

CCCATA MEETING

NOVEMBER 5th 2015

CCCAA FALL CONFERENCE, SACRAMENTO

1. **WELCOME/INTRODUCTION**

Allison Aubert, President Solano; Dennis Goebel, Treasurer COS; Meredith Dillon, Secretary WVC; Brandon Johnson, North Vice President, Sierra College; Warren Voyce, Foothill College; Anja Goebel, Porterville College; Jaye Tashima, VVC; Junior Domingo, El Camino College; Melissa Bartholomew Napa College; Eric Imrie, Lassen College; Jamie DeRollo, Delta College.

2. **PRESIDENTS REPORT:** What's going on at convention: Non-Traditional Season (NTS) became the main topic this week. Alison spoke with the Athletic Directors (about 50 AD's) to clear up and misconceptions of NTS and ATC coverage. The main questions were how do institutions limit **liability** and the importance of planning. She recommended that AD's speak with their ATC's and get input on when to schedule home contests. "Coverage" was clarified as being a response time of 5 minutes and not more than five minutes. Many of us work multiple events, and a plan has to be put in place. Student ATCs are no longer able to do anything without being supervised. Alison got an invite to Tahoe to speak at the AD's. Another issue was brought up about developing strategies for NTS coverage. Alison recommended that if individual institutions hire outside ATC's to cover events, the AD should check the BOC card. One school said there was an ATC on site for game coverage when it was actually a coach.

Sport rep problem- There was a remote college with an issue during a baseball game. An athlete who had a broken jaw did not get appropriate care (there was no specialist) in a timely manner at the local hospital and had to be taken to a hospital in Sacramento (several hours away by ambulance). Discussion ensued about emergency protocols for each school having a list of dentists, emergency room contacts, and local specialists in case of emergency.

Cost Containment: The across the board cuts for cost containment are supposed to sunset in 2016. The Board talked and said we can't come out of cost containment. The management council was asked to make a recommendation to the board to start slowly coming out of it. Each sport was asked to make a fiscally responsible recommendation. Each rep talked and they all came up with plans (example: give us NTS, 8 teams in tourney, baseball wants games, FB wanted scrimmage). Alison voted on behalf of the CCCATA and voted NO on each proposal from each sport association. Alison's point was first we had cost containment (fewer contests, and then we got NTS= more contests). We can't absorb any more extra work. Management council voted in favor of the sports associations. However, the Board has the ultimate power, and Alison doesn't think they will vote in favor. (The vote

got postponed till the Spring of '16).

3. **VP REPORT**

North: Brandon: Meeting Oct 22 with reps and discussed student supervision, NTS, affordable care insurance, out of area insurance. What are best practices, concussion, post conference emergency plans. Conference reps talked about what was going on. NTS was main part of conversation. Strategies of what schools are doing. Some reps had not received any information from their constituents. Bruce mentioned at Taft using survey monkey for NTS. What is the extent of NTS coverage? Regional information have been asked. Tabulating data is the hard part. Depends on how many ATCs each school has. First conference call in the north- will try to do again.

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VP: South Chad was not here

5. **CONFERENCE REP REPORTS**

Bay Valley Conference- Physicals and non-traditional All coaches were on different pages. Question was, personal interpretation of the rules. Each school had an opinion of when due. They said each institution had different rules. The ATC said the rule states when the class starts, you get a physical. Men's soccer will separate into physicals and people in class. Need it in writing that states there is no gray area.

Eric- Lassen: Mario is a rep for the conference. If Eric would be the alternate, Shasta is an alternate in name only. We are very happy that Eric is here. AD's Meetings are three times a year at Shasta. All the schools are very spread out. The Tahoe program is going to grow-with bond money. Challenge is always travel.

Central Valley- Tracey is out, and Cory Minter is in West Hills/Coalinga ATC is in pre-retirement;. There is a problem with baseball where there is no coverage and there is no reporting. We want to start to reporting. Report to conference rep if there is an ATC at the game. Make a recommendation to get the NTS schedule to the ATC. Alison will notify the AD with one warning. Next step is Conference Commissioner (see below for further discussion on reporting).

Coast Conference: The Coast Conference Reps were not in attendance. Meredith spoke to some issues with NTS coverage and physicals.

Big 8: Meeting Wed Dec 2, 2015 6-8:30, Delta College. AMR and county hospital will be there to do a hands-on workshop. Question: games on Sundays? Discussion ensued about ATC coverage for Sunday competition. Consensus was that it varies.

6. **TREASURER REPORT- Dennis**

\$4,912.28 in account. Current membership: Best number ever with 132 paid

members and with 6 retirees.

7. SECRETARY REPORT

NO REPORT

8. SPORTS REPORT

Warren- He is in the process of editing the guidelines for post conference coverage for medical services. He is looking to the NAIA post conference guidebook as a starting point; sports reps are doing the editing in championship guidelines. Team questionnaire—do we want to send one to the schools? No! Some of the questions Warren asked didn't have any relevance to California Community College Athletics. No sideline passes. Head quarters? These details don't apply to CCC's. Open window to completion and have this document done by summer.

9. NTS COVERAGE

We are going to start a reporting pipeline for institutions that do not comply with NTS coverage. As a reminder: 9.3.2 bylaws discuss medical coverage policies and 9.6 discuss concussion protocols. PPE 3.5.1 must be completed prior to practice and competition. Response in 5 minutes. There must be a plan. Must be an emergency response in place.

NTS should have physical prior to start date. There is a difference in practice between CCC's as to how they handle this. Some schools are still saying that non-traditional is a class and students are covered with insurance through the class. Junior commented- for insurance all of the athletes are tops coded as athletes.

10. PHYSICALS

Can they last two years? Bay Valley Conference meeting brought us discussion about physicals. How long do they last. Alison researched it and met with the commissioners. They all said you have to do it every year. Commissioners- Alison wanted to make sure they were all on the same page. Opened the constitution to 3.5.1 saying athletes will complete a PPE before practice or competition. IT doesn't specifically say every year. Now what we are seeing is that HMO's are saying every two years (Kaiser). Commissioners say school-by-school policy. Can be reviewed by all powers that be to establish school protocol. NCAA only needs one physical and a sickle cell test. Is it acceptable to have an ortho to do a cardiac evaluation? Get the word out that you can create a policy and you won't have a problem with the constitution.

11. REMOTE COLLEGES

Feather River problem with baseball. Alison reached out to the remote schools and said what are your struggles. They felt their hospitals were great and she didn't want to legislate anything that would "bind" them. Post conference competition committee will discuss some of these issues with

their document.

12. HIRING'S VACANCIES

Laney is looking for a part timer. Bobby at Modesto is retiring but they won't hire till his last day. There are concerns about continuity of care once he leaves. Soccer and softball are off site.

13. FWATA/GOLF

Dennis is working on it. Two things: Mueller may come in huge (maybe) with a donation and Dennis is working on another connection. Monday making a call to the tourism to see if Kona country club is a possibility for 150\$ per person. That price is the goal (normal fees are between 110-120\$).

Community College drives the scholarship fund and the tournament needs donors. We all know people so let Dennis know if you have anyone willing to donate. Federal Tax ID number so they can write off donations.

14. ADDITIONS TO AGENDA Scholarship for Community College Athletic Trainers. Must be accepted into an ATEP program. Last year we didn't have applicants. Think about who you have sent on and have them apply. 3.2 GPA, It must be the intent of the recipient to be a student athletic trainer.