

PROPOSAL OF THE SOUTHERN CONFERENCE REALIGNMENT COMMITTEE

- No changes proposed to current SCCAL, TCAL or MBL alignments
- CAL and MTAL Join together into one Basic League with two supplemental leagues (divisions—named MTAL and CAL) by sport. This means they would be governed by one set of bylaws and one league board of managers with a representative from each of the basic league member schools.

Current Status:

The Coastal Athletic League (CAL) is currently in its second year of official existence, as a league of small private and public charter schools. Our schools have enrollments ranging from 30 students to just under 300 students. The current official league sports that we offer are in girl's volleyball, cross country, boy's basketball, and girl's basketball. In addition, we offer softball as an unofficial league sport, due to our league lacking the 6 schools participating in the sport to make a basic league. A few of our bigger enrollment schools offer sports outside of this spectrum our league offers, such as boy's soccer, girl's soccer, track, swimming, and baseball.

A limitation of our small schools league is the limited offering in regards to the variety of sports carried by our member schools. This is where the Mission Trails Athletic League (MTAL) and the CAL have worked together in the past few years, by forming supplemental memberships for a few schools from the MTAL to further develop their sports programs and join the CAL in a few select sports. The CAL has been willing to accept these supplemental memberships to assist in developing our league and individual school sports programs, while assisting the MTAL in the scheduling issues that a 10 member school league creates.

An additional factor in this discussion is that Marina HS has begun the process of joining the CAL, beginning in the Fall of 2007. This fall will be the first year of interscholastic sports for their school and currently have an enrollment of approximately 150 students. With continuing development in that area of the Monterey Bay, they are anticipating growth in the next few years.

Here is the current list of MTAL and CAL member schools. Also included are the supplemental memberships and Marina HS in this discussion since they are currently in process of applying as a CCS and CAL member this spring. Especially in the CAL, some schools have a very limited amount of sports offered at their schools, but are continuing to develop their programs and the CAL is getting stronger and competitive each year as a league.

CURRENT STRUCTURE

MTAL	CAL
Anzar	Anchorpoint Christian
Carmel	Calvary Chapel
Gonzales	Cypress Charter
Greenfield	G.B. Kirby
King City	Oakwood
Pacific Grove	Pacific Collegiate
Santa Catalina (G)	Prunedale Christian
RLStevenson	Santa Cruz Waldorf
Soledad	York (supplemental in some sports)
York	Anzar (supplemental in some sports)
	Marina (07-08)
9 B / 10 G	9 B / 9 G (w/o Marina)

PROPOSAL:

The MTAL and CAL form an “Equity League” partnership. The MTAL would be the upper league for each sport and the CAL would lower league for each sport. Each of the leagues would retain their current names and tradition, with most of the basic member schools staying within their current league and a few schools potentially switching between leagues in a few sport programs. This would be very similar to the supplemental agreements we currently have, but would assist in formalizing this arrangement. In addition, this proposal would assist the MTAL in solving the scheduling issues they have in some sports.

The following pages contain a list of the potential sports impacted by this proposal. In addition, the following pages list the potential placement of schools into the MTAL and CAL for each individual sport. This is only a preliminary list and was compiled through researching league standings in each sport this past year of competition. There are numerous models that could be utilized in addressing the league placement issue, but for illustration purposes this is the most recent season of competition. These leagues would need to come to an agreement on bylaws to address this issue and each year these league placements would need to be approved by the new MTAL league board of managers.

➤ Regarding CCS playoff berths the CCS bylaws for each sport says:

SUPPLEMENTAL LEAGUES

When two [2] or more basic Leagues join together to form supplemental Leagues, the following shall apply:

1. When two [2] or more supplemental Leagues are formed by the joining of two [2] or more basic Leagues that each had two [2] Automatic Qualifiers to CCS Play-offs, the new supplemental Leagues shall retain the total of their previous Automatic Qualifiers (e.g., League A and B each have two [2] Automatic Qualifiers. When new supplemental Leagues are formed combining A & B, they will have a total of four [4] Automatic Qualifiers).
2. The League Board of Managers having governance authority over the supplemental Leagues shall determine in its bylaws how those Automatic Qualifiers will be allocated from the supplemental Leagues. In the absence of a basic League tournament to determine Section qualifiers, the basic League MUST allocate an automatic berth to each of the supplemental League Champions.

Main Rationale:

- This proposal allows the MTAL and CAL for the most part to stay intact, with a few crossovers.
- Formalize the current agreement between the MTAL and the CAL, while further assisting the MTAL in solving the scheduling issues that a 10-member league presents.
- This would allow some opportunities to schools currently in CAL that offer sports outside of what our league can offer, such as swimming, track, soccer, and baseball.
- This proposal allows the potential for MTAL schools in certain sports programs to switch to the lower division of equitable competition in the CAL, which will provide some confidence to the athletes in rebuilding those programs.
- Some MTAL and CAL schools already play each other in non-league games on a regular basis.
- This proposal follows the similar trend we have currently of some MTAL schools becoming CAL supplemental members in certain sports through agreements between our leagues, while allowing the majority of each league to stay intact.
- This allows the MTAL to retain their current CCS playoff berths, while potentially allowing the possibility for the CAL to receive an additional playoff berth. The CAL currently has one berth in most sports, while most CCS basic leagues have at least two berths.
- In football, the MTAL would be the 11-man league and the CAL would be the 8-man league. Marina HS is exploring the possibility of starting an 8-man football program in the Fall of 2007, along with all their other sports. As they grow, they would eventually want to switch to 11-man football. This could solve the bye week issue the MTAL has in the odd number of schools offering football.
- This proposal allows for combined Junior Varsity leagues between the MTAL and CAL.
- This proposal allows for scheduling “space”, which can be filled with league tournaments, non-league games/tournaments, or other unique ways to enhance the athletic experience for the student athlete.

The league designations on the following pages are not finalized and are open for discussion between the two leagues. Please understand this is a preliminary “rough draft” between the two leagues and can be still rearranged, if needed. It is the theory and philosophy that is being proposed with bylaws and logistics still to be finalized. In addition, names of leagues/divisions would need to be worked out.

FOOTBALL

Current

MTAL (11-Man)

Carmel
Gonzales
Greenfield
King City
Pacific Grove
RLS
Soledad

Current

CAL (8-Man)

Anchorpoint Christian
Calvary Chapel
Oakwood
Marina (eventually 11-Man)
other supplemental schools TBD

Possible Equity League

No Realignment needed

Baseball

Current

MTAL

Anzar
Carmel
Gonzales
Greenfield
King City
Pacific Grove
RLS
Soledad

Current

CAL

Anchorpoint Christian (in CPSAL)
Calvary Chapel (JV level currently)

Possible Equity League

MTAL

Carmel
Greenfield
King City
Pacific Grove
RLS
Soledad

CAL

Anzar
Anchorpoint Christian
Calvary Chapel
Gonzales
Marina
Other CAL teams adding teams potentially

BOYS BASKETBALL

Current

MTAL

Anzar
Carmel
Gonzales
Greenfield
King City
Pacific Grove
RLS
Soledad

Current

CAL

Anchorpoint Christian
Calvary Chapel
Kirby
Oakwood
Pacific Collegiate
Santa Cruz Waldorf
York (supplemental)
Marina (07-08)

Possible Equity League

MTAL

Anzar
Carmel
Gonzales
Greenfield
King City
Pacific Grove
RLS
Soledad

CAL

Anchorpoint Christian
Calvary Chapel
Kirby
Oakwood
Pacific Collegiate
Santa Cruz Waldorf
York (supplemental)
Marina (07-08)

GIRLS BASKETBALL

Current

MTAL

Anzar
Carmel
Gonzales
Greenfield
King City
Pacific Grove
Santa Catalina (G)
RLS
Soledad

Current

CAL

Anchorpoint Christian
Calvary Chapel
Pacific Collegiate
Prunedale Christian
Santa Cruz Waldorf
York (supplemental)
Marina (07-08)

Possible Equity League

MTAL

Anzar
Carmel
Gonzales
Greenfield
King City
Pacific Grove
Santa Catalina (G)
RLS

CAL

Anchorpoint Christian
Calvary Chapel
Pacific Collegiate
Prunedale Christian
Santa Cruz Waldorf
York
Marina (07-08)
Soledad

CROSS COUNTRY

Current

MTAL

Anzar
Carmel
Gonzales
Greenfield
King City
Pacific Grove
Santa Catalina (G)
RLS
Soledad
York

Current

CAL

Calvary Chapel
Cypress Charter
Downtown College Prep
(supplemental)
Kirby
Oakwood
Pacific Collegiate
Santa Cruz Waldorf
Marina (07-08)

Possible Equity League

MTAL

Anzar
Carmel
Gonzales
Greenfield
King City
Pacific Grove
Santa Catalina (G)
RLS
Soledad
York

CAL

Calvary Chapel
Cypress Charter
Downtown College Prep
(supplemental)
Kirby
Oakwood
Pacific Collegiate
Santa Cruz Waldorf
Marina (07-08)

Could combine or keep separate

BOYS SOCCER

Current

MTAL

Anzar
Carmel
Gonzales
Greenfield
King City
Pacific Grove
RLS
Soledad
York

Current

CAL

Calvary Chapel (JV level)
Pacific Collegiate (Varsity-
independent)
Marina (07-08)

Possible Equity League

MTAL

Carmel
Gonzales
Greenfield
King City
RLS
Soledad

CAL

Anzar
Calvary Chapel
Marina (07-08)
Pacific Collegiate
Pacific Grove
York

GIRLS SOCCER

Current

MTAL

Anzar
Carmel
Gonzales
Greenfield
King City
Pacific Grove
Santa Catalina (G)
RLS
Soledad
York

Current

CAL

Calvary Chapel (JV level)
Pacific Collegiate (Varsity-
independent)
Marina (07-08)

Possible Equity League

MTAL

Anzar
Greenfield
King City
Pacific Grove
Santa Catalina (G)
RLS
York

CAL

Calvary Chapel
Carmel
Gonzales
Marina (07-08)
Pacific Collegiate
Soledad

SOFTBALL

Current

MTAL

Carmel
Gonzales
Greenfield
King City
Pacific Grove
Santa Catalina (G)
RLS
Soledad

Current

CAL

Anchorpoint Christian
Calvary Chapel
York (supplemental)
Anzar (supplemental)
Marina (07-08)

Possible Equity League

MTAL

Carmel
Gonzales
Greenfield
King City
Pacific Grove
Santa Catalina (G)
RLS

CAL

Anchorpoint Christian
Calvary Chapel
York (supplemental)
Anzar (supplemental)
Marina (07-08)
Soledad

SWIMMING

Current

(not sure who offers in MTAL)

MTAL

Anzar

Carmel

King City

Pacific Grove

Santa Catalina (G)

RLS

York

Current

CAL

Pacific Collegiate

Possible Equity League

(not sure who offers in MTAL)

MTAL

Anzar

Carmel

King City

Pacific Grove

Pacific Collegiate

Santa Catalina (G)

RLS

York

CAL

combined sport

TRACK AND FIELD

Current

MTAL

Anzar
Carmel
Gonzales
Greenfield
King City
Pacific Grove
Santa Catalina (G)
RLS
Soledad
York

(by individual sport)

CAL

Pacific Collegiate
Marina (07-08)
Oakwood

Possible Equity League

MTAL

Anzar
Carmel
Gonzales
Greenfield
King City
Marina (07-08)
Oakwood
Pacific Collegiate
Pacific Grove
Santa Catalina (G)
RLS
Soledad
York

CAL

combined sport OR separate

GIRLS VOLLEYBALL

Current

MTAL

Anzar
Carmel
Gonzales
Greenfield
King City
Pacific Grove
Santa Catalina (G)
RLS
Soledad

(by individual sport)

CAL

Anchorpoint Christian
Calvary Chapel
Kirby
Oakwood
Pacific Collegiate
York (supplemental)
Marina (07-08)

Possible Equity League

MTAL

Anzar
Carmel
Gonzales
King City
Pacific Grove
Santa Catalina (G)
RLS
Soledad

CAL

Anchorpoint Christian
Calvary Chapel
Greenfield
Kirby
Oakwood
Pacific Collegiate
York
Marina (07-08)