

REPORT OF THE BASKETBALL COMMITTEE

The following Committee members were in attendance:

<u>LEAGUE</u>	<u>GIRLS REP.</u>	<u>BOYS REP.</u>
BVAL – MHAL	ABSENT	ABSENT
BVAL – STAL	ABSENT	ABSENT
BVAL – WVAL	Angela Lyte-Crowther	Joe Mentillo
CAL	Jennifer Idleman	K.C. Adams
CPSAL	Jon Ratshin	ABSENT
MTAL	Ken Kline	Dan Powers
MBL	ABSENT	ABSENT
PAL – North	ABSENT	Nick Paras
PAL – Central	Steven Kryger	Jeff Dowd
PAL – South	Pam Wimberly	ABSENT
PSAL	Michie Sierra	Curtis Coffey
SCCAL	Patrick Jones	Charles Burks
SCVAL – DAL	Joanna Harris	Peter Diepenbrock
SCVAL – ECAL	ABSENT	Tony McGilvery
TCAL	Alan Takemura	Paul Alioto
WBAL	ABSENT	---N/A---
WCAL	ABSENT	Ed Ravenscroft

Members on Committee: 33
Members Present at Meeting: 21

GUESTS & STAFF present: Events Coordinator Ray Mialovich; Commissioner Nancy Lazenby Blaser; Ass't. Comm. Steve Stearns; Mark Foyer, *HMB Review*

I. TOURNAMENT GUIDE CHANGES – UP-DATES FOR NEXT YEAR

This section contains non-major format changes. The CCS Board of Managers will review and, by its acceptance of this report, approve these housekeeping changes. If, at 1st-reading, the Board deems any of these as "Major" changes, it may pull them out and send them back to Leagues for further discussion and review. The item will then be returned to the CCS Board at its next meeting for a 2nd reading and final action.

Section 1. SCHEDULED MEETINGS

A. Seeding: SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 2008, @ the CCS office
9:00 AM – Boys – All Divisions; 1:00 PM – Girls – All Divisions

B. Evaluation: MONDAY, MARCH 10, 2008, 6:00 PM, @ the CCS office

Section 2. TOURNAMENT DATES

The **2008** CCS Basketball Tournament is scheduled to be held, as follows:

1 st -Round: <u>WEDNESDAY,</u>	<u>FEBRUARY 20</u>
Quarter-Finals: <u>SATURDAY,</u>	<u>FEBRUARY 23</u>
Semi-Finals: <u>TUE. / WED.,</u>	<u>FEBRUARY 26 / 27</u>
Finals: <u>FRI. / SAT.,</u>	<u>FEBRUARY 29 / MARCH 01</u>

Section 5. SEEDING AND BRACKETING PROCEDURES

B. League mates being considered for any at-large berth must be selected in order of league finish.
A League/Division may have only one (1) team, in order of League finish, on the board at any one time for consideration for At-Large selection and/or Seeding.

II. RECOMMENDATIONS

This section includes general recommendations to the CCS Board of Managers or Staff that are not Tournament format related. Recommendations are just that, implemented or not at the discretion of the Staff or the CCS Board. Acceptance of this Sport Committee Report does no more than acknowledge these recommendations. These are not action items. If a recommendation is to be approved, and/or the Board wants to direct Staff to institute a particular recommendation, the CCS Board must pull out and vote upon that specific recommendation.

1. **Site Directors should instruct scoreboard operators to put up all information available on the scoreboard, if possible.**
2. **“Split” officiating crews should be used for all rounds after the 1st-Round.**
3. **Try to put team/coach contact information on side of the Season Summary Sheet that contains the team’s schedule, as well as the team’s most up-to-date overall record.**
4. **Schools that are willing to host Quarter- and Semi-Finals should contact the CCS office.**

III. MISCELLANEOUS – Discussion items

This section contains congratulations to Section winners and Honor Coaches or other items the Committee wishes to have recorded in its annual report. Acceptance by the Board of this Sport Committee Report simply acknowledges the items in this section. These are not action items.

1. **Congratulations to the following 2007 CCS BASKETBALL CHAMPIONS:**

	BOYS	GIRLS
Division I	Oak Grove HS	Carlmont HS
Division II	Mitty HS	Mitty HS
Division III	St. Ignatius HS	Sacred Heart Cathedral Prep
Division IV	Palma HS	Valley Christian-SJ HS
Division V	Bridgemont School	Pinewood School

IV. PROPOSED MAJOR FORMAT CHANGES

This section contains any proposal that the Staff has determined to be a major change in the core format of the CCS Play-offs in this sport. As such, any item listed below will be reviewed as a 1st-reading at the CCS Board of Managers meeting following the Sport Committee meeting. The Board will return the item(s) to the Leagues for review and discussion; the item(s) will be agendized at the next Board meeting for final discussion and action.

Proposal #1: (submitted by the WCAL) Passed by a vote of 16-yes, 5-no, 0-abstain

Delete Section 4.-D. (and re-letter the remainder of Section 4.) in Basketball Bylaws, to allow all teams who qualify under Section 4.-A. to enter the Tournament, rather than limiting each bracket to 16 teams; and

Add Section 5.-B. (and re-letter the remainder of Section 5.), to provide for the top four (4) seeds in each Division to receive byes into the Quarter-Finals, unless more than 20 teams are entered in the respective Division, as follows:

Section 4. QUALIFYING CRITERIA FOR ENTERING TOURNAMENT

D. BRACKET LIMITATIONS

~~No Division bracket will have more than 16 teams participating unless the total number of qualifying League Champions and/or Automatic Qualifiers within any one (1) Division exceeds 16; in which case, the respective Division bracket will be expanded to accommodate those so designated teams.~~

IV. PROPOSED MAJOR FORMAT CHANGES (continued)

Proposal #1: (continued)

Section 5. SEEDING AND BRACKETING PROCEDURES

- B. *The top four (4) seeded teams in each Division will receive a bye, if possible, into the Quarter-Finals, subject to the following conditions:*
 - *The remaining qualifying teams in each Division will be seeded, then placed in the bracket such that no more than two (2) Rounds will be needed to determine the other four (4) teams that move on to the Quarter-Finals;*
 - *In the event that more than two (2) Rounds would be necessary to make such determination, then the original top four (4) seeded teams, in ascending order, will not have byes into the Quarter-Finals, as needed.*

REVIEW / ACTION TAKEN BY OTHER CCS ENTITIES

ADAC:

- **RECOMMEND ACCEPTANCE OF REPORT X**
(non-major changes are approved by this action by the BOM)
- RECOMMEND DISAPPROVAL OF PROPOSAL #1**
- RECOMMEND DISAPPROVAL OF LEAGUE COMMISSIONERS' AMENDMENT**
- AMENDMENT: Recommend a 14 team limit on all brackets**

LEAGUE COMM:

- **RECOMMEND ACCEPTANCE OF REPORT X**
(non-major changes are approved by this action by the BOM)
- RECOMMEND DISAPPROVAL OF PROPOSAL #1**
- RECOMMEND APPROVAL OF LEAGUE COMMISSIONERS' AMENDMENT**
(see below)
- RECOMMEND DISAPPROVAL OF ADAC AMENDMENT**

EXEC. COMM:

- **RECOMMEND ACCEPTANCE OF REPORT X**
(non-major changes are approved by this action by the BOM)
- RECOMMEND DISAPPROVAL OF PROPOSAL #1**
- RECOMMEND APPROVAL OF LEAGUE COMMISSIONERS' AMENDMENT**

CCS STAFF:

- **RECOMMEND ACCEPTANCE OF REPORT X**
(non-major changes are approved by this action by the BOM)
- **RECOMMEND DISAPPROVAL OF PROPOSAL #1**
- RECOMMEND APPROVAL OF LEAGUE COMMISSIONERS' AMENDMENT**

COMMENTS:

Acceptance of report is anticipated at the Board of Managers meeting on April 26, 2007. Such acceptance will confirm all Tournament Guide changes contained in Section I. of this report. Major format change proposals will go back to Leagues for further consideration, with action anticipated at the next CCS Board of Managers meeting. Recommendations are left to the discretion of the Staff, unless directed by the Board in formal action.

LEAGUE COMMISSIONERS' AMENDMENT TO PROPOSAL #1:

Retain the current language in Section 4.-D. (which will continue to limit the brackets to 16 teams); and add the following language:

Section 5. SEEDING AND BRACKETING PROCEDURES

- B. *The top four (4) seeded teams in each Division will receive a bye, into the Quarter-Finals, with the remaining qualifying teams in each Division being seeded, then placed in the bracket such that no more than two (2) Rounds will be needed to determine the other four (4) teams that move on to the Quarter-Finals.*

ACTION:

Report Accepted on 4/26/07 by CCS BOM (see above)
League Commissioners amendment to proposal#1 above was approved by the BOM on 10/18/07