

**NEBRASKA SCHOOL ACTIVITIES ASSOCIATION**  
**COVID-19 ADVISORY COMMITTEE**  
Minutes of May 26, 2020 Meeting

The COVID-19 Advisory Committee met on Tuesday, May 26, 2020 via Zoom.

Committee members present were Dr. Bob Reznicek, Boys Town Superintendent; Rex Schultze, NSAA Legal Counsel; Kim Engel, Panhandle Public Health District Directory; Alan Garey, Medicine Valley Superintendent; Dan Keyser, Sutherland Superintendent; Kathi Wieskamp, Lincoln Public Schools Director of Athletics; Nolan Beyer, Millard Public Schools Executive Director of Activities, Athletics and External Affairs; Glen Koski, Gering Athletic Director; William McCallister, West Point-Beemer Superintendent; Steve Eubanks, Omaha Public Schools Supervisor of Athletics; Dr. Kody Moffatt, NSAA Sports Medicine Advisory Committee Chair; Jay Bellar, NSAA Executive Director and Jennifer Schwartz, NSAA Associate Director

Dr. Adi Pour, Douglas County Health Department Director and Matt Miltenberger, Chief of Staff for the office of Governor Ricketts were unable to attend.

Reznicek called the meeting to order at 11:05 a.m. CT.

The committee reviewed Governor Ricketts new June 1<sup>st</sup> directed health measures (DHMs) and its effect on NSAA athletics and activities. The committee decided to increase the number of students allowed in a group for weight training and conditioning from 10 to no more than 25 students. However, member schools located in Hall, Hamilton, Merrick and Dakota counties are still limited to a maximum of 10 students.

The committee discussed the impact of the DHMs on other NSAA summer bylaws and determined that NSAA member school-sponsored camps and clinics are not permitted at this time. NSAA member school-sponsored open gyms are permitted for all NSAA sanctioned athletics except football, basketball, wrestling, and soccer. Cheerleading, although not sanctioned by the NSAA, is also prohibited per the DHM.

The committee began discussions on the NFHS Guidelines for Re-Opening High School Athletics and Activities.

With no further business, the committee adjourned at 12:25 p.m. CT.

The committee will reconvene weekly on Tuesdays at 11:00 a.m. CT.

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Jennifer Schwartz, Associate Director