHOOL	63
TIOGA SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL	206	FRANKLIN CENTRAL SCHOOL	60
MORAVIA JUNIOR-SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL	206	HUNTER-TANNERSVILLE MIDDLE/HIGH SCH	57
SETON CATHOLIC CENTRAL JHS	186	SHARON SPRINGS CENTRAL SCHOOL	57
HARPURSVILLE JUNIOR-SENIOR HIGH SCH	183	STAMFORD CENTRAL SCHOOL	54
GROTON JUNIOR/SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL	177	JEFFERSON CENTRAL SCHOOL	53
BAINBRIDGE-GUILFORD HIGH SCHOOL	177	DOWNSVILLE CENTRAL SCHOOL	48
UNION SPRINGS MIDDLE/HIGH SCHOOL	177	ANDES CENTRAL SCHOOL	12

### NYSPHSAA CLASSIFICATIONS

#### 5 CLASSES

AA	965-UP
A	500-964
B	270-499
C	150-269
D	0-149

#### 4 CLASSES

A	801-UP
B	401-800
C	215-400
D	214-Below

#### 3 CLASSES

A	800-UP
B	400-799
C	0-399

#### 2 CLASSES

(Individual Sports)	
Division I	600-Up
Division II	0-599

### Sports with variations to classification:

<b>B/G X-Country</b>	<b>Field Hockey</b>	<b>Football</b>	<b>Girls Volleyball</b>	<b>Cheerleading</b>	<b>Girls Lacrosse</b>	<b>Boys Lacrosse</b>
A 815 - Up	A 915-Up	AA 1025-Up	AA 950-Up	D1 750-Up	A 1075 - Up	A 1050 - Up
B 450-814	B 450-914	A 630-1024	A 598-949	Small 5-16	B 790-1074	B 750-1049
C 255-449	C 449-Below	B 397-629	B 368-597	Large 17-32	C 475-789	C 425-749
D 254-Below		C 261-396	C 221-367	D2 749-Below	D 474-Below	D 424-Below
		D 260-Below	D 220-Below	Small 5-16		
				Large 17-32		
				Co-Ed All Div 5-32		

Please note: The above school Classification Enrollment numbers are the base numbers approved by the NYSPHSAA, member schools are allowed to request to "Move up in Classification" and Seton Catholic and Elmira Notre Dame HS are moved up in classification in certain sports by the Classification Committee.

Also, when teams are approved to merge that may also change the Classification numbers.

**Section IV DATES FOR 2021-2022**  
(Approved on June 16, 2021)

	<b>SEEDING MEETINGS</b>	<b>SECTIONAL DATES / SITES</b>	<b>REGIONAL DATES / SITES</b>	<b>STATE CHAMPIONSHIP</b>
<b>FALL 2021</b>	Cheer (Game Day-West) Cross Country Field Hockey Football Golf (Class A & B) Soccer (B) Soccer (C)	November 4 @ CV State Park (Rain Date Nov. 5) October 19, 22, 26; Finals October 29 or 30 @ TBA Nov 5-6 Semis; Nov. 12-13 Finals October 4 @ Soaring Eagles (A); October 5 @ Hiawatha (B) October 19, 22, 26; Finals AA, A @ TBA October 29-30 @ B, C D WNSF Oneonta October 20, 23, 27; Finals AA, A @ TBA October 30-31; B, C @ TBA Finals D @ WNSF Oneonta October 30 Nov. 3 (Prelims); Nov. 5 (Diving); Nov. 6 (Finals) @ TBA October 14-16, 20; October 22-23 State Qualifier n/a Nov. 1-2 (Play in rounds); 4 (Semis/Pool Play Semis), Nov. 6 (Finals)	Nov. 19-20 Nov. 2-3, Nov. 5-6 Nov. 2-3, Nov. 5-6	October 30 @ Visions FCU Memorial Arena (4) November 13 @ Chemungo Valley State Park (4) November 13-14 @ Centereach High School Nov. 26-27 East Semis @ Middletown HS; West Semis @ CNS; Dec. 3-5 Final @ Carrier Dome (3) n/a November 13-14 @ Middletown HS (9) November 13-14 @ Cortland (3) November 19-20 @ Ithaca College (4) October 28-30 @ TBA November 29 @ Capital Center, Albany (2) November 20-21 @ Cool Insuring Arena Glens Falls (2)
<b>WINTER 2021-2022</b>	Swimming (G) Tennis (G) Volleyball (B) Volleyball (C)	March 12 @ Bainbridge-Guilford Feb 23, 26, March 2; Finals March 4-6 (AA-TBA, A&B-Arenas; C-TBA, D-SUCC) Feb. 22, 25, March 1; Finals March 4-6 (AA-TBA, A&B-Arenas; C-TBA, D-SUCC) Feb. 18-19 @ Midway Lanes Vestal; Feb 25-26 State Qualifier @ Valley Bowling Center Waverly TBA TBA Feb. 16 (prelims); Feb. 18 (diving); Feb 19 (finals) @ TBA TBA March 19 @ Johnson City HS January 18 (D); January 19 (DII) Dual Meets @ TBA Feb 5 (A & B Qualifiers @ TBA) Feb 12 (Div I & Div II Finals @ TBA)	March 8-9 and 11-12 March 8-9 and 11-12	March 18-20 @ Cool Insuring Arena Glens Falls (2) March 18-20 @ HVCC Troy (2) March 11-13 @ Strike N Spare Lanes March 5 @ RT (6) March 12-13 @ Harbor-Center Buffalo (6) February 28- March 1 @ Gore Mtn/North Creek March 4-5 @ Ithaca College (4) March 5 @ Ocean Breeze Athletic Complex n/a January 29 @ Onondaga CC, SRC Arena (3) February 25-26 @ Times Union Center Albany (2)
<b>SPRING 2022</b>	Baseball Boys Golf Girls Golf Lacrosse (B) Lacrosse (C) Softball Tennis (B) Track & Field B/G	May 16 @ Section IV Office Entry Notification May 20, 24, May 26 (Finals) May 19 & 21 (Medalist @ Mark Twain GC) May 16 (C @ Maple Hills) May 26 (D @ SUNY Delhi GC) TBA May 20, 24, May 26 (Finals) May 19, 23, May 25 (Finals) May 19, 24, 26; May 28 (Finals @ BAGSA) May 12 (Class Meets) (May 13-15 RD) May 20-21 (SQ) May 25-26 (RD May 27) Class Meets; June 1-3 (State Qualifier)	June 2-4 June 1 & 4 May 31 & June 3 June 2-4	June 4-6 @ TBA June 10-11 @ Binghamton (4) June 4-6 @ Mark Twain Golf Course June 8 (East/West) and June 11 @ Hofstra University June 10-11 @ SUNY Cortland June 11 @ Moriches Athletic Complex June 2-4 @ TBA June 10-11 @ CNS High School (3)

**Sectional Dates / Sites:**  
 November 4 @ CV State Park (Rain Date Nov. 5)  
 October 19, 22, 26; Finals October 29 or 30 @ TBA  
 Nov 5-6 Semis; Nov. 12-13 Finals  
 October 4 @ Soaring Eagles (A); October 5 @ Hiawatha (B)  
 October 19, 22, 26; Finals AA, A @ TBA October 29-30 @ B, C D WNSF Oneonta  
 October 20, 23, 27; Finals AA, A @ TBA October 30-31; B, C @ TBA  
 Finals D @ WNSF Oneonta October 30  
 Nov. 3 (Prelims); Nov. 5 (Diving); Nov. 6 (Finals) @ TBA  
 October 14-16, 20; October 22-23 State Qualifier  
 n/a  
 Nov. 1-2 (Play in rounds); 4 (Semis/Pool Play Semis), Nov. 6 (Finals)

**Regional Dates / Sites:**  
 March 8-9 and 11-12  
 March 8-9 and 11-12

**State Championship:**  
 March 18-20 @ Cool Insuring Arena Glens Falls (2)  
 March 18-20 @ HVCC Troy (2)  
 March 11-13 @ Strike N Spare Lanes  
 March 5 @ RT (6)  
 March 12-13 @ Harbor-Center Buffalo (6)  
 February 28- March 1 @ Gore Mtn/North Creek  
 March 4-5 @ Ithaca College (4)  
 March 5 @ Ocean Breeze Athletic Complex  
 n/a  
 January 29 @ Onondaga CC, SRC Arena (3)  
 February 25-26 @ Times Union Center Albany (2)

**Sectional Dates / Sites:**  
 March 12 @ Bainbridge-Guilford  
 Feb 23, 26, March 2; Finals March 4-6 (AA-TBA, A&B-Arenas; C-TBA, D-SUCC)  
 Feb. 22, 25, March 1; Finals March 4-6 (AA-TBA, A&B-Arenas; C-TBA, D-SUCC)  
 Feb. 18-19 @ Midway Lanes Vestal; Feb 25-26 State Qualifier @ Valley Bowling Center Waverly  
 TBA  
 TBA  
 Feb. 16 (prelims); Feb. 18 (diving); Feb 19 (finals) @ TBA  
 TBA  
 March 19 @ Johnson City HS  
 January 18 (D); January 19 (DII) Dual Meets @ TBA  
 Feb 5 (A & B Qualifiers @ TBA) Feb 12 (Div I & Div II Finals @ TBA)

**Regional Dates / Sites:**  
 June 2-4  
 June 1 & 4  
 May 31 & June 3  
 June 2-4

**State Championship:**  
 June 4-6 @ TBA  
 June 10-11 @ Binghamton (4)  
 June 4-6 @ Mark Twain Golf Course  
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 June 10-11 @ SUNY Cortland  
 June 11 @ Moriches Athletic Complex  
 June 2-4 @ TBA  
 June 10-11 @ CNS High School (3)

**SEEDING MEETINGS:**  
 Entry Notification  
 Oct 13 @ TBA 5:00 pm  
 Entry Notification  
 Oct. 13 @ Section IV 7pm  
 Oct. 13 @ Section IV 7pm  
 Oct. 31 by 6:00 pm, via Ily-tex program  
 October 6 @ TBA  
 n/a  
 October 28

**SEEDING MEETINGS:**  
 Entry Notification  
 Feb 16 @ Section IV 7pm  
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 Feb. 13 Entry Notification  
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 Jan 16, Jan 31, & Feb 7

**SEEDING MEETINGS:**  
 May 16 @ Section IV Office  
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**Test Dates**  
 PSAT: October 13, 16\* & 26, 2021  
 SAT: August 28, October 2, November 6\*, December 4\*, 2021; March 12\*, May 7, June 4\*, 2022  
 ACT: September 11, October 23\*, December 11, 2021; February 12, April 2, June 11\*, 2022  
 Advanced Placement: May 2-6; May 9-13, 2022  
 Regents: January 25-28, 2022; June 15-23, 2022

**Sports Seasons**  
 Monday, August 23, 2021 - Sunday, December 5, 2021  
 Monday, November 15, 2021 - Sunday, March 27, 2022  
 Monday, March 14, 2022 - Sunday, June 12, 2022

**Executive Committee Meetings**  
 October 6 @ Section IV Office at 10:00 am  
 January 19 @ Section IV Office at 10:00 am  
 April 20 @ TBA at 10:00 am  
 June 2022 TBA

**Athletic Council Meetings**  
 October 14 @ Union Endicott at 2:00 pm  
 January 27 @ Maine-Endwell at 2:00 pm  
 April 28 @ Johnson City at 2:00 pm  
 June 15 (Tentative) @ TBA

\* - SAT and/or ACT on this date conflicts with Sectional, Regional or State Championship Dates

DATES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE!!!

**LEAGUES AND OFFICERS**

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Downsville  
Gilboa-Conesville  
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Jefferson  
Margaretville  
Roxbury  
South Kortright  
Stamford  
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League MeetingDates:

September 13, 2021  
October 12, 2021  
January 24, 2022  
March 21, 2022  
April 25, 2022  
June 6, 2022

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Lansing	Newark Valley	Moravia	Newfield
Trumansburg	Watkins Glen	Southern Cayuga	Odessa-Montour
Whitney Point	Waverly	Marathon	Spencer Van Etten
	Thomas A. Edison	Groton	Tioga

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League Meeting Dates:

August 25, 2021	January 12, 2022	May 4, 2022
October 6, 2021	February 2, 2022	June 1, 2022
November 3, 2021	March 2, 2022	
December 1, 2021	April 13, 2022	

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Cathy Haight, Executive Director



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**MIDSTATE ATHLETIC CONFERENCE**

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Bainbridge-Guilford	Greene	Oxford	Unatego
Delhi	Hancock	Sidney	Walton

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Meeting Dates:

September 30, 2021  
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April 28, 2022  
June 9, 2022

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Johnson City  
Maine-Enwell  
Union-Endicott  
Vestal

**Central**

Chenango Forks  
Chenango Valley  
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Seton Catholic Central

**East**

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League Meeting Dates:

<b><i>AD &amp; Staff</i></b>	9:00 AM	Tue	August	17	ME staff room
	9:30 AM	Tue	October	12	ME staff room
	9:30 AM	Wed	November	3	ME staff room
	9:30 AM	Tue	January	18	ME staff room
	9:30 AM	Thur	March	3	ME staff room
	9:30 AM	<i>Mon</i>	April	18	ME staff room
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### League Meeting Dates:

September 13, 2021	January 24, 2022	May 23, 2022
October 12, 2021	February 14, 2022	June 2022 – TBA
November 15, 2021	March 14, 2022	
December 13, 2021	April 25, 2022	

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## NYSPPHSAA

### SENIOR ALL-STAR CONTESTS CRITERIA

Application for approval of a Senior All-Star Contest shall be submitted to the Section IV of the NYSPPHSAA by any member association.

Approval will be granted if all the required forms are properly completed and all of the following provisions satisfied:

1. The contestants shall be seniors who have completed their secondary school eligibility in that sport.
2. School personnel only shall be responsible for the screening and selection of contestants for participation in the contest.
3. School personnel only shall be responsible for the screening and selection of coaches for conducting the contest.
4. A contestant may participate in no more than one approved Senior All-Star contest in the same sport during the same school year.
5. A coach may coach no more than one approved Senior All-Star contest in the same sport during the same school year.

All participants and personnel involved in an approved Senior All-Star contest must sign a letter of intent developed by the NYSPPHSAA

7. All contestants must be bona-fide students from athletic associations who are members of the NYSPPHSAA and such contests must be conducted in New York State.

The contest shall have an established charitable or educational purpose; the financial arrangements of the contest shall reflect an accomplishment of that purpose, and all net receipts from the contest shall be utilized for such purpose. Net receipts shall be gross receipts less expenses directly connected with the administration and conduct of the contest. Gross receipts shall include all revenues derived from the contest. Financial records must be clearly specified in the application for approval according to the terms of the agreement and meet the criteria as approved by the NYSPPHSAA.

Applications must meet guidelines as to safety, number of practices prior to contest, insurance, Commissioner's Regulations, awards and other requirements determined by the NYSPPHSAA and the individual Association. (A certificate of insurance must accompany the application at the Section level before the application will receive Section approval.)

All contests must be conducted within the approved sport season or no later than two weeks after the end of the approved sport season.

11. Commercial sponsors should be discouraged and should not be necessary for the conduct of a viable Senior All-Star Contest.
12. All awards from school or non-school groups must be in agreement with school, league, section and association standards, reasonable in cost and symbolic in nature.

All Senior All-Star Contests must be conducted to benefit the participants not the sponsor. No contests can be approved that does not contribute to the mental, physical, and emotional welfare of the athletes or interferes with the academic program or interscholastic programs of the school and the athlete.

## OCC OF SECTION IV

### Purpose:

To maintain a high standard of continuous desirable working relationship between the Sections, the League, the Schools, and the Officials' Organizations.

### Membership:

The make-up of the OCC shall consist of three (3) members representing schools' personnel, three (3) members representing official's organizations and one (1) member of the Section IV Executive Committee and one (1) member to represent each Section IV League. All members shall be appointed by the President and approved by the Section IV Executive Committee. The Director of the OCC shall be appointed by the President of Section IV. The OCC Director shall receive an honorarium of \$500.00 per year.

### Duties:

#### A. Director:

1. Will be responsible for calling all meetings of the OCC.
2. Will preside over all meetings of the OCC.
3. Will be responsible for all minutes of any meeting.

Will be responsible to report results of OCC meetings to the President and Executive Director of Section IV.

Be responsible to send any/all correspondence to the Executive Director of Section IV, to Officials' Organizations and to appropriate agencies.

6. Represent Section IV on the New York State Officials Coordinating Federation.

### Responsibilities of OCC:

Have knowledge of all rules, regulations, and procedures each officiating organization has on file regarding recruitment of new members, requirements for certification of officials and for evaluation of officials in their membership. What constitutes an apprentice or fully certified official.

Have on file an accurate roster from each officiating organization operating within the section for all interscholastic activities.

3. To receive from each Officials' Organization and keep on file a confidential rating of each official.
4. Have knowledge of what control other groups or organizations have regarding officials and the impact their decisions may have on the Section's Committee.

Have a clear understanding of any regulations or decisions which affect the jurisdiction of all officiating organizations. (If such is the case or legal, i.e. The Territorial Rights Questions.)

6. To ascertain that Official's Organizations maintain the 5 point programs as set forth by the N.Y.S.P.H.S.A.A.
7. Establish a negotiation process for all official's organizations and to make clear what the responsibilities are to those involved in the process.

Have all negotiated agreements reviewed before all league executive committees and stated agreements be published in sectional minutes.

9. Establish a clear-cut line of communication for individuals to route their problems, concerns, and questions.

### Limitations:

1. To recognize the OCC is primarily a liaison committee between Section IV and Officials' Organizations.

The OCC shall be a clearinghouse and communications network with a major function being contract negotiations. It should be aware of the clearly stated responsibilities of other agencies so as to avoid delays and assumptions of authority by the wrong parties.

	<u>OFFICIALS COORDINATING COMMITTEE</u>	
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This agreement is between Section IV of the NYSPHSAA and Sports Officials Organizations that service member schools.

I. Philosophy

The giving and acceptance of an officials assignment is an agreement between the individual school and the official to the extent that the official and the school will hold their original agreement unless unusual circumstances prevent the official from fulfilling his agreement or prevent the school from conducting the scheduled event.

II. This agreement established the following:

A. Fee Schedule

1. The fee schedule has been developed toward the services of two (2) types of officials.  
Certified: An active official who has achieved National or State rating. A NAGWS official who has achieved a National, State or a Local rating with a minimum of two (2) years experience.
2. Non-Certified: An official who is in training for advancement to certified status.  
NOTE: While the Officials Coordinating Committee recognizes that non-certified officials are actually certified officials in training for active status, this terminology is only used for payment of fees for service.
3. The payment of fees is reflected in a total game fee and payment will not exceed this figure.
4. The number of officials are reflected for each sport at the Varsity level only. Modification of number of officials for Junior Varsity or Modified programs will be at the discretion of the home school.
5. Schools or leagues requesting certified officials on contest below a Varsity level will be expected to pay the Certified fee.
6. For all contests that Section IV is financially responsible, Arbitr Pay will be used for all these contests.

B. Full Fee

1. Full fee will be paid whenever the game officially starts, even though it may end short of a legal game for any reason.

C. One and One-Half Fee

On contests assigned to two or more officials, a one and one-half fee plus mileage (for mileage see Travel H. #4.) will be paid to the individual who is forced to work alone due to the absence of the other official(s) or when the school district has requested only one official be assigned.

D. One-Half Fee

Official(s) will be paid a one-half fee plus mileage (for mileage see Travel H. #4.) whenever the officials arrive but the game cannot start due to weather conditions, site conditions, or due to an error on the part of the school.

The Officials Chapter will pay the school a one-half fee per official whenever a duly assigned official fails to report for a contest. A duly assigned official is to be considered as an official assigned by his chapter or assigner. The chapter or assigner must have been advised by the school as to the contest (site and time) 48 hours prior to contest.

E. Double Dual Fee

Two (2) dual contest fees will be paid when two (2) separate contests between three (3) or more schools are conducted at the same site simultaneously. Mileage numeration for one (1) contest only.

F. Sectional Fee

1. Referees, umpires, starters, and head judges, working Sectional contests, or League Varsity championship contests, will receive \$5.00 above the Varsity contest fee for that sport.

#### G. Tournament Fees

1. Fees will be paid for tournaments as agreed by Section IV and Officials organizations of the determined sport.

#### H. Travel Fee

1. Mileage rate is .09 cents less than the IRS mileage rate as determined in January.
2. Mileage to be paid \$.47 cents per mile (up to 100 miles round trip) (2021-2022).
3. Mileage is from officials home to site of contest. Mileage is determined using Mapquest.
4. No mileage to be paid within a 10 mile radius of the officials home.
5. Mileage for contest with up to 4 officials one (1) car allowed; contests with 5-8 officials two (2) cars mileage allowed; contests with 9-12 officials three (3) cars allowed mileage; contests with 12-16 officials four (4) cars allowed mileage.
6. In sectional contests, if two or more officials are assigned that are from different geographical boards, mileage will be paid to two (2) cars per contest. NOTE: In contests where officials are assigned to service both Varsity and Junior Varsity contests, mileage will be paid only once. In double dual situations, mileage will be paid only once. 8-2021

#### III. Joint Responsibility of Leagues, Schools, and Officials Organizations

- A. The said parties agree to accept and abide by the Statement of Principals for Officiating and the Constitution of the New York State High School Officials Coordinating Federation as written in the NYSPHSAA Handbook.
- B. Accept and abide by the provisions of the Officials Agreement as written in the NYSPHSAA Handbook.

#### IV. Responsibility of League/School

- A. The League/School shall provide the sports schedule to the appropriate assigners within the following schedule:

Fall Sports:	July 1
Winter Sports:	October 1
Spring Sports:	February 1
- B. The League/School shall notify the assigners as soon as possible when it has been determined that a contest has to be rescheduled or canceled.
- C. The home school shall be responsible to notify the assigners that a contest has been postponed due to weather conditions, temporary closing of school, unplayable site conditions, or other emergencies as judged by the school's administration. If this notification is made two hours prior to scheduled starting time of contest, the school will not be responsible for any fee or mileage charges. Failure to meet this procedure will result in the school paying the one-half fee provision.
- D. School Administrators are responsible for providing safe and secure access to a designated separate officials dressing/shower facilities before, during and following contests.

#### V. Responsibility of Officials Organization

- A. To provide to the Director of the Officials Coordination Committee and the Section IV Executive Director a roster of all officials certified for the varsity level for the upcoming sports season. The dates for this procedure will coincide with the dates that have been set for the providing of sports schedules to officials organizations.
- B. To be responsible in meeting the five (5) point program as written in the NYSPHSAA Handbook.
- C. To provide to the Director of the OCC a confidential rating copy of all active officials.
- D. To strive to provide Section IV with a sufficient number of officials so that every contest is covered by the designated number of officials.
- E. To provide, with the roster, the individual who will accept all correspondence and will be the official representative that communicates with the OCC.
- F. Assigners:
  1. To assign the correct number and duly certified officials to athletic contests as determined by this Agreement.
  2. To notify Athletic Directors that the scheduled sports contest has been accepted either by confirmation of the contest or supplying names of officials that are assigned to the contest.
  3. To strive to assign officials to no more than one (1) contest per day.
  4. To strive to assign no official to a contest in which his/her school or school district is playing or where a conflict of interest may exist.
  5. To strive to assign officials who live or work within close proximity of each other to the same contest, so travel may be made in one vehicle, thus making it more economical for all parties involved.

6. In the event that duly assigned officials fail to report to the assignment or the assigner fails to assign the duly number of officials, that a letter of explanation be presented to the Athletic Directors of the offended schools and the Chairman of the OCC within seven (7) days of the incident. The one-half fee to the home school and mileage to the visiting school provision will be in effect.

VI. Unacceptable Officials

- A. A school may request in writing that an official not be assigned to their contests. This request must be signed by the Varsity Coach and the Athletic Director of such school. Such requests will be honored for a two (2) year period.
- B. Should a school present an excessive number of unacceptable officials, the Officials Organization may request a meeting with the OCC to discuss the issue.

VII. Grievance

- A. Official's Organizations may at any time request a hearing before the OCC. The OCC will then decide whether the request will be heard or to direct the request to the appropriate agency.
- B. Any grievance or dispute which may arise between Section IV and Official's Organizations concerning the application, meaning or interpretation of the agreement shall be settled in accordance with the procedures outlined in the NYSPHSAA Handbook.
- C. The goal always is to settle the disagreement at the lowest level possible in an informal and expeditious manner.
- D. It is understood that the purpose of the grievance procedure is to provide a mechanism for settling disputes about the Agreement which cannot be resolved informally between the school and the official.
- E. Either party has access to the grievance process.

VIII. Negotiations

- A. Discussions and negotiations for the Fee Schedule shall take place between a Joint-Conference of representatives from the OCC and representatives of the involved sport.
- B. Each Official's Organization may be represented by no more than two (2) members from each Official's Organization and all Official's Organizations, of that sport, must be duly represented in person or excuse the right by issuing, in writing, to the Director of the OCC, as to whom will be their official representative.
- C. The Joint-Conference will be chaired by the Director of the OCC or his designee.

**2021-22 DIRECTORY OF ASSIGNERS OF OFFICIALS ORGANIZATIONS**

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Swimming

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Nor-Oneonta	Kevin Diefenbacher	<a href="mailto:kdief55@gmail.com">kdief55@gmail.com</a>	334-6788(H) 335-5482(W)
S. Central	Nancy Percik	<a href="mailto:nperc33@gmail.com">nperc33@gmail.com</a>	245-9532
S. Tier	Bill Winkky	<a href="mailto:wdwinkky@aol.com">wdwinkky@aol.com</a>	739-7385

Track

Elmira	Bruce Peffley	<a href="mailto:bepeffley44@gmail.com">bepeffley44@gmail.com</a>	329-6481
S. Tier	Steve Baxter	<a href="mailto:stchbaxter@gmail.com">stchbaxter@gmail.com</a>	743-1231

Volleyball

STVO	Cathie Holobosky	<a href="mailto:stvoassignor@gmail.com">stvoassignor@gmail.com</a>	760-1836
Steuben	Chuck King	<a href="mailto:cking6869@gmail.com">cking6869@gmail.com</a>	738-6858

Wrestling

East	Mark Browning	<a href="mailto:markbrowning@hotmail.com">markbrowning@hotmail.com</a>	761-8802
West	Travis Fisher	<a href="mailto:iceman_blue101@yahoo.com">iceman_blue101@yahoo.com</a>	972-1342

**Officials' VARSITY Fees for 2018-2023**

<b>Varsity</b>		<u>2018-19</u>	<u>2019-20</u>	<u>2020-21</u>	<u>2021-22</u>	<u>2022-23</u>
<b>Group 1</b>	<b>#</b>					
Basketball (B&G)	1	96.50	97.50	99.00	101.00	103.50
Football	4	386.00	390.00	396.00	404.00	414.00
Football	5	482.50	487.50	495.00	505.00	517.50
Lacrosse (B&G)	3	289.50	292.50	297.00	303.00	310.50
Lacrosse (B&G)	2	193.00	195.00	198.00	202.00	207.00
Wrestling	1	96.50	97.50	99.00	101.00	103.50
<b>Group 2</b>						
Baseball	1	92.50	93.00	94.50	96.50	99.00
Field Hockey	1	92.50	93.00	94.50	96.50	99.00
Soccer (B&G)	1	92.50	93.00	94.50	96.50	99.00
<b>Group 3</b>						
Gymnastics	1	82.00	83.00	84.00	85.50	87.50
Softball	1	82.00	83.00	84.00	85.50	87.50
<b>Group 4</b>						
Cheerleading	1	125.00	125.50	126.50	128.00	130.00
Swimming*	3	222.00	223.50	225.00	228.00	237.00
Track & Field*						
(up to 6)	1	114.50	116.50	118.50	121.00	123.50
(Larger >6)	1	132.50	134.50	136.50	139.00	142.00
Volleyball*3/5	1	71.00	71.50	72.50	74.00	76.00
2/3	1	59.50	60.00	61.00	62.00	63.00
Tournament/gam ePool Play 5+teams	1	14.50	14.50	15.00	15.00	15.50

Fee is Game or Contest Fee for Varsity Contest with Active Officials. # - Indicates the fee for that many officials

**The 2021-2022 school year mileage rate will be 0.47 cents a mile up to 100 Miles Maximun Mileage shall be calculated using Mapquest or Google, whichever is shortest.**

\*Swimming: Should a Varsity and Modified meet be run at the same time with the same officials, those officials shall be paid both the Varsity and Modified fee. Extra heat (3 free up to 200 yards; \$2.00 per heat per official thereafter). Diving: a. No diving in meet, \$11.50 less (3) b. Extra diver \$3.00 per official per diver. (Over 6 divers is extra).

Swim Meets: Up to 2 hours = Regular fee; 2 to 3 hours = 1 ½ x fee; 3 to 4 hours = 2 x fee; 4 to 5 hours = 2 ½ x fee; etc.

\*Track: Sectional, League and Invitational meets where the length of time is excessive because of the number of entries. Fee for each half hour or part there of past 5 hours will be \$15.00 (Eliminating time for weather delays).

If there is only a Boys or Girls Team, half a fee will be used. (Does not apply to Rotary or Parkhurst).

\* Volleyball Section IV Tournaments, Decision Making (i.e. Linesman) fee will be \$19.50 per match, (3/5) and \$3.50 per game.

(Pool Play) Section IV will use State Fee Schedule for Decision Making and Non-Decision Making positions at Section IV Finals ONLY

**Officials' JUNIOR VARSITY Fees for 2018-2023**

<b>JV</b>		<u>2018-19</u>	<u>2019-20</u>	<u>2020-21</u>	<u>2021-22</u>	<u>2022-23</u>
<b>Group 1</b>	<b>#</b>					
Basketball (B&G)	1	65.50	66.00	66.50	67.50	69.00
Football	3	196.50	198.00	199.50	202.50	207.00
Football	4	262.00	264.00	266.00	270.00	276.00
Lacrosse (B&G)	1	65.50	66.00	66.50	67.50	69.00
Wrestling	1	65.50	66.00	66.50	67.50	69.00
<b>Group 2</b>						
Baseball	1	63.00	63.50	64.00	65.00	66.50
Field Hockey	1	63.00	63.50	64.00	65.00	66.50
Soccer (B&G)	1	63.00	63.50	64.00	65.00	66.50
<b>Group 3</b>						
Gymnastics	1	57.00	57.50	58.00	59.00	60.00
Softball	1	57.00	57.50	58.00	59.00	60.00
<b>Group 4</b>						
Swimming*	3	155.50	156.00	157.50	160.50	163.50
Volleyball*3/5	1	48.50	48.50	49.00	49.50	50.00
2/3	1	48.00	48.00	48.50	49.00	49.50
Tournament/gam ePool Play 5+teams	1	11.50	11.50	11.50	11.50	12.00

Fee is Game or Contest Fee for Junior Varsity Contest with Active Officials. # - Indicates the fee for that many officials

**The 2021-2022 school year mileage rate will be 0.47 cents a mile up to 100 Miles Maximun Mileage shall be calculated using Mapquest or Google, whichever is shortest.**

\*Swimming: Extra heat (3 free up to 200 yards; \$1.50 per heat per official thereafter)

- Diving:     a. No Diving in meet, \$7.00 less.  
b. Extra diver \$2.00 per official per diver (Extra is more than 6)

\*Volleyball: For a JV ONLY 2/3 match, any non deciding game will be dropped or if the coaches want to play the extra game the pool play fee of that year will be used.

**Officials' MODIFIED Fees for 2018-2023**

<b>Modified</b>		<u>2018-19</u>	<u>2019-20</u>	<u>2020-21</u>	<u>2021-22</u>	<u>2022-23</u>
<b>Group 1</b>	<b>#</b>					
Basketball (B&G)	1	54.00	54.00	54.50	55.00	56.00
Football	2	108.00	108.00	109.00	110.00	112.00
Football	3	162.00	162.00	163.50	165.00	168.00
Lacrosse (B&G)	1	54.00	54.00	54.50	55.00	56.00
Wrestling	1	54.00	54.00	54.50	55.00	56.00
<b>Group 2</b>						
Baseball	1	49.00	49.00	49.50	50.00	51.00
Field Hockey	1	49.00	49.00	49.50	50.00	51.00
Soccer (B&G)	1	49.00	49.00	49.50	50.00	51.00
<b>Group 3</b>						
Gymnastics	1	44.50	45.00	45.50	46.00	46.50
Softball	1	44.50	45.00	45.50	46.00	46.50
<b>Group 4</b>						
Swimming*	3	154.50	156.00	157.50	159.00	160.50
Track & Field*						
(up to 6)	1	65.00	65.50	66.00	66.50	67.00
(6 to 10)	1	81.00	81.50	82.00	83.00	84.00
(Larger >10)	1	85.50	86.00	86.50	87.50	88.50
Volleyball*2/3	1	36.00	36.00	36.00	36.50	37.00

Fee is Game Fee for Modified Contest. # - Indicates the fee for that many officials

**The 2021-2022 school year mileage rate will be 0.47 cents a mile up to 100 Miles Maximun Mileage shall be calculated using Mapquest or Google, whichever is shortest.**

\*Swimming: Extra heat (3 free up to 200 yards; \$1.50 per heat per official thereafter)

Diving: a. No Diving in meet, \$7.00 less.

b. Extra diver \$2.00 per official per diver (Extra is more than 6)

Volleyball Fee is for 2 out of 3 and 3 of 3 games.

Modified Meet Fee

Modified meet fees will be based on number of bouts officiated.

Wrestling fees for Modified meets

Total number of matches wrestled

Divide by NYSPHSAA weight classes, currently fifteen (15) to get the number of meets

Multiply the number of meets by the modified meet fee

For the remainder of bouts, multiply by the exhibition fee

Add the total from (C) with the total from (D)

Divide by the number of officials

**SECTION IV  
EXTRA-PERSON OFFICIALS CREWS**

In the event that certain individual games, tournament games, league finals or section IV tournaments games require by past practice or league or section approval, the following schedule must be used. Unless it has been a past practice, any change would require league or section approval. In cases where an extra official is used for any Section IV contest the extra \$5.00 bonus would not apply. In those sectional games where the extra official is not used the Section Fee as written in the contract will apply.

**GROUP 1:**

**Basketball (B/G)** – This would require league approval for any schools that should decide to use the three man crews during league play or playoffs and sectional approval for any games played at the sectional level. In September of 2008 the Section IV Schools voted to use three (3) officials for Section IV Boys & Girls Basketball Semi-Finals and Finals only. Again because of the extra official and the added expense the \$5.00 Section Bonus would not apply when an extra official is used.

2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
Three Officials	Three Officials	Three Officials	Three Officials	Three Officials
96.50/Official	97.50/Official	99.00/Official	101.00/Official	103.50/Official

**Football** – Past practice is to use five (5) paid officials for all sectional playoff games. With the new contract the extra \$5.00 bonus would not apply.

2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
Five Officials	Five Officials	Five Officials	Five Officials	Five Officials
96.50/Official	97.50/Official	99.00/Official	101.00/Official	103.50/Official

**Lacrosse (B/G)** – Past practice is to use three officials for the section finals. Three man crews used for any other Section IV or any League games or tournaments, would be subject to League or Section IV approval. Because of the use of an extra official and the added expense the \$5.00 Section Bonus would not apply in this situation.

2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
Three Officials	Three Officials	Three Officials	Three Officials	Three Officials
96.50/Official	97.50/Official	99.00/Official	101.00/Official	103.50/Official

**GROUP 2:**

**Baseball** – Past practice has been for the officials’ boards to give the section 3 for 2 for the Section IV finals. Beginning with the new contract, whenever extra crew officials are used full fees would be paid. Because of the use of an extra official and the added expense the \$5.00 Section Bonus would not apply.

2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
Three Officials	Three Officials	Three Officials	Three Officials	Three Officials
92.50/Official	93.00/Official	94.50/Official	96.50/Official	99.00/Official

**Soccer (B/G)** – At the March 2001 Section IV Council meeting the Athletic Council voted to use Three-Man Crew for both, boys and girls Section IV Finals Only. These are the fees. Individual schools could use three man crews at any time subject to league approval. Because of the use of an extra official and the added expense the \$5.00 Section Bonus would not apply in this situations.

2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
Three Officials	Three Officials	Three Officials	Three Officials	Three Officials
104.00/Referee	104.50/Referee	106.00/Referee	108.00/Referee	110.50/Referee
86.75/Linesman	87.25/Linesman	88.75/Linesman	90.75/Linesman	93.25 /Linesman
86.75/Linesman	87.25/Linesman	88.75/Linesman	90.75/Linesman	93.25/Linesman

**GROUP 3:**

**Softball** – Past practice has been for the officials’ boards to give the section 3 for 2 for the Section IV finals. Beginning with the new contract, whenever extra crew officials are used full fees would be paid. Because of the use of an extra official and the added expense the \$5.00 Section Bonus would not apply.

2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
Three Officials	Three Officials	Three Officials	Three Officials	Three Officials
82.00/Official	83.00/Official	84.00/Official	85.50/Official	87.50/Official



## TRACK

### Track Meet - Number of Teams

1. If a school brings at least 6 - count as a team.
2. If a school brings less than 6 - no team. \*

\* If more than one school brings less than six but the accumulated number exceeds six, add one more team. Continue doing same in

multiples of six, e.g. 6 - 1 team  
12 - 2 teams  
18 - 3 teams

## WRESTLING

### Dual Meets:

For instances where only one (1) official is used to officiate both the varsity and junior varsity meets:

Extra Bout – any match that does not directly count towards the varsity dual meet score

Any number of extra bouts that is greater than or equal to half the number of NYSPHSAA weight classes will be paid as a full junior varsity dual meet fee

For any number of bouts less than half the number of NYSPHSAA weight classes, the fee will be calculated as followed:

For extra bouts that are officiated before the start of the varsity match, those will be compensated at the JV exhibition fee

For extra bouts that occur after the start of the varsity match, those will be compensated at the varsity exhibition fee

The extra bout fee will not be used unless the total number of matches officiated exceeds the total number of NYSPHSAA weight classes

The exhibition fee schedule will be:

Varsity \$6.50

Junior Varsity \$4.50

Modified \$3.50

### Tournament Fees:

Tournament fees will be based on number of bouts officiated.

A forfeit will be recognized as a bout under the same terms of the dual meet.

For Sectionals and League Championships, Article II, F., 1 and 2 of the original Agreement will be in effect.

Site Chairmen and assignors will determine the number of Officials for Tournaments.

Wrestlebacks will be handled as regular bouts and paid accordingly.

It is recommended to have at least one more official than the number of mats used

Wrestling Fees for Tournaments:

Total number of matches wrestled (include forfeits, etc.)

Divide by the number of NYSPHSAA weight classes

When dividing, if the remainder is greater than or equal to half the number of NYSPHSAA weight classes, the number of dual meets will be rounded up.

Multiply by dual meet fee.

Divide by number of officials.

## **LIFETIME PASSES**

A Lifetime Pass will be issued upon the request to men and women who have met at least one of the following requirements:

1. Men and women who have terminated their coaching career after at least 15 years of active coaching in Section IV, and

Men and women who may not have coached but who have served faithfully through the years, such as Basketball Site Chairperson, Principals and/or other teaching personnel who have given years of service on various committees, etc. in the Council, State Committees, or Section Officers.

3. All Past Presidents of Section IV (retroactive).

All applicants for Lifetime Passes must be screened by the Executive Committee. Screening to be held once a year during the fourth week in August. (Effective 9/1/70). Passes will only be printed in September and February each year.

Such a Lifetime Pass would be issued upon proper application to the Executive Director and would read "Admit (name) and One to any athletic contest in which a Section IV school is a host." This Lifetime Pass policy effective as of 9/1/69.

Statement of Purpose:

1. It is not intended to flood the Section with "free passes."

It is our intent to honor those who deserve special recognition for their contribution in athletics in Section IV throughout the years.

## **SECTION IV PASSES**

Three per school (Superintendent, High School Principal, Athletic Director) by name and non-transferable. Also, add two (2) per school to be used at their discretion. All passes admit two people.

## **AWARDS**

The NYSPHSAA Inc. Is in opposition to the policy of giving materially valuable awards to members of High School Athletic Teams. They recommend that school authorities give only awards such as medals or an insignia. Therefore, to subscribe to their suggestions and recommendations, it would seem appropriate to follow an awards policy which would implement a sound program.

Here in Section IV, the awards policy will be governed as follows:

1. Recognize the first place team with an appropriate trophy in each classification of competition.

2. Appropriate certificates will be awarded.

3. Appropriate medals and/or ribbons will be presented to championship teams and place winners in individual sports activities.

4. All awards will be purchased by the Section IV Treasurer upon advice of any Awards Committee so designated by the Section IV President.

5. The Section IV Council will vote on any changes to be made in the Awards.

## SECTION IV HALL OF FAME

The Section IV Hall of Fame was established in 1971 to honor coaches, athletic contributors and athletes who have been outstanding in their particular fields.

An individual who has been selected has had an outstanding career in athletics. A coach selected has been an outstanding influence on young people and by example has shown the meaning of the word "sportsmanship." A person selected as a contributor has served athletics by working as a long time athletic supervisor, i.e. sports chairman, site chairman, or has been a person who has always co-operated and tried to foster athletics in the school system. A person selected may have been associated with sports either by reporting or working in an official capacity, i.e. officiating or assigning officials to school sports programs.

### REQUIREMENTS

Athletes - Ten (10) years out of high school to be considered.

Coaches or Contributors - Fifteen (15) years of working and/or association with athletics.

### PROCEDURES

A. Applications to be distributed by the Hall of Fame committee at the first Sectional meeting of the school year (September). Applications also may be obtained by request from either the Hall of Fame committee or Executive Director during the year or on the Section IV Website [www.sectionivathletics.com](http://www.sectionivathletics.com).

B. Return date for applications is **November 1**.

C. The committee shall meet in December to consider applications for the proceeding year. The Section President is an ex-officio member of the committee or may appoint another officer to serve in his place.

D. The committee shall organize an induction ceremony to be held at the finals of the Sectional Basketball tourney for the said year. The ceremony shall be organized with the cooperation of the Section President and the Executive Director.

### ATHLETES

Adam, Courtney	Charlotte Valley	'17	Bennett, Joel	Windsor	'12
Affeldt, Kim Zelko	Elmira Heights	'93	Bennett, Mike	Elmira Notre Dame	'09
Ahart, Gerald "Jerry"	Candor	'99	Bennett, Ralph	Owego	'86
Alger, Steven "Joe"	Norwich	'16	Bennett, Tom	Union-Endicott	'88
Allen, Albert	Horseheads	'76	Berry, Ted	Elmira Free Academy	'74
Allen, Greg	Horseheads	'92	Bertleson, Robert	Elmira Southside	'77
Almeter, Katherine "Katie"	Norwich	'12	Berube, Ray	Vestal	'07
Alvord, Resa	Moravia	'92	Bettucci, Frank	Ithaca	'77
Aman, Wayne	Candor	'13	Bilik, Edward R.	Union-Endicott	'96
Amici, Dominic "Dom"	Ithaca	'18	Bisbee, Craig	Hancock	'15
Anderson, Alfred	Vestal	'79	Blaisure, Connie (Schmidt)	Chenango Valley	'03
Anderson, Paul	Susquehanna Valley	'83	Bogart, Andrea	Maine-Endwell	'11
Anderson, Tim	Susquehanna Valley	'82	Boglione, Denise Large	Union Springs	'93
Angeline, Fran	Union-Endicott	'82	Boland, Jim	Maine-Endwell	'97
Aprile, Holly	Afton	'99	Boldman, George	Owego	'82
Armstrong, Rick	Whitney Point	'88	Bradley, Lewis	Owego	'74
Auble, Dave	Ithaca	'77	Brady, David	Binghamton North	'10
Avery, Robert	Homer	'89	Bramante, Katherine	Union-Endicott	'14
Backus, Bob	Walton	'93	Bramante, Julianne	Union-Endicott	'15
Backus, Gavin	Gilbertsville-Mt. Upton	'17	Braymer, John	Delaware Academy	'06
Bagan, Dan	Windsor	'08	Breckner, Dennis	Maine-Endwell	'85
Bailey, Bethany (Grace)	Stamford	'09	Breckner, Gary	Maine-Endwell	'99
Baker, Rebecca "Becky"	Waverly	'05	Brew, Harlan	Windsor	'10
Baldwin, Danielle	Bainbridge-Guilford	'07	Brock, Ralph	Spencer	'06
Ball, Don	Horseheads	'93	Brooks, Donald	Horseheads	'79
Balles, Richard "Rick"	Johnson City	'09	Brown, Diane Hall	Horseheads	'95
Banks, Val	Newfield	'92	Brown, Dr. John	Trumansburg	'99
Barlow, Michael	Milford	'84	Bruner, Christina	Elmira Notre Dame	'07
Barnett, Jennifer (Pier)	Schenevus	'08	Bryant, Thomas	Owego	'82
Barvinchak, Richard	Chenango Valley	'81	Brunick, Nick	Norwich	'13
Beach, Jerry	Ithaca	'89	Buchtel, Therese	Horseheads	'98
Bedford, Samantha	Windsor	'11	Bullis, Burt	Unatego	'06
Bednar, Mike	Johnson City	'94	Bump, Jonathon "J.B."	Windsor	'14
Beeman, Sue Scott	Horseheads	'92	Buncom, Henry	Ithaca	'81
Belden, Bradley	Edmeston	'18	Burch, Matt	Thomas A. Edison	'08
Belknap, Edward	Elmira Heights	'93	Burghardt, Briana	Whitney Point	'20
Bell, Jerry	Homer	'82	Burghardt, Kylie (Hrehor)	Whitney Point	'20
Bell, Mel	Ithaca	'78	Burnett, James	Moravia	'02
Bellinger, Clay	Oneonta	'01	Burton, Peter	Norwich	'14
Belokur, John	Candor	'02	Bush, Chuck	Windsor	'74
Benjamin, Barry	Norwich	'13	Bush, William	Windsor	'87

Byington, Tim	Downsville	'05	Dinga Jodi (Yesensky)	Union-Endicott	'20
Cadwell, Paul	Windsor	'04	Dino, Richard "Dick"	Johnson City	'11
Call, Jack	Cortland	'73	Diute, Fred	Binghamton Central	'74
Campbell, Lorin	Downsville	'97	Doherty, Michael	Vestal	'94
Campbell, Robert	Vestal	'76	Donegan, Casey	Corning East	'05
Campfield, Robert	Morris	'72	Donnelly, Ann	Unatego	'06
Carey, Travis D.	Franklin	'14	Dougherty, Brian	Tioga	'92
Cartmill, Kevin	Ithaca	'08	Dougherty, Dan	Tioga	'08
Cartmill, Sarah	Ithaca	'18	Dougherty, John	Tioga	'88
Case, Emily	Greene	'10	Dougherty, Kyle	Owego	'16
Case, Erin (Claxton)	Greene	'10	Dougherty, Terry	Owego	'03
Cavallaro, Todd	Corning East	'06	Downey, Jospeh	Norwich	'12
Chambers, Julie	Tioga	'20	Doyle, George	Binghamton Central	'80
Chanecka, William	Binghamton Central	'79	Drabinski, Debra	Elmira Notre Dame	'87
Chichester, David	Whitney Point	'83	Drew, David	Vestal	'87
Chomyszak, Steve	Johnson City	'74	Dufty, Al	Vestal	'91
Chrystie, Michael	Oxford	'12	DuMond, Pam (Tarnowski)	Sidney	'03
Chrystie, Sara (Locke)	Oxford	'17	Durkee, John	Homer	'82
Cincebox, Jon	Binghamton Central	'79	Dye, Thomas B.	New Berlin	'11
Clark, Brad	Horseheads	'96	Eaton, Paul	Norwich	'99
Clark, Brad	Odessa-Montour	'98	Eberle, Sue Girard	Maine-Endwell	'92
Clark, Christopher	Whitney Point	'16	Eddy, Robert "Bob"	Spencer Van-Etten	'00
Clas, Brian	Union-Endicott	'02	Eisenhart, Ed	Horseheads	'77
Cole, Robbie	Roxbury	'02	Ellerson, Tom	Whitney Point	'02
Coleman, Rick	Binghamton	'96	Ellis, Dana	Chenango Forks	'18
Coletta, Jennifer (McPeek)	Greene	'03	Ellis, John "Steve"	Whitney Point	'16
Collins, Brian	Maine-Endwell	'95	Ely, Duane II	Roxbury	'03
Collins, Stefanie	Odessa-Montour	'17	Emerson, William C.	Whitney Point	'95
Condes, Brenda	Moravia	'93	Evans, Megan E.	Elmira Notre Dame	'15
Connelly, Jim	Union Springs	'15	Everling, Gerry	Chenango Forks	'74
Conner, Marty	Groton	'94	Eydt, Fred	Binghamton Central	'97
Conner, Mike	Groton	'08	Eynard-Bozzi, Kym	Union-Endicott	'00
Connolly, Ed	Johnson City	'77	Farrell, Harold	Johnson City	'81
Conroy, Cristin (Gruesbeck)	Chenango Valley	'01	Farrell, Teresa Sestak	Chenango Valley	'96
Constantine, Ashley (Begeal)	Binghamton	'17	Fassett, Robert "Bob"	Springfield CS	'15
Cook, Barb	Susquehanna Valley	'09	Ferris, Brandy S.	Candor	'13
Cook, Charles Douglas	Ithaca	'96	Ferris, Colleen	Stamford	'01
Cook-Martin, Jamie L.	Newfield/Ithaca	'95	Fessenden, Stephen D.	Sidney	'15
Cosgrove, Jim	Thomas A. Edison	'03	Finnegan, Jennifer (Patruno)	Sidney	'01
Cramer, David	Windsor	'10	Flannery, Anne	Downsville	'96
Crandall, Charles A.	Lansing	'94	Fletcher, Morris "Mike"	Bainbridge-Guilford	'19
Crawford, Matthew	Moravia	'11	Flynn, Bob	Ithaca	'86
Crawford, Ryan	Edmeston	'10	Foote, Craig	Lansing	'15
Creedon, William	Waverly	'94	Ford, Kristen O'Connell	Delhi	'96
Curkendall, Pete	Elmira Southside	'95	Foster, Richard	Owego Free Academy	'91
Cuyler, John	Elmira Free Academy	'97	Foster, Toby	Candor	'11
Davis, Brooke (Trotta)	Stamford	'13	Fowler, Blaine	Elmira Free Academy	'95
Davis, Ernie	Elmira Free Academy	'72	Franciamone, Robert J.	Ithaca	'84
Davis, Howard "Duke"	Vestal	'06	Frazier, Jim	Moravia	'94
Davis, John J.	Edmeston	'10	Frieser, John E.	Maine-Endwell	'11
Davis, Nicolette	Stamford	'09	Frost, Natalie	Elmira Notre Dame	'18
Dean, Lindsey (Felling)	Lansing	'13	Frost, Patti	Horseheads	'88
Decker, Brad	Deposit	'90	Frost, Al	Horseheads	'87
Decker, Cathy	Afton	'02	Fuentes, Sherri Snowberger	Dryden	'94
Decker, Jack	Johnson City	'05	Furman, Harry	Elmira	'77
Decker, Melissa (Russell)	Deposit	'02	Gabor, Bill	Binghamton Central	'72
De Kalb, Susan	Elmira Free Academy	'97	Gaeta, Jennifer (Wegmann)	Windsor	'01
DeFilippo, Ramon	Elmira Free Academy	'75	Gaeta, Robert	Windsor	'11
DeFilippo, Tony	Elmira Free Academy	'80	Gale, Kellie Jo	Maine-Endwell	'08
Deinhardt, Fred	Binghamton North	'83	Garbade, Robert	Susquehanna Valley	'09
Delello, Mark	Bainbridge-Guilford	'16	Garbarino, Joe	Binghamton North	'83
Denmon, Doreen	Union-Endicott	'88	Garbarino, Vince	Binghamton North	'83
Derenberger, Tia	Moravia	'99	Gardner, Rob	Binghamton Central	'83
Deuel, Gary	Owego	'81	Gardner, Curtis	Cincinnatus	'02
Deuel, Paul	Owego Free Academy	'91	Garrity, Joseph C.	Catholic Central	'87
Dibble, Sara	Elmira Heights	'00	Gehm, Michael	Whitney Point	'93

Gelatt, John	Edmeston	'05	Iles, Amy Ross	Dryden	'95
George, Abraham	Ithaca	'79	Jackson, Bonnie J. (Jensen)	Candor	'13
Gibson, Denise	Elmira Notre Dame	'97	James, Bill	Whitney Point	'92
Gilbert, George	Horseheads	'90	James, Jason	Norwich	'12
Gilliam, Ron	Elmira Free Academy	'84	James, Kelly (Huhtala)	Norwich	'08
Gleason, Lauri	Trumansburg	'00	Jayne, Ken	Windsor	'12
Glezen, John	Whitney Point	'91	Jenkins, Julie D.	Owego Free Academy	'01
Goble, Les	Waverly	'72	Jenks, Tim	Chenango Forks	'83
Goble, Rena	Charlotte Valley	'08	Johnson, Henry	Ithaca	'73
Goetz, David	Seton Catholic	'03	Johnson, James	Union-Endicott	'13
Gooley, Anne Hewitt	Odessa-Montour	'00	Johnston, Michael	Elmira Notre Dame	'82
Gouldin, David	Binghamton Central	'78	Jones, Kimberly (Hahne)	Sidney	'05
Green, Christopher	Whitney Point	'18	Jones, Merrick	Elmira Southside	'95
Green, Corey	Whitney Point	'04	Jordan, Amy	Candor	'06
Green, John E. "Josh"	Binghamton North	'92	Joy-Thompson, Daphne	Morris	'14
Greenburg, Bess	Vestal	'08	Kaminsky, Kurt	Binghamton North	'96
Greene, Don	Elmira	'78	Kane, Robert	Ithaca	'77
Gregory, Bill	Maine-Endwell	'86	Kane, Stacie A.	Afton	'99
Griffin, Ted	Binghamton	'82	Katchuk, Alexis	Whitney Point	'06
Griffiths, Edward	Spencer	'06	Kathmann, Jill	Delhi	'02
Grosvenor, Bob	Elmira Notre Dame	'00	Keene, Dan	Tioga	'88
Guinan, Stephen T.	Windsor	'09	Kelly, Kristine	Afton	'19
Gumble, Mark	Maine-Endwell	'01	Kelley, Dana	Ithaca	'96
Gush, Frank	Elmira Free Academy	'91	Kemmerer, Renee (Ferrara)	Afton	'18
Hackley, Kristin	Union-Endicott	'98	Kenchen, Ashlei	South Kortright	'13
Haight, Chelsea	Charlotte Valley	'20	Kerins, Sean	Union-Endicott	'92
Haight, Eric	Charlotte Valley	'06	Ketchum, Vernon	Johnson City	'88
Haight, Seth	Delaware Academy	'04	Kick, Tim	Lansing	'96
Hall, Darren	Unatego	'05	Kimmel, Jamie	Susquehanna Valley	'91
Hall, Gordon	Gilbertsville-Mt.Upton	'19	Kimmel, Jon	Susquehanna Valley	'88
Halloran, Michael	Whitney Point	'00	Kimmel, Lindsay	Harpursville	'17
Hanifin, Jerry	Binghamton North	'73	King, Dick	Binghamton North	'83
Hansen, Brigitte (MacNaught)	Afton	'20	King, LaWana (Augustine)	Binghamton	'05
Harding, Kelly Ann	Susquehanna Valley	'08	Kirk, Brenda (Mangino)	Candor	'02
Harmon, Lloyd	Candor	'75	Klumpp, Aaron	Windsor	'17
Harris, Charles	Union-Endicott	'88	Klumpp, Alan	Windsor	'82
Haskins, William	Binghamton Central	'82	Klumpp, Christopher	Windsor	'16
Hawes, Barrett	Edmeston	'19	Klumpp, Leigh (Peters)	Windsor	'20
Hendricks, Thomas	Unatego	'14	Klumpp, Matthew "Matt"	Windsor	'14
Henneman, Brad S.	Greene	'13	Knapp, Lindsay	Elmira Notre Dame	'17
Hercinger, James	Lansing	'76	Knolhof, Erica	Windham-Ashland-Jewitt	'10
Heslin, Colleen P.	Binghamton	'07	Koban, Ed	Union-Endicott	'92
Hinkle, Lawrence	Cortland	'17	Kopcik, Michael	Union-Endicott	'73
Holbert, Robert	Johnson City	'79	Kowalski, Edward	Horseheads	'96
Hodack, Dan	Windsor	'13	Kuras, Lisa Fuchs	Charlotte Valley	'97
Hollenbeck, Karen	Candor	'06	Kurst, Thomas	Johnson City	'81
Holmes, Mike	Elmira Free Academy	'90	LaBare, Kelly	Union-Endicott	'03
Holt, Martin "Marv"	Ithaca	'05	Lacey, Jeff	Dryden	'94
Holtmann, Tom	Binghamton Central	'87	LaFrance, Dick	Ithaca	'74
Horton, Howard	Tioga Central	'98	Laing, Jessica (Clark)	South Kortright	'16
Hoskins, Charles	Owego Free Academy	'91	Lakata, Robert	Johnson City	'75
Houghtaling, Jason	Windsor	'17	Lalla, Richard	Cortland	'73
House, Ed	Oneonta	'74	Lalley, John	Binghamton North	'76
House, Leanna	Ithaca	'08	Lalley, Robert	Chenango Valley	'77
Hover, Richard	Union-Endicott	'85	Lamoureux, Saundi	Horseheads	'02
Howard, James	Vestal	'72	Lampman, Richard	Chenango Valley	'78
Howell, Rodney	Lansing	'93	Lampport, Kathleen A.	South Kortright	'10
Hoysradt, William H.	Binghamton Central	'84	Lang, Paul "Buddy"	Ithaca	'96
Huffner, Carl	Elmira Southside	'96	Larkin, Kelly (Erickson)	Greene	'01
Huddle, Molly	Elmira Notre Dame	'17	Larkin, Tracy (Parker)	Greene	'07
Hulbert, Elton	Owego	'93	Laytham, Amanda (LoPicclo)	Unatego	'11
Hull, Ted	Susquehanna Valley	'11	Laymon, Ryan	Edmeston	'19
Hunter, Gary	Ithaca	'18	Lazor, Bobby	Norwich	'07
Hurd, Tom	Elmira Southside	'93	LeBaraon, Brian	Corning East	'05
Iacovelli, Mark	Ithaca	'87	Lee, James	Windsor	'81
Iacovelli, Orlando	Ithaca	'78	Lee, Michael	Windsor	'81

Leech, John	Unatego	'15	Meyerhoff, Samantha	Charlotte Valley	'20
Leonardo, Richard	Ithaca	'94	Michaels, Ed	Elmira Southside	'73
Levins, Mary Ann Widman	Elmira Free Academy	'91	Miles, Shelly N. (Sleezer)	Gilbertsville-Mt. Upton	'14
Lewis, Craig	Chenango Forks	'93	Miller, Richard C.	Ithaca	'98
Lifgren, Douglas T.	Milford	'00	Milliman, Herbert	Lansing	'93
Limoncelli, Ron	Elmira Notre Dame	'96	Mirabito, Gerard "Jeri"	Sidney	'14
Ling, Emily (Cotcamp)	Chenango Valley	'14	Mirabito, Richard "Rick"	Sidney	'14
Lockwood, Jerard	Owego	'81	Mirabito, Salvatore "Toots"	Norwich	'73
Logan, John	Union-Endicott	'72	Mokay, Richard	Delaware Academy & CS	'09
Long, Junior	Elmira Free Academy	'91	Monks, Troy	Odessa-Montour	'98
LoVuolo, Frank	Binghamton North	'74	Monrone, Nicole	Union-Endicott	'19
Luciano, Ron	Union-Endicott	'85	Moran, Michael	Johnson City	'93
Lutes, John	Trumansburg	'15	Moresco, Tim	Ithaca	'95
Lynch, Michael	Binghamton	'09	Morgart, Richard Jr.	Union-Endicott	'89
Lyon, Richard	Elmira Hieghts	'72	Morris, Jason	Norwich	'13
Maas, Tammy	Johnson City	'97	Morris, Josh	Norwich	'13
Macali, Augie	Ithaca	'72	Morris, Leland "Bunky"	Norwich	'82
Mackey, Jerry	Whitney Point	'06	Morrow, Peter	Elmira	'93
Mackey, Megan	Whitney Point	'06	Mosley, Jim Jr.	Union Springs	'04
Macinsky, Mike	Whitney Point	'18	Mullins, Francis "Moon"	Johnson City	'79
Macinsky, Steven A.	Whitney Point	'89	Munro, Robert	Sidney	'07
Major, Thomas	Horseheads	'83	Murphy, William	Elmira	'77
Mahoney-Fehr, Elizabeth	Seton Catholic	'98	Mysnyk, Mark	Vestal	'87
Mahoney-Loughlin, Kathleen	Seton Catholic	'00	Needham, William D.	Newark Valley	'92
Malepe, George	Dryden	'98	Nelson, Hillary B.	Cherry Valley-Springfield	'15
Malette, Brandon	Thomas A. Edison	'13	Newkerk, Jim	Delhi	'96
Malette, Christopher	Thomas A. Edison	'13	Newman-Marek, Sarah	Lansing	'16
Malette, Michelle (Piasecki)	Thomas A. Edison	'13	Nicholas, Michael	Ithaca	'78
Malone, Dan	Newark Valley	'03	Nicholas, Richie	Ithaca	'85
Malone, Mike	Elmira Notre Dame	'97	Northrop, Arnold	Elmira Heights	'79
Mancini, Michele (Benton)	Sidney	'07	Northrup, Robert	Waverly	'74
Mann, Russell	Walton	'95	Northrup, Tod	Waverly	'98
Manuel, Patrick	Elmira Notre Dame	'17	Norton, Bruce	Horseheads	'80
Manwaring, Kirt	Horseheads	'11	O'Connell, Gregory	Delaware Academy	'05
Manzer, Melissa	Johnson City	'14	O'Connor, John Paul "JP"	Oxford Academy	'18
Marciniak, Matthew	Watkins Glen	'16	O'Donnell, John "Bucky"	Binghamton North	'83
Markert, Jennifer (DeFilipps)	Chenango Forks	'05	O'Neill, Harry "Red"	Elmira	'81
Marks, Jerry	Whitney Point	'04	Ogrodowski, Ambrose	Elmira Free Academy	'74
Marsh, Jerry	Newark Valley	'90	Olenki, Mitchell	Union-Endicott	'85
Marullo, Kristen (Shearer)	Schenevus	'04	Oliver, Jeff	Delaware Academy	'01
Maston, Charles	Elmira Southside	'74	Orr, Carleton	Greene	'76
Mastro, Robert "Bob"	Union-Endicott	'17	Osborne, Jewdyer	Binghamton	'05
Matingly, Courtney	Baingridge-Guilford	'10	Osborne, Robert	Union-Endicott	'81
Matisi, Tony	Union-Endicott	'72	Osterhout, Ray, Jr.	Windsor	'84
Matson, Hilary	Marathon	'08	Packer, Allan	Chenango Forks	'18
Matteson, Abby (Lilly)	Morris	'18	Page, Daryl	Elmira Notre Dame	'99
May, Bobby	Elmira Heights	'87	Palmer, George	Watkins Glen	'94
May, Mark	Oneonta	'88	Palladino, Joseph	Owego	'00
Maye, Danielle (Ingram)	Windsor	'14	Paranya, Karl	Sidney	'04
McCartney, Kristin Banfield	Ithaca	'94	Parisi, David H.	Windsor	'04
McConnell, Paul	Elmira	'79	Parker, Jeff	Norwich	'15
McDowell, Arlo	Van Etten	'87	Parr, Thomas, Jr.	Ithaca	'84
McEvoy, Donald	Marathon	'95	Pawlowski, John	Seton Catholic	'00
McGlynn, Charles	Binghamton Central	'72	Payne, Randy	Sidney	'81
McGlynn, George	Binghamton Central	'87	Peck, Cheri (Hess)	Mount Upton	'18
McGrail, Elizabeth "Liz"	Stamford	'07	Pecka, Joe	Binghamton Central	'78
McGrail, Nora	Stamford	'19	Penrith, Brad	Windsor	'95
McGrail, Patricia (Kallen)	Stamford	'09	Pepper, Peter	Cincinnatus	'93
McIntyre, Jay	Whitney Point	'17	Peters, Andy	Johnson City	'94
McKinney-Haynes, Teresa	Seton Catholic	'98	Petranick, Al	Johnson City	'76
McLaughlin, Kenneth	Johnson City	'87	Phillips, Doug	Hancock	'15
McNamara, Arthur	Elmira	'75	Peterson, Dan	Unatego	'16
McNeilly, Denise	Franklin	'05	Peterson, Don	Unatego	'16
McKnight, Timothy	Windsor	'15	Phillips, Megan (Schmitt)	Windsor	'20
Meeker, Kyle	Windsor	'13	Pichette, Kenneth	Binghamton Central	'76
Messersmith, Bob	Odessa-Montour	'97	Pickert, Bob	Newark Valley	'95

Pidgeon, Tim	Oneonta	'01	Senko, Richard	Elmira Southside	'80
Pirozzolo, Lou	Elmira	'98	Severance, Raymond D.	Johnson City	'06
Pitcher, Denise	Newark Valley	'98	Seymour, Robert	Waverly	'03
Platt, Tim	Unatego	'04	Shackleton, John	Walton	'82
Poole, Claude	Ithaca	'82	Shackleton, Marlene	Walton	'83
Porter, Patti Klecha	Greene	'88	Shackleton, Maxine	Walton	'83
Pratt, Elroy	Whitney Point	'94	Shay, Megan	Candor	'17
Preston, Harold	Cincinnatus	'91	Shea, Mary Halloran	Whitney Point	'97
Prettyman, Charles	Elmira Free Academy	'95	Shear, Jim	Chenango Forks	'00
Prew, Jackie (Rich)	Binghamton		Sheehan, Brian	Elmira Notre Dame	'16
Price, Kathryn A.	Windsor	'98	Sherwood, Andrew	Unatego	'18
Prinzi, Victor	Waverly	'92	Shippos, Steve	Ithaca	'86
Pollack, Kent	Binghamton	'08	Shoemaker, Bonnie (Coates)	Sidney	'03
Raboy, Adley	Maine-Endwell	'87	Shrauger, Linda (Burghardt)	Whitney Point	'20
Ramich, Carmen	Elmira	'96	Silvanic, Bill, Jr.	Johnson City	'76
Ramich, Joel	Elmira Notre Dame	'90	Sindelar, Joey	Horseheads	'87
Ranieri, Tracey Marullo	Schenevus	'98	Skonieczki, Gerry	Johnson City	'78
Reester, Keith	Maine-Endwell	'95	Sleezer, Brandon	Edmeston	'18
Reid, John	Chenango Valley	'84	Smith, Dan	Seton Catholic	'99
Reimsnyder, Les	Elmira Heights	'94	Smith, Don	Watkins Glen	'94
Reynolds, Dr. Craig	Oxford	'15	Smith, Kim Fuller	Delhi	'97
Rice, King	Binghamton	'97	Smith, Kristen (Sanabria)	Sidney	'04
Ricci, Kate (Mierzwa)	Seton Catholic	'03	Smith, Ray	Chenango Valley	'79
Riddle, Margo Walsh	Maine-Endwell	'93	Smith, Ron	Seton Catholic	'04
Rider, Brent	Tioga	'13	Smith, Troy	Maine-Endwell	'04
Riley, Johanna (Evans)	Ithaca	'05	Snickenberger, Tom	Ithaca	'83
Riordan, J. Matthew "Matt"	Elmira Notre Dame	'05	Snopek, Harold	Chenango Forks	'91
Robinson, Jessica	Tioga	'20	Snow, Amy	Vestal	'01
Robinson, Joel	Elmira Free Academy	'76	Sobkowski, Ed	Elmira Heights	'77
Robinson, John	Tioga	'02	Solomon, Charles	Ithaca	'80
Robinson, Joseph	Tioga	'14	Soprano, Francis	Waverly	'02
Robinson, Roger	Union-Endicott	'94	Sorochinsky, John J.	Vestal, Union-Endicott	'03
Robson, Susan E.	Windsor	'97	Spalik, John, Jr.	Johnson City	'81
Roche, Robert "Bucky"	Binghamton North	'72	Spalik, William, Jr.	Johnson City	'10
Rock, Mike	Windsor	'96	Spear, Renee	Johnson City	'95
Rockefeller, Kyle	South Kortright	'07	Speicher, Regina (Hutchinson)	Seton Catholic	'20
Rockwell, Richard	Waverly	'80	Spera, H. Sonny	Union-Endicott	'98
Roe, Terrell	Walton	'75	Springer, Robert	Homer	'72
Rog, Edward	Chenango Valley	'77	Staley, Kathy	Maine-Endwell	'96
Rogers, Earl	Seton Catholic	'81	Stanbro, JJ	Johnson City	'08
Rolles, Charles	Binghamton Central	'72	Stanton, Ray	Binghamton North	'84
Rolls, William	Waverly	'96	Stashko, Julie	Seton Catholic	'07
Ropelewski, Leon	Elmira	'72	Steele, Michael	Owego	'86
Rotunda, L. Michael	Newark Valley	'99	Stephens, Joel	Elmira Notre Dame	'09
Rowe, Kenneth	Cincinnatus	'93	Strickland, Jennifer L.	Candor	'11
Rowe, Nicholas	Moravia	'13	Stoddard, Thomas	Norwich	'13
Ruff, Jennifer	Andes	'01	Stone, Lara (Voigt)	Windsor	'20
Rumsey, Robert	Horseheads	'77	Stone, John	Ithaca	'00
Rush, Debbie	Cortland	'88	Stone, Steve	Windsor	'09
Ryder, Jim	Tioga	'99	Stratton, Charles	Oxford Academy	'06
Salley, Lou	Johnson City	'78	Sullivan, John W.	Johnson City	'03
Sandonato, Susan Gehm	Whitney Point	'97	Swart, Charles	Oneonta	'83
Sandusky, John	Van Etten	'08	Sweet, Brooks	Ithaca	'89
Sandwick, Jack	Newark Valley	'92	Sylvester, Peter	Union-Endicott	'87
Schmitt, Jack	Owego	'85	Szabo, Bill	Ithaca	'99
Schoonover, Garrett	Edmeston	'11	Tagliente, Carla	Marathon	'08
Schulte, Alan	Charlotte Valley	'95	Talbot, Jessica	Gilbertsville-Mt. Upton	'20
Schultz, John	Vestal	'81	Tallet, Kate	Binghamton	'01
Schwab, Andrew	Elmira Southside	'97	Tarbell, Carleton	Lansing	'80
Schweitzer, Fran	Hartwick	'75	Tavelli, Michelle (Brooks)	Candor	'04
Scobie, Paul	Delhi	'93	Tee, Eric	Lansing	'14
Scofield, Scott D.	Windsor	'09	Teeter, Roy	Newfield	'79
Scoville, Lloyd	Binghamton Central	'84	Terwilliger, Jack	Waverly	'00
Scrivener, Erik	Edmeston	'17	Terwilliger, James	Dryden	'95
Scutt, Joshua	Chenango Valley	'14	Theleman, David	Whitney Point	'10
Seager, Ray	Homer	'76	Theodorou, George T.	Deposit	'92

Thomas, Julie (Simmons)	Tioga	'04	Watts, David "Rick"	Windsor	'96
Thompson, Christian	Candor	'19	Weaver, Tony	Elmira Southside	'76
Thompson, Keith	Cherry Valley	'12	Webster, Steve	Ithaca	'82
Thompson, Marcus	Union-Endicott	'08	Weir, Shannon	Milford	'16
Thompson, Patrick	Candor	'19	Wells, Rick	Ithaca	'80
Thurston, Mitch	Newark Valley	'06	Westervelt, Jason	Odessa-Montour	'10
Tice, Connie Sweet	EFA/Horseheads	'94	White, Keith	Windsor	'11
Tidick, David	Union-Endicott	'20	Whitney, Timothy	Norwich	'07
Tidick, Michael	Union-Endicott	'00	Wiesiolowski, Diane	Elmira Southside	'93
Tobey, John	Gilbertsville	'72	Wightman, Charlie	Norwich	'07
Toffolo, Shawn	Horseheads	'93	Williams, Leon	Owego	'73
Tokos, Eve	Binghamton	'00	Williamson, Bill	Elmira Free Academy	'75
Tomanek, Don	Johnson City	'84	Wilson, Ken	Binghamton North	'84
Totman, Clarence	Cincinnatus	'91	Wilson, Rocky	Margaretville	'16
Trainor, Paul	Ithaca	'78	Winnick, Ed	Candor	'73
Trask, Ann Marie (Young)	Hancock	'15	Woidzik, Fran	Elmira Heights	'75
Truhn, Brian	Unatego	'76	Wolf, David B.	Union-Endicott	'89
Tryon, Bill	Elmira Free Academy	'73	Wonka, Cynthia	Norwich/Binghamton	'97
Tull, Allecia (Laing)	Maine-Endwell	'10	Wood, Dan	Ithaca	'75
Tyra, Pete	Elmira Heights	'94	Wood, Gary	Cortland	'72
Updike, Laurie	Trumansburg	'97	Wood, Lynette Stoker	Moravia	'91
Upper, Jim	Ithaca	'05	Wood, Steve	Otselic Valley	'19
Urbanic, Missy (Plunkey)	Vestal	'01	Woodburn, Robert	Owego	'86
VanAtta, Rodney	Binghamton Central	'75	Woodyshek, Josette	Sidney	'04
Van Houten Evie (Howard)	Spencer-Van Etten	'07	Woodworth, Bryan	Elmira Notre Dame	'18
Van Kuren, Kathy	Maine-Endwell	'96	Woodworth, Steve	Odessa-Montour	'95
Van Pelt, Gina	Deposit	'01	Wright, Jennifer	Charlotte Valley	'03
Van Valkenburgh, Robert	Roxbury	'01	Wright, Jim	Hancock	'17
Van Woert, Sally Nachman	Johnson City	'93	Wrighter, Gail Jr.	Hancock	'04
VanDerzee, Gary	Trumansburg	'15	Wykoff, Robert	Laurens	'72
Varian, Carolyn (Crosby)	Laurens	'05	Yancey, Charles	Owego	'75
Vavra, Joe	Binghamton Central	'73	Yannuzzi, Patty	Binghamton	'97
Veen, Julie (DeCarlo)	Franklin	'18	Yelverton, Tom	Susquehanna Valley	'91
Velan, Mary	Stamford	'17	Yonclas, Nick	Delhi	'93
Velie, Bob	Vestal	'75	Yonkowski, Stanley	Johnson City	'98
Vetter, George	Elmira	'78	Young, Mike	Vestal	'14
Vincent, Eric	Lansing	'04	Zappia, Fred, Sr.	Union-Endicott	'72
Vosberg, Ronald	Elmira Free Academy	'08	Zawerton, Ted	Chenango Forks	'19
Vredenburgh, Amy (Howard)	Chenango Forks	'19	Zazycki, Michael "Mike"	Johnson City	'11
Vredenburgh, Zach	Chenango Forks	'14	Zeh, Kristin A.	Oneonta	'11
Waino, Diane Farrell	Seton Catholic	'98	Zembek, Shari	Binghamton	'02
Wainwright, Jack	Marathon	'92	Zimdahl, Walter	Elmira Free Academy	'73
Wainwright, James	Marathon	'92	Zur, Rod A.	Union-Endicott	'00
Waitkavicz, James	Susquehanna Valley	'11	Zurner, Sandy	Maine-Endwell	'08
Walsh, Stephanie	Maine-Endwell	'02			
Walters, Catherine	Vestal	'01			



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Abbott, Anthony J.	Oxford Academy & CS	'10	Doyle, Alton	Oxford	'89
Ackley, Willard J.	Board #49	'97	Drago, Tony	Oneonta	'82
Adams, Terri	Cherry Valley-Springfield	'19	Driscoll, Dan	Whitney Point	'06
Allen, John	Section IV	'14	DuBois, Gail	Oneonta Official Boards	'11
Barrows, Nancy	Greene	'01	Duffy, Tom	Oneonta	'01
Ballard, Marilyn	Delaware League/Section IV	'17	Echentile, George	Norwich	'87
Beames, Berton "Bert"	Official	'17	Elinsky, Stan	Deposit	'99
Bell, Roger	Vestal	'93	Ely, Duane	Roxbury	'01
Bennett, Cindy	Tioga	'03	Farley, Henry	Afton	'81
Bernstein, Richard P.	Ithaca	'20	Farrell, Joseph A.	Binghamton	'86
Best, Emil	Bainbridge	'92	Feldman, David	Ithaca	'94
Beyer, Kurt	Norwich	'81	Fenton, Robert	Owego	'03
Bostelman, Cindy	Afton	'10	Ferraro, Louis	Binghamton	'06
Brady, Chuck	Thomas A. Edison	'02	Fessenden, Douglas	Sidney	'15
Bredbenner, Edgar E., Sr.	Ithaca	'00	Fisher, Edward Lee	Charlotte Valley	'95
Brittain, George	Johnson City	'86	Flannery, Jane	Downsville	'96
Bromley, Nancy	Greene	'97	Flynn, Jim	Norwich, EFA, END	'90
Brown, Richard	Owego	'84	Foley, Richard "Dick"	Maine-Endwell	'99
Brown, Roger	Section IV	'09	Folli, Edward	Union-Endicott	'10
Bryant, Bill	Ithaca	'11	Forbes, Jim	Southern Tier	'02
Burd, John D.	Susquehanna Valley	'07	Fox, Frederick G.	Deposit	'05
Burghardt, Steven	Greene/Whitney Point	'16	Fox, John W.	<i>Binghamton Press</i>	'86
Burr, Linda	Delhi	'11	Funk, Karen (Cornell)	Marathon	'09
Butts, George	Homer	'77	Furness, Kenneth	Southern Cayuga	'98
Butts, Herbert	New Berlin	'82	Gaffney, Carlton	Susquehanna Valley	'86
Caliel, Frederick L.	Lansing	'96	Gariepy, Jack	Delaware Academy	'08
Campbell, James	Downsville	'97	Gavich, Frank	Odessa-Montour	'05
Cancro, George	Newfield	'82	Gennett, Lou	Vestal	'89
Capone, Dr. Peter	Johnson City	'13	George, John	Newark Valley	'84
Carey, Thomas J.	Endicott	'99	George, Mike	Elmira Southside	'94
Carlin, Susan Greene	Greene/Maine-Endwell	'13	Geppert, Al	Thomas Edison/Waverly	'98
Case, Bill	Greene	'10	Goldberg, Ken	Susquehanna Valley	'09
Childs, Jo Michael	STFHOA	'06	Grasso, Pasquale	Laurens	'99
Chrisman, Daniel	Norwich	'95	Green, Gerald	Unatego	'86
Cicchetti, Arthur	Ithaca	'95	Green, Kelsey F.	Chenango Forks	'14
Ciliberti, Allen	Schenevus	'85	Green, Thomas	Maine-Endwell	'06
Cleary, Michael Anthony	Johnson City	'13	Greenburg, Mickey	Vestal	'12
Clement, Ray	Morris	'76	Gronwall, Marty	Edmeston	'03
Cobb, Harold "Ty"	Union-Endicott	'74	Grotke, Ronald W.	Binghamton	'00
Coddington, Tom	<i>Walton Reporter</i>	'17	Gulbin, Richard	Johnson City	'97
Codispoti, Andrew	Waverly	'74	Guidus, Thomas	Elmira Heights	'82
Collins, Jack F.	Windsor	'03	Guinther, Dean	Windsor	'94
Conover, Janet K.	Afton	'10	Gushue, Jack	Horseheads	'00
Conway, Bob, Jr.	B-G/Mount Upton	'15	Haggerty, James	Tioga	'97
Cook, John	Delaware/Otsego, OBOWBO	'19	Halloran, Jack	Whitney Point	'95
Cook, Wendell	Franklin	'88	Harrigan, Marty	Elmira Free Academy	'86
Corgel, Thomas	Binghamton	'98	Heck, Adam	Lansing	'18
Crane, Fred "Tubby"	Afton	'74	Herrick, George F.	Vestal	'98
Cronkhite, James	Spencer-Van Etten	'02	Hirst, Art	Elmira	'75
Crosby, Melvin	Delaware-Otsego, Schohanna	'04	Horton, Cheryl	Candor	'20
Culligan, Donald	Ithaca	'81	Hotaling, Hank	Jefferson	'00
D'Aloisio, Michael "Mike"	Elmira Notre Dame	'12	Hoover, Dick	Vestal	'79
D'Orsogna, Dr. Edward	Binghamton	'85	Hoover, James	Walton	'09
Davie, Gregory "Greg"	WCDO (Sidney Radio)	'13	Howland, Charles	Binghamton North	'81
DeCastro, Milo	Chenango Valley	'85	Hubbard, Phil	Owego	'86
Decker, Noreen	Schenevus	'04	Hughes, Gordon	Gilbertsville	'81
Decosse, Ron	Chenango Forks	'98	Hunt, Harold	Oneonta	'75
Deinhardt, Steven G.	Binghamton	'06	Hurley, Daniel R.	Elmira Notre Dame	'07
Deuel, George	Seton Catholic	'89	Hyde, Peter P.	Maine-Endwell	'03
DeVore, Roland	Union Springs	'94	Hynes, Cynthia	Candor	'18
Deyo, Bud	Binghamton Central	'83	James, Dick	Binghamton Umpires	'08
Diller, Henry	Johnson City	'84	Johns, Lloyd	Andes	'79
DiNunzio, Nicholas	Union-Endicott	'87	Johnson, Frank	New Berlin	'18
Dixon, Thomas	New Berlin	'09	Johnson, Jim	Gilbertsville/GMU	'20

Jones, John D. "Jack"	Section IV	'01	Pluta, John	Norwich/Harpursville	'17
Keenan, Jim	Horseheads	'08	Ponti, Primo	Binghamton Officials Board	'04
Kelly, David R.	Delaware Academy & CS	'09	Popp, Robert	Walton	'80
Ketcham, Uadajane	Trumansburg	'04	Porter, Harold	Ithaca	'90
Kintner, Kenneth	Johnson City	'76	Pratt, Gary	Deposit	'08
Klumpp, Merritt	Windsor	'76	Preston, Raymond G., Jr.	Charlotte Valley	'09
Koenig, Carl	Section IV	'14	Quinney, Douglas	Sidney	'02
Kovalchik, Don	Norwich	'16	Raftis, James, Sr.	Owego	'99
Kozak, Marjorie "Marge"	Deposit	'02	Randall, Rol	<i>Cortland Standard</i>	'93
Lalley, Ernie J.	Binghamton North	'85	Rarrick, Ralph	Maine-Endwell	'02
LaMoreaux, Kathleen	Watkins Glen	'04	Redmond, Ed	Lansing	'16
Leahy, Steve	Unatego	'05	Redmond, Francis	Sidney	'80
Lemak, Joe	Watkins Glen	'93	Reed, Richard	South Kortright	'90
Ligeikis, David	Seton Catholic	'11	Regni, Geno	Binghamton Boards	'01
Limoncelli, J. William	Elmira	'12	Reilly, Michael	Marathon	'06
Lobb, Willard	Vestal	'91	Remy, Anton, Jr.	Milford	'93
Lobdell, Douglas	Deposit	'00	Reutlinger, John	Binghamton North	'85
Long, W. "Shorty"	Oneonta	'77	Reynolds, Debbie	Vestal	'04
Lull, Howard	Edmeston	'92	Riddell, Neil	D/O & Schohanna Officials	'10
MacDonald, Gerry	Marathon	'78	Rinker, Duane	Maine-Endwell	'12
Mackey, Gerald, Sr.	Whitney Point	'20	Robertson, Thomas	Sidney	'95
Mackin, James	Official	'06	Robinson, Robert J.	Candor	'96
MacNeill, Robert	Walton	'89	Roney, George T.	Binghamton	'00
Mallanda, Alan A.	Corning	'11	Ross, Richard	Groton	'80
Mallette, Al	<i>Elmira Star-Gazette</i>	'86	Runyan, James	Elmira	'94
Mallette, Glendon	Elmira	'95	Russ, Richard	Chenango Forks	'07
Marean, R. Allen "Al"	Section IV	'15	Ryder, Jim	Tioga	'07
Marshall, Ernestine	Union-Endicott	'98	Sammon, Dave	Vestal	'93
Martin, Joan	Morris	'03	Sanders, Charles	Stamford	'83
Maxian, Michael "Mike"	Maine-Endwell	'02	Sandford, Helen	Oneonta	'05
McCloe, James	Waverly	'09	Saunders, Geraldine	Edmeston	'02
McDaniel, Robert	Chenango Valley	'88	Scarry, Robert	Moravia	'84
McGoff, Kevin	Official Boards, STAC	'05	Schaeffer, Lee	Unatego	'17
McGranaghan, Joan	Walton	'86	Seiler, George	New Berlin	'09
McKedy, John W.	Seton Catholic	'20	Seither, Fred	Horseheads	'09
Miller, Michael	Union-Endicott	'04	Shafer, Ross	Cortland	'82
Moiseichek, John	Cortland	'84	Shalkey, Edward	Delhi	'79
Moresco, Joseph, Jr.	Ithaca	'88	Sharpsteen, Art	Binghamton Central/CV	'82
Moriarity, Tom	Unatego, Oneonta & Morris	'10	Sherwood, Tom	Stamford	'17
Morrissey, Thomas	Owego	'00	Skidmore, Thomas	Horseheads	'91
Morrison, Mary	Sidney	'12	Smith, Andrew	Union Springs	'85
Mott, William	Windsor	'94	Smith, Donald B.	Dryden	'90
Munley, Paul	Johnson City	'00	Smith, Gary	Groton	'06
Murphy, Patti	Seton Catholic/Section IV	'15	Smith, Walt	Hancock	'16
Myers, Roger	Odessa-Montour	'01	Sobus, Stanley	Lansing	'78
Nash, Dr. Donald "Doc"	Chenango Forks	'16	Somerville, Wes	Trumansburg	'99
Nelson, Ben	Section IV	'04	Sorochinsky, Frank C., Jr.	Newark Valley/U-E	'98
Nissen, Harry	South Kortright	'09	Spenard, Kenneth	Chenango Forks	'87
Northrop, Al	Elmira Heights	'74	Stank, Richard T.	Susquehanna Valley	'02
O'Connell, Michael	Windsor	'07	Stephens, Beatrice	Elmira Southside	'89
O'Connell, Ronald	Deposit	'98	Stevens, Kevin P.	<i>Press &amp; Sun-Bulletin</i>	'08
O'Donnell, Gerald	Windsor	'03	Stock, Sidney T.	Vestal	'92
O'Donnell, Jamie	Official	'20	Szwec, Norman	Candor	'20
O'Neill, Tom	Walton	'83	Tarricone, Charles	Union-Endicott	'94
O'Reilly, Gordy	Binghamton North	'83	Tasior, Ron	Edmeston	'08
Palen, Pete	Margaretville	'06	Tatascore, Joseph	Ithaca	'75
Palmer, Teresa	Moravia	'12	Taylor, Gerald	Chenango Forks	'18
Paltrowitz, Lou	Elmira	'93	Tei, Andrew	Truxton	'79
Parker, B. J.	Moravia	'90	Terenzi, Len	Binghamton	'93
Parkhurst, C. B.	Union-Endicott	'77	Tidick, Michele	Johnson City/Vestal	'08
Pavlovich, Steve	Endicott	'99	Turco, Orlando	Ithaca	'90
Peckally, Anthony	Elmira City Schools	'90	Vail, Gary	Windsor	'05
Pendlebury, John	Vestal	'80	Van Sickle, Kenneth	<i>The Ithaca Journal</i>	'85
Perkins, Stephen	Maine-Endwell	'06	Walsh, Maggie	STFHOA	'05
Perkins, Richard	Chenango Forks	'07	Walshe, Charles	Charlotte Valley	'90
Pierce, Eddie	Ithaca	'83	Ward, W. Jeffrey	Newark Valley	'07

Watson, Michael	Waverly	'05
Weckel, William	Chenango Valley	'84
Welch, Frank B.	Ithaca	'20
Whipple, David R. "Ron"	Charlotte Valley	'11
White, Leslie	Whitney Point	'03
Wickham, Dan	Unatego	'04
Wilson, Douglas	Elmira Area	'96
Wilson, Lura	Greene	'78
Wipfler, William	Elmira	'78
Woitach, Mark	Section IV	'14
Wurtenberg, Robert	Union-Endicott	'80
Zawatsky, John	Hancock	'01
Zeh, Robert	Oneonta	'99



*Other Members (Modified level only)*

*Elizabeth A. Clune Montessori School, Ithaca 14850*

*Immaculate Conception School, Ithaca 14850*

*Covenant Love Community School, Freeville 13068*

<b>FRIEND AND NEIGHBOR.....</b>	<b>EXPIRATION DATE</b>
<i>Twin Tiers Christian Academy (7-12), 640 Main St, Breesport 14816.....</i>	<i>8/22</i>

**APPEALS COMMITTEE**

Carl Koenig	Hearing Officer	607-244-8432
Wayne Aman	Executive Board	
Bill Dorritie	Executive Board	
Patti Murphy	Executive Board	
Chris Durdon	Executive Board	
Bill Bryant	Executive Board	
Samantha Little	Executive Board	
Jamie Harter	Executive Board	
Terry Heller	Executive Board	
Mike Andrew	Executive Board	
Terry Dougherty	Executive Board	

The responsibility of this committee is to hear appeals as stated in the appeal procedure and outlined in the NYSPHSAA Inc. handbook under appeals. This committee is acting on behalf of the Section IV Athletic Council.

**Procedure for Appeals**

1. Schools request an appeal after a Section IV Committee makes a decision pertaining to the written entreaty – schools must pay \$500.00 to commence the process of an appeal and if they win the decision the money is returned. The School appealing will also be responsible for ½ of Section IV Legal fees associated with the appeal.
2. Appeal is set up and the Executive Committee is asked to hear the case – the appellant is given an opportunity to present their evidence related to the case then Section IV is provided the chance to summarize their findings associated with the particular case. Each side is allowed a final summation and the committee deliberates and ascertains a decision which is given to the appellant in a timely matter.
3. A special effort is taken to provide a “fair and impartial” hearing in regards to the due process procedure. The appellant and the Section are entitled to legal representation at the proceedings. Furthermore, if an appeal is denied the appellant is notified what legal recourse they have and the time parameters involved.

**AWARDS COMMITTEE**

Bill Bryant	Chairperson	607-561-2347(W)	607-592-0220(C)
TBA	Treasurer		
Todd James	IAC		
Mark Triolo	IAC (Alt.)		
Matt Haffle	MAC		
Matt Mastropietro	MAC (Alt.)		
Chris Klumpp	STAC		
Brad Tomm	STAC (Alt.)		
Bill Dorritie	Tri-Valley League		
Chris Saggese	Tri-Valley League (Alt.)		

The Awards Committee will be responsible for reviewing procedures involving the ordering, awarding and distribution of all Section IV Championship awards.

**CHAMPIONSHIP PHILOSOPHY COMMITTEE**

Eric Race	Chairman
Mike Andrew	Executive Board
Jamie Harter	Delaware League
Cathy Haight	IAC League
Jeff Ferrara	MAC League
Tom Morrell	STAC League
Bill Dorritie	Tri-Valley League

**CLASSIFICATION COMMITTEE**

Mike Andrew	Chairman
Bill Bryant	Executive Board
Ray Preston	Delaware League
Rick Cammer	Delaware (Alt.)
Cathy Haight	IAC
Todd Salls	IAC (Alt.)
David Kelly	MAC
Jeff Ferrara	MAC (Alt.)
Josh Gannon	STAC
Dave Cook	STAC (Alt.)
Ron Tasior	Tri-Valley League
Chris Saggese	Tri-Valley League (Alt.)
TBA	At- Large
Dean Veenhoff	At-Large

The Classification Committee will deal with any concerns and/or problems that arise relative to classification. The Classification Policy for Public Schools and the Criteria for Non-Public Schools is located on the Section IV Website, [www.sectionivathletics.com](http://www.sectionivathletics.com)

**ETHICS COMMITTEE**

Patti Murphy	Chairperson	607-221-1536
Bill Bryant	Executive Board	
Rick Cammer	Delaware League	
Jeremy Marks	Delaware League (Alt.)	
Murphee Hayes	IAC	
Todd James	IAC (Alt)	
Josh Quick	MAC	
Matt Mastropietro	MAC (Alt.)	
Jeff Paske	STAC	
Rich Turnbull	STAC (Alt)	
Bill Dorritie	Tri-Valley League	
Ken Whiteman	Tri-Valley League (Alt)	
Rebecca Saggiomo	At-Large	

This committee will set up criteria for ethical practices on the part of all participants in the athletic programs of Section IV. They will also be responsible for the effective use of such practices. They will hear violations and set penalties as warranted.

Rescheduling games due to weather conditions, we are all aware of how difficult the weather can affect contests being played and making up contests. It is imperative that we all follow the rules the leagues have set to make up these games which state that they should be rescheduled at the next open date with league games taking precedent over non-league.

It is the athletic directors' responsibility to uphold the integrity of the schedule by following the rules. League or sectional playoffs should not be taken into consideration.

Athletics is all about education and teachable moments. Dealing with both winning and losing is one of these. Teaching life lessons as well as integrity can be difficult, but can prepare our athletes for the future.

In addition to such powers as may hereafter be conferred, the Ethics Committee of Section IV (or a sub-committee thereof) shall have general authority to hear and adjudicate complaints or grievances of an ethical nature involving any persons or organizations functioning directly or indirectly under the jurisdiction of Section IV.

Any person or organization charged herein (hereinafter sometimes referenced as "respondent") with an ethical violation which is not already dealt with under existing specific policies of Section IV, such as the Misconduct Policy or the Camps and Recreation Programs, shall be entitled to written notice of the specific complaint filed with respect to such respondent and shall be entitled to an opportunity to be heard after reasonable notice in writing of the charge by a sub-committee comprised of the Executive Director and two members of the Ethics Committee, each of whom shall be a voting member. Such sub-committee shall be empowered to determine the validity of the grievance and, in the event it is found to be valid, take appropriate action on behalf of the Section. Such action may involve a full range of sanctions including, but not limited to, suspension from participation in future contests and/or forfeiture of contests already completed.

Any determination made by such sub-committee may be appealed to the Athletic Council, where a sub-committee comprised of the President and any two additional members of the Council that he or she may select will review the matter. Such sub-committee may review the matter strictly on written submissions or may, in its sole discretion, afford the individuals, or attorneys or advisors representing such individuals, an opportunity to orally argue the appellant's position.

The determination of the sub-committee of the Ethics Committee shall be final unless an appeal is taken to the Athletic Council. If such an appeal is taken, then the determination of the sub-committee of the Athletic Council shall be final.

Schools must pay \$500.00 to commence the process of an appeal and if they win the decision the money is returned. The School appealing will also be responsible for ½ of Section IV Legal fees associated with the appeal.

As noted above, the Ethics Committee will also have any authority granted to it under separate and specific resolutions of the Athletic Council including, but not limited to, the Misconduct Policy and Camps and Recreation Programs. Those policies which set forth the rights and procedures pertaining to matters which they address shall be unaffected by any specific rights and procedures set forth above.

**EXTENDED ELIGIBILITY COMMITTEE**

Jeff Paske	Chairman
Bill Bryant	Section IV ISC
Rick Camer	Delaware League
Joel Middleton	Delaware League (Alt.)
Cathy Haight	IAC
Todd Salls	IAC (Alt.)
Matt Hafele	MAC
Tim Davis	MAC (Alt.)
Dave Cook	STAC
Josh Gannon	STAC (Alt.)
Bill Dorritie	Tri-Valley League
Greg Bonczkowski	Tri-Valley League (Alt.)

Duration of Competition page 32-33 of the NYSPHSAA, Inc. Handbook addresses Extended Eligibility.

Section IV has established an Extended Eligibility Committee to review all cases of eligibility and render decisions accordingly.

Voting membership - Chairperson and League Representatives. However, a member will not vote on cases related to schools or personnel from their respective Leagues. Chairperson only votes if there is a tie.

All members will attend official meetings.

Appeal Procedure page 28-23 of the NYSPHSAA, Inc. Handbook addresses the procedures to follow regarding an appeal.

**FINANCE COMMITTEE**

Bill Bryant	Chairman	607-561-2347(W)	607-592-0220(C)
TBA	Treasurer		
Jeff Baier	Delaware League		
Rick Cammer	Delaware League (Alt.)		
Todd James	IAC		
Cindi Ford	IAC (Alt.)		
Terry Raymond	MAC		
Jeff Ferrara	MAC (Alt.)		
Eric Race	STAC		
Dave Hogan	STAC (Alt.)		
Bill Dorritie	Tri-Valley League		

This committee will meet at least once a year to discuss the financial status of Section IV. The meeting should occur prior to the June Athletic Council meeting.

They will explore avenues for improving the financial conditions of the Section. Their recommendations will be forwarded to the Executive Board.



**HALL OF FAME COMMITTEE**

Nancy Bromley	Chairperson	607-656-4981
Bill Bryant	Executive Board	
Ron Whipple	Delaware League	
Terry Palmer	IAC	
Roger Brown	MAC	
Chris Klumpp	STAC	
Jerry Mackey	STAC (Alt)	
Bill Dorritie	Tri-Valley League	
Darryl Beers	Tri-Valley League (Alt.)	
John Fox	At Large	
Gary Vail	At Large	
Rich Gublin	At Large	
Margaret Tremblay	At Large	
Cheryl Horton	At Large	
Patti Murphy	At Large	
Thomas Corgel	At Large	
Carl Koenig	At Large	
Mike Johnston	At Large	
Mike Andrew	At Large	
Tom Rowe	Media	
Nate Lull	Media	

Hall of Fame is found in another section of the Section IV handbook. Please refer to it for details. Hall of Fame Nomination Forms available on the Section IV Website [www.sectionivathletics.com](http://www.sectionivathletics.com).

**HANDBOOK COMMITTEE**

Patti Murphy	Chairman	
Brittany Golden	Delaware League	
Cheryl Butler	Delaware League (Alt.)	
Rod Weeden	IAC	
Mark Triolo	IAC (Alt)	
Tim Davis	MAC	
Matt Osborne	MAC (Alt.)	
Jeff Paske	STAC	
Ed Swartwout	STAC (Alt.)	
Steve WEst	Tri-Valley League	
Ken Whiteman	Tri-Valley League (Alt.)	
Carol Rog	At Large	

The Handbook Committee meets, when requested, to review the Section IV handbook and make recommendations to the Section IV Athletic Council.

### **MERGERS COMMITTEE**

Bill Bryant	Chairperson	607-561-2347(W)	607-592-0220 (C)
Jim Adair	Delaware League		
Bob VanValkenburgh	Delaware League (Alt.)		
Todd Salls	IAC		
Murphee Hayes	IAC (Alt.)		
Matt Hafele	MAC		
Cindy Bostleman	MAC (Alt.)		
Ryan Hallenbeck	STAC		
Bill Pierce	STAC (Alt.)		
Steve West	Tri-Valley League		
Greg Bonczkowski	Tri-Valley League (Alt.)		

All completed applications must be submitted to Section IV Office after all signatures are secured. Applications will be reviewed for completeness and accuracy. Approval or denial will come from the Committee Chair. Action taken will be presented to the Athletic Council for information only. The Section IV Executive Director will notify the NYSPHSAA, Inc. Executive Director.

All applications are good for one (1) year only.

Mergers must be in conformity with the rules and regulations as set down by the NYSPHSAA Combining of Teams (pg. )

Applications are due in accordance with the timelines established:

Football	January 30
Fall Sports	August 30, 2021
Winter Sports	November 22, 2021
Spring Sports	March 21, 2022

"Under extenuating circumstances, a waiver for the deadline date may be requested by the schools involved. A waiver will be granted ONLY for unforeseen situations and emergencies. The request will be voted by members of the Section IV Merger Committee. Merger Application can be found on the Section IV Website, [www.sectionivathletics.com](http://www.sectionivathletics.com)

### **MIXED COMPETITION COMMITTEE**

Dave Garbarino	Chairperson
Ray Preston	Delaware League
Rick Cammer	Delaware League (Alt.)
Murphee Hayes	IAC
Caitlin Wasielewski	IAC (Alt.)
Ann Meesenger	MAC
Matt Hafele	MAC (Alt.)
Dave Cook	STAC
	STAC (Alt.)
Jim Kenyon	Tri-Valley League
Chris Smith	Tri-Valley League (Alt.)

Section IV follows the guidelines set by the Commissioner of Education and adheres to the NYSPHSAA Mixed Competition Rules and Regulations found page 37-38 in the NYSPHSAA Handbook. Section IV Mixed Competition policy and forms can be found on the Section IV Website, [www.mcweenej@dcmoboces.com](mailto:www.mcweenej@dcmoboces.com)

### **MODIFIED COMMITTEE**

Joe Alger	Chair - Boys
Rebecca Gentile	Chair - Girls
Brad Tomm	STAC
Chris Klumpp	STAC (Alt.)
Tim Davis	MAC
TBA	MAC (Alt.)
Murphee Hayes	IAC
Mike Bennett	IAC (Alt.)
Ken Whiteman	Tri-Valley League
Jen Pier	Tri-Valley League (Alt.)

The Modified Committee will be responsible for dealing with issues related to modified athletic programs.

### **OFFICIAL COORDINATING COMMITTEE**

(See pages 34 and 35 for committee members)

### **SAFETY COMMITTEE**

Bill Dorritie	Chairman	607-432-2050(S)
Jim Adair	Delaware League	
Cheryl Butler	Delaware League (Alt.)	
Cathy Haight	IAC	
Murphee Hayes	IAC (Alt.)	
Tim Davis	MAC	
Cindy Bostleman	MAC (Alt.)	
David Hogan	STAC	
Samantha Little	STAC (Alt.)	
TBA	Tri-Valley (Alt.)	

The Safety Chairperson will be responsible for setting dates and approving all Mandated Sports Medicine Clinics in meeting the Section IV mandate.

### **SPORTSMANSHIP COMMITTEE**

Patti Murphy	Chairperson	607-221-1536
Jeff Baier	Delaware League	
Jeremy Marks	Delaware League (Alt.)	
Jeff Augustine	IAC	
Rich McIntosh	IAC (Alt.)	
Matt Mastropietro	MAC	
Kevin Hores	MAC (Alt.)	
Ryan Hallenbeck	STAC	
Ed Swartwout	STAC (Alt.)	
Terry Havens	Tri-Valley League	
TJ Hoose	Tri-Valley League (Alt.)	
Rebecca Gentile	At-Large	
TBA	Officials Liason	

The Sportsmanship committee will be responsible for the promotion or educational awareness that supports appropriate behavior and positive sportsmanship initiatives.

Schools must pay \$500.00 to commence the process of an appeal and if they win the decision the money is returned. The School appealing will also be responsible for ½ of Section IV Legal fees associated with the appeal. Decisions by the Sportsmanship Committee for all appeals of Misconduct Ejections will be final.

### **STRATEGIC PLAN COMMITTEE**

Fianance:		
Kevin McGoff	Chairperson	607-427-2700
Jeff Baier	Delaware League	
Mark Triolo	IAC	
Jeff Ferrara	MAC	
Dave Cook	STAC	
TBA	Tri-Valley League	

Handbook:		
Patti Murphy	Chairperson	607-221-1536
Jim Adair	Delaware League	
Scott Wandell	IAC	
Matt Mastropietro	MAC	
Dave Cook	STAC	
TBA	Tri-Valley League	

Athletic Participation:		
Terry Raymond	Chairperson	607-222-7551
Dan McGlynn	Delaware League	
Jeff Augustine	IAC	
Josh Quick	MAC	
Jeff Paske	STAC	
TBA	Tri-Valley League	

**STUDENT ATHLETE DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE**

Patti Murphy	Co-Chairperson 607-221-1536
Tracy Reither	Delaware League
Tom Faraci	Delaware League (Alt.)
Mike Bennett	IAC
Murphee Hayes	IAC (Alt.)
Jeff Ferrara	MAC
Matt Hafele	MAC (Alt.)
Samantha Little	STAC
Chris Sinicki	STAC (Alt.)
Terry Havens	Tri-Valley League
TJ Hoose	Tri-Valley League (Alt.)

This committee is charged with establishing effective ways for better educating students, parents and coaches on the harmful effects of using abusive chemicals. This can begin with programs that will use positive methods toward those ends.

**SUPERINTENDENT ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

Eric Knolles	Chairperson
John Evans	Delaware League
Mike Gill	IAC League
Mike MacDonald	MAC League
Hiliary Austin	STAC League
TheriJo Climenhaga	Tri-Valley League

The charge of the Section IV Superintendents ADVISORY Committee is to review all Section IV Meeting Agenda's and Proposals and overall Section IV Policies and Procedures, and to make recommendations from a Superintendent's perspective to be presented at each League meeting, Section IV Executive Board meeting and Section IV Athletic Council meeting.

**TRANSFER COMMITTEE**

Terry Heller	Chairperson
Bill Bryant	Executive Board
Bob VanValkenburgh	Delaware League
Jeff Baier	Delaware (Alternate)
Cathy Haight	IAC
Will Cook	IAC (Alternate)
Dave Kelly	MAC
TBA	MAC (Alternate)
Tom Morrell	STAC
David Hogan	STAC (Alternate)
Bill Dorritte	Tri-Valley
Greg Bonzcowski	Tri-Valley (Alternate)
John Allen	At Large
Eric Race	At-Large

The Committee will hear appeals regarding protests against Transfers when properly submitted in writing. We adhere to NYSPHSAA Transfer Rule found in the NYSPHSAA Handbook page 49-51, Eligibility Standard #31. The Transfer Procedure/Form can be found on Section IV Website [www.sectionivathletics.com](http://www.sectionivathletics.com). In case of questions you may consult the Section IV Executive Director.

Because Section IV believes that the purpose of interscholastic athletics is to help promote sportsmanship and also believes that coaches, athletes and officials should be setting examples by their behavior, it is recommended that the following policy be implemented:

### MISCONDUCT POLICY

Any coaches or players should refrain from unsportsmanlike conduct. Any specific act of misconduct of the kind described herein by any coach or player from the modified level through the varsity level in any sport shall result in action by the Section as set forth below.

#### COACHES AND PLAYERS:

Any school whose coach or player is ejected from an interscholastic competition for having used profanity, engaged in unsportsmanlike conduct, or who physically assaults an official shall be sanctioned for such conduct on the part of such coach or player in the following manner:

#### Disqualification for Use of Profanity or Unsportsmanlike Conduct

##### A. **COACH:**

1. Any coach excluded by a certified official from an interschool competition for unsportsmanlike conduct, including taunting, is ineligible to coach any interschool competition in that sport until after the next previously scheduled contest at the same level (e.g. junior varsity, varsity, etc.) has been completed. In individual sports a multi-day contest is considered to be a contest. Disqualification from one season carries over to the next season of participation. The coach may not be present at the game site nor communicate in any manner during the contest with any person present at the site. **NOTE:** "Not being physically present at the site" means the disqualified coach is not to be present in the locker room, on the sidelines, in the stands or site area before, during or after the game/meet. (see Taunting, p. 91, Next Previously Scheduled Contest, p. 90) Any coach that does not serve the penalty for violating the Sportsmanship Standard will be ineligible to participate in the next two regularly scheduled contests. If the coach continues to not serve the penalty, the matter will be referred to the Section for further action. If the coach is involved in the NYSPHSAA play-offs, the matter will be referred to the Executive Director of the NYSPHSAA.

##### **Any coach:**

1. Who receives a disqualification penalty in a sport shall not participate in the next regularly scheduled contest;
  2. Who receives a second disqualification penalty in the same sport in the same season shall not participate in the next two regularly scheduled contests; and
  3. Who receives a third disqualification penalty in the same sport in the same season will not be allowed to participate for the rest of the season. If the disqualification penalty takes place in the last contest of the season (regular season or post schedule play), the Section Athletic Council will assess the penalty carrying over into the next season of participation.
2. A coach who strikes, shoves, kicks or makes other physical contact with the intent to annoy, harass or intimidate another person (e.g. official, another coach, player, fan) shall be expelled immediately and banned from further participation or coaching in all sports for a period of time to be determined by the section not to exceed one year from the date of the offense.

##### B. **PLAYER:**

1. Any member of a squad disqualified by a sport official for unsportsmanlike conduct, including taunting, or for a flagrant foul shall not participate in that sport in the next previously scheduled contest with a member school or in NYSPHSAA tournament play. In individual sports a multi-day contest is considered to be a contest. The contest in which the athlete was disqualified must count in the total maximum number of contests permitted. Disqualifications from one season carry over to the next season of participation. (see Taunting, p. 91, Next Previously Scheduled Contest, p. 90)

##### **Any player:**

1. Who receives a disqualification penalty in a sport shall not participate in the next regularly scheduled contest;
2. Who receives a second disqualification penalty in the same sport in the same season shall not participate in the next two regularly scheduled contests; and

3. Who receives a third disqualification penalty in the same sport in the same season will not be allowed to participate for the rest of the season. If the third ejection takes place in the last contest of the season (regular season or post schedule play), the Section Athletic Council will assess the penalty carrying over into the next season of participation.
2. Any member of the squad who strikes, shoves, kicks or makes other physical contact with the intent to annoy, harass or intimidate an official shall be expelled from the game immediately and banned from further participation in all sports for a period of time to be determined by the section not to exceed one year from the date of the offense. NOTE: Member of the squad includes player, manager, score keepers, timers, and statisticians.

C. **OFFICIAL:**

1. Unprofessional conduct on the part of the official such as, but not limited to, taunting, baiting, use of profanity, shall be reported by a school administrator from the aggrieved school to the section executive director. A request will be made to the appropriate sport officials chapter to investigate the incidence and to report their action to the section in a timely manner

General Rules:

Any player or coach cited for misconduct which occurs before or after the contest is played, and if found guilty, shall subject the school to the same penalties as if the offense occurred during the game. Events occurring away from the site of the contest shall not be handled under this policy, but may be reviewed by the Ethics Committee under its general authority.

Although multiple acts may be cited as evidence of the offense, for purposes of the sanctions set forth above, no more than one offense shall be deemed to have occurred in any one game, except that if a coach or player is ejected from a contest by an official for unsportsmanlike conduct or the use of profanity, any continuation of such unsportsmanlike conduct or profanity following ejection may be cited as an additional offense.

**DEFINITIONS**

Player - Any student athlete participating in an interscholastic sport at any level from modified to varsity.

If a player has been accepted for an Individualized Education Program prior to the time of the offense, and the hearing panel determines that the offense arose out of the particular condition which rendered the student eligible for an Individualized Education Program, such player shall not be deemed to have committed an offense and neither the student nor the school shall be penalized under these rules.

Coach - Any person serving in the role of coach including, but not limited to, assistant or associate coaches, J.V. coaches, or other persons performing in a role commonly deemed to be that of a coach, regardless of the name or title afforded to such person and regardless of whether they perform at a modified, freshman, junior varsity or varsity level. The fact that a coach is not functioning in an official capacity at the time of the offense shall not exempt a school from the sanctions contained herein.

Participate - Participate shall be defined for purposes of this policy as being present on the school grounds of the school where the contest is being held.

Profanity - Profanity for purposes of this policy shall be defined as the use of language commonly considered to be swear words and/or obscenities including, but not limited to, any words or phrases generally regarded by officials as meriting ejection, regardless of the tone of the utterance or the context in which the language is used. A list of typical words and phrases which is not intended to be all inclusive but is illustrative of profanity has been placed with the Executive Director. Any coach who has any concern or doubt about the words or phrases deemed to constitute profanity should contact the Executive Director for clarification.

Assault - The actual physical contact of an official by a player or coach where such contact occurs with intent.

Unsportsmanlike Conduct - Any misconduct or unprofessional behavior generally deemed to violate accepted norms of sportsmanship for coaches or players which would ordinarily justify ejection from a game or event and/or which in this instance did result in such ejection.

Technical Offense - An incident which might arguably be deemed unsportsmanlike, but which occurs as part of the normal flow of the game or contest (e.g. illegal hold in wrestling, illegal tackle or block in football, running into a catcher), even though it may result in ejection, will not be deemed unsportsmanlike conduct unless it is flagrant and is deemed to have been committed with intent to injure.

Calendar Days - Calendar days as used in this policy for the purpose of calculating certain notice periods shall not include Saturdays,

Sundays or State Holidays.

## **PROCEDURES**

Any ejection occurring during the course of a game shall be presumed to be based upon misconduct or assault unless one or more of the officials involved in the game or both athletic directors certify to Section IV that the ejection was not based on such grounds.

Within twenty-four hours of the contest in question it shall be the duty of the official to provide by phone call, fax or email a report of the misconduct. Within two calendar days of the contest in question, it shall be the duty of the athletic director for the school district in which the coach is employed or the player attends to report said incident to the Executive Director of Section IV.

Failure to provide a report by the official within the above stated time frames may render an official ineligible to work post-season games.

Failure to report such incident by the athletic director shall not serve as a defense for the school, coach, or player in question. Placing a report in the mail, e-mail or faxing the same by the athletic director to the Executive Director within the two day period shall be timely.

Any other coach, athletic director, building principal or other appropriate school official may report such misconduct or assault of which they are aware, even if no ejection has occurred, and such reports shall be deemed to have the same force and effect as an ejection by an official.

Although only one signature is needed on the misconduct reporting form, any party submitting such form may at his or her election include the signature of other game officials or school representatives who can attest to the facts evidencing the misconduct.

Where a player or coach is ejected from a game or he or she is reported to the Section as having been guilty of misconduct or assault by a school official, the Section shall forward to the coach or player notification that he or she has been reported as having been guilty of a particular offense. Such determination shall become final unless within two (2) calendar days of receipt of the notification, the player or coach or the school with which they are affiliated forwards by Certified Mail (Return Receipt Requested) to the Executive Director a request for review.

If any player or coach fails to fulfill a sanction imposed under misconduct policy, that player or coach shall be ineligible to participate until such sanction has been fulfilled. Any game in which an ineligible player or coach participates shall be forfeited.

Any school whose player or coach is charged with misconduct or assault, and/or the player or coach themselves, shall be entitled to a review of the charge by the Executive Director of the Section. The Executive Director will review any written materials submitted and, where available, any video or audio tapes of the events in question, and shall determine whether the citation should be sustained or dismissed. The determination of the Executive Director shall become final unless he/she grants further leave to appeal to a three member panel of the Sportsmanship Committee or within two days of receipt of notification of the decision of the Executive Director, the school with which the player or coach is affiliated forwards to the Executive Director by hand delivery or certified mail (return receipt requested) a request for a hearing by a three member panel of the Sportsmanship Committee. Every request for a hearing must be accompanied by a check from the school district in the sum of \$500.00 payable to Section IV, which deposit will be returned in the event the decision of the official is modified or revised. The hearing shall be held as soon as practicable.

In any matter where the Executive Director is required to recuse himself/herself, any member of the Sportsmanship Committee may be designated to fulfill the roll of the Executive Director under this policy. Any such member of the Sportsmanship Committee serving in the place of the Executive Director would be ineligible to serve as one of the three members of the hearing committee should a further appeal in such matter be taken.

Requests for review and/or hearings relating to an official's judgment of the facts will be permitted, but such determinations will only be reversed if the evidence of misjudgment on the part of the official is clear and convincing.

In appointing the members of any such hearing panel, the Chairman or Executive Director shall consider both the availability of committee members and any potential conflicts of interest which might exist relating to the issue, the teams and/or the personalities involved. Where a request for a hearing is made, the hearing panel shall meet within ten days of receipt of the request for such hearing. They shall render a decision within one week of the closure of the record with respect to such hearing.

In the event that the hearing panel reaches a determination which is favorable to the school, coach and/or player, the matter shall be stricken from the record and shall not be treated as an offense.

If the hearing panel determines that the coach or player was guilty of misconduct or assault, then the offense shall remain a part of that person's record and the penalties prescribed herein shall be imposed.

The decision of the hearing panel shall be forwarded in writing to the player or coach and his or her school district, and shall become effective upon receipt by the school district.

Unless otherwise requested by the player or coach, any penalties to which the player or coach might otherwise be subjected shall be

stayed pending a determination by the Executive Director or the hearing panel.

In the event that the player or coach does not waive the automatic stay herein, the hearing panel shall determine whether or not the request for a hearing was frivolous or groundless. If the hearing panel determines that it was frivolous or groundless, then the school, player or coach may be subject to such other and additional penalties as the hearing panel deems appropriate including, but not limited to, the forfeiture of games previously played and/or extended bans on participation in games to be played in the future.

Any ejection of a player or coach occurring in a game or contest held outside of Section IV must be reported to the Executive Director of the Section by the athletic director of the school district of the coach or player ejected. Failure to file such report within two days after the team returns to the local area may subject the school to penalties.

Any school which is not a member of Section IV but which participates in a league based in Section IV shall be subject to the same rules and procedures described herein for any offenses occurring in a contest within said league. Any offenses by a player or coach of a school district outside of league competition shall be reported to an appropriate official of the Section wherein said school district is based for such action as that Section deems appropriate.

Notwithstanding any provision set forth herein, the Sportsmanship Committee of Section IV reserves the right to review either on its own initiative, or at the request of a parent, athlete, coach or school, the facts and circumstances involved in any incident and make such decision as the interests of fairness and justice require.

If any coach, athletic director or player needs clarification of any of the rules and policies set forth herein, the Executive Director of the Section will endeavor to respond to such inquiries. However, all inquiries must be set forth in writing.

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## **CODE OF ETHICS**

Interscholastic athletics are an inherent part of the total education program for students in the schools of Section IV. Our athletic programs will be properly organized, administered and conducted to provide opportunities for students to participate in athletic activities which promote growth and development, teach social and recreational skills, and develop leadership qualities. These values are more rapidly attained when the program is founded upon the highest standards and ethical practices.

### **STATEMENT OF PRINCIPLES**

Whereas Section IV was formed to allow member schools to cooperate together to promote all forms of athletics for the students of Section IV, it is imperative that each member school pledge to maintain a common bond of ethics so that all operations of the Section adhere to an ethical code for the good of the Section and all Section parties so attached.

### **RESPONSIBILITY OF MEMBER SCHOOLS**

Whereas membership in the Section commits each school to a common cause, it is of utmost importance that every member school supports the regulations of the Section, and if ever in disagreement, moves within the prescribed channels to adjust and revise such procedures as necessary for the betterment of the organization.

Rescheduling games due to weather conditions, we are all aware of how difficult the weather can affect contests being played and making up contests. It is imperative that we all follow the rules the leagues have set to make up these games which state that they should be rescheduled at the next open date with league games taking precedent over non-league.

It is the athletic directors' responsibility to uphold the integrity of the schedule by following the rules. League or sectional playoffs should not be taken into consideration.

Athletics is all about education and teachable moments. Dealing with both winning and losing is one of these. Teaching life lessons as well as integrity can be difficult, but can prepare our athletes for the future.

In addition, school personnel should air grievances through the proper Section channels rather than through a group e-mail, social media and news media. Any complaint which a school or any official connected with a school has concerning the Section, any of its' individual members, or parties related to or contracting with the Section should present their particular concern to the Ethics Committee of Section IV for consideration and, if possible, resolution. Purporting to act in one's individual capacity, as opposed to representing a school or district, will not relieve an individual of the obligation to observe this provision of the Code of Ethics.

Any communications regarding such grievances to the Ethics Committee should be confirmed by a written correspondence.

### **RESPONSIBILITY OF SECTION ADMINISTRATION**

Whereas the Constitution of the Section prescribes a method for election of officers, and designates a voting method, it is incumbent upon said officers to pledge their efforts within the framework of the Constitution, to follow the policies and procedures as outlined in the handbooks adopted by the Section, and to carry out their duties to the fullest so that the Section will have the leadership needed to reach the goals of the organization. They must fulfill their professional responsibilities with honesty and integrity, and uphold the honor of the profession in all relations with students, colleagues, coaches, administrators and the general public.

### **RESPONSIBILITY OF SPORTS COORDINATORS**

Whereas the actual involvement in Section activities is apt to fall heavy upon the Sports Coordinators, it is vital that these Coordinators provide opportunities for student participation, obtain competent site personnel, to meet state regulations, constantly be aware of the safety factor in all endeavors, foster training of students and spectators in conduct, game ethics and sportsmanship, and engender respect and the application of all local, Section, state and national rules and policies under which Section activities are conducted. Site personnel, in order to perform their duties, will need the cooperation of fans, players, coaches and administrators. It is the responsibility of site personnel to see that this is carried out properly.

### **RESPONSIBILITY OF COACHES**

Whereas opportunities are available for coaches to provide input towards Section regulations through League Sports Coordinators as well as Section Sports Coordinators, they are obligated to uphold the rules and regulations in the Constitution and the handbook for policies and regulations.

### **RESPONSIBILITY OF OFFICIALS**

Whereas schools have entrusted officials to assist them in the educational development of the youth through athletics, the proper operation of such process requires that officials be independent, impartial and responsible to people they serve. Every member of the officiating profession carries a responsibility to act in a manner becoming a professional person. The conduct of any official influences the attitude of the public towards the profession in general as well as towards the official in particular.

## CONCLUSION

Whereas all concerned must work together for the good of the Section, we must remember that an athletic contest is only a game - not a matter of life or death for player, coach, school, official, fan, community, state or nation.

## POLICIES

"Be it resolved that if there is a violation of the NYSPHSAA, Inc. and/or Section IV policies, (rules and regulations) the protest must be directed to the Section Executive Director, in writing, before an investigation will be initiated by the Ethics Committee. (Violations will be dealt with on an individual basis.) Sanctions will depend on the severity of the violation."

"Be it resolved that the poster be accepted by all Section IV schools and be displayed in all member schools at all times. It should be in an area where it can be seen by all spectators for spectator sports."

"Be it resolved that the following announcement be approved. It shall be read before each Sectional contest where there are spectators:  
Ladies and Gentlemen, we would like to welcome you to a Section IV Interscholastic contest between \_\_\_\_\_ and high schools.

We should recognize the purpose of athletics is to promote physical, mental, social and emotional well-being of individual players and their fans, and that this is a game between high school students, not professionals. We encourage that everyone in attendance display proper ideals of sportsmanship, ethical conduct and fair play.

Section IV rules include no alcohol beverages, noise makers, obscene language and throwing of objects.

Anyone not abiding by the rules set forth by the Section may be subject to immediate ejection from the premises.

Your help in following the rules will be greatly appreciated.

If you do your part as a spectator, we are sure that you and the players will have a worthwhile experience.

Thank you for your cooperation.

And now for tonight's/today's starting line-ups..... "

(It is recommended as a first preference that the President of Student Council or President of Honor Society read the announcement from the center of the court/field. Also, as second preference would be the captain or his/her alternate read it. It is further suggested that a representative from participating schools each read one half of it.)

"Be it resolved that the introductions of the players be staggered. Player A-1 go to the center of court/field. Player B-1 go to the center of court/field. They shake hands and each go to foul line or forty yard line, etc. Continue until all starters are introduced. Then the rest of the team members join their starters on the court/field. The Coaches then are introduced and shake hands on the sidelines."

"Be it resolved that spectator bus(es) must have supervisor(s). Supervisor(s), upon arrival, identifies himself(s)/herself(s) to host site chairperson to assist where needed and when asked to at that site. (Only at the request of the site chairperson as needed.) (Pins and/or arm bands will be made available to each school to identify the host chairperson.) Schools must call the site chairperson to inform him/her if they are sending a spectator bus(es) and who the supervisor(s) will be. They must call as soon as they have been made aware of where and when they are playing."

### **Sectional Entry Policy**

SEP#1 "Be it resolved that Section IV Entry Policy for Sectional Tournaments (State Qualifying Tournaments) shall be 40% win percentage for overall schedule or 50% win percentage for class schedule. Should only one school qualify in any class, the 2<sup>nd</sup> seeded team would have the option to play in the Sectional Final." (6/2012)  
Sports this policy effects: Fall – Soccer (B/G), Field Hockey & Girls Volleyball  
Winter – Basketball (B/G)  
Spring – Baseball, Softball and Lacrosse (B/G)

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**SPORT HANDBOOKS**

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