

NSAA District III Meeting Minutes

Tuesday, November 12th, 2024 - Noon

Northeast Community College, Lifelong Learning Center, Norfolk, NE

The NSAA District III meeting was called to order by District Three Chairman Jeff Bellar at 12:00 p.m. Mr. Bellar introduced the district managing committee and reviewed the agenda.

Roll call was held with 53 member schools present and 2 absent. The voting representative for each school physically present at the meeting was given a clicker with the number assigned to each school.

Mel Waley provided public comment on sanctioning Lacrosse at the NSAA Level. Ms. Waley remarked on the positive aspects of Lacrosse, as well as the availability of coaches and officials within the state of Nebraska. Ms. Waley also commented on the efforts made to promote it as an emerging sport, and asked that District III consider voting on it as an emerging sport. Mr. Bellar thanked her for her time and her comments.

No comments were made in NSAA Member comment.

A motion was made by Battle Creek, second by Winside to approve the minutes of the January 2024 meeting. Motion carried by voice vote.

A motion was made by Cedar Catholic, second by Hartington Ponca, to approve the Financial Report. Motion carried by voice vote.

Dr. Jon Cerny, NSAA Board of Director Member from District III, gave his Director's Report. Dr. Cerny thanked the District III representatives for the opportunity to represent them on the board of directors. Dr. Cerny congratulated schools that were successful this fall at the NSAA championship contests, and wished all the teams still in the playoffs good luck. He made comments on the positive feedback on the Administrator Badges, and thanked the NSAA staff on how well that has been received. He made comments on the fact that the NSAA is working hard to give back to their member schools that host NSAA events, and in conjunction with eliminating the 50-mile radius to schools on state reimbursement checks, added 125000.00 back to district host schools and another 75000.00 back to schools on state championship reimbursements. Dr. Cerny then talked about the importance of filling out the NSAA's climate survey, as well as the work being done by the competitive balance committee. He talked about the NSAA's partnership with Kordica Marketing and Communications to assist the NSAA with its corporate partnerships, communication, and strategic planning process. He then discussed the NSAA Due process and hardship criteria proposals presented to the district.

NSAA Staff member Jon Dolliver asked if anyone does not yet have shot clocks installed to communicate with him, and he gave an update on the district medal sizes, and that they will be bigger and will start being handed out (the larger ones) in the 2025-26 year.

Jason Polk-Wisner Pilger, gave the class caucus committee report.

Kayla Fischer, representative from the Athletic directors' association, gave her report.

Kayla Fischer representative from the Nebraska Coaches Association, gave her report.

The NSAA Student Advisory Council gave a presentation, outlining what they are currently doing, and their volunteer efforts to give back to the community.

Motion by Hartington-Newcastle, second by Stanton, to consider all proposals submitted by the NSAA. Motion carried by voice vote.

The results of the voting by proposal were:

Proposal #	Proposal Description	For	Against	Abstain
1	Hardship Eligibility Criteria	48	4	1
2	Simultaneous participation in two sports during a sports season	35	18	0
3	Updated Due Process Procedure Bylaw 1.10	47	4	2
4	School Balance Redistricting	45	5	3
5	8-Man Football: Eligibility Number 55 and Creation of D1, D2, & D3 Classifications	37	12	4
6	Adjustment of 8-man Classification Number for Fall of 2026 (55 Boys, 2 Classes of D)	26	21	6
7	Adjustment of 8-man Classification Number for Fall of 2026 (50 Boys, 2 Classes of D)	17	28	8
8	Class D1/D2 Football Playoffs Host Sites	34	17	2
9	JH Golf Participants at High School Practice	45	4	4
10	Volleyball Competition Points	43	9	1
11	Waiver Period Renewed After Gaining Second Year Cycle Eligibility.	32	15	6
12	Adjustment of 8-man Classification Number for Fall of 2026	33	14	6
13	Football Class	20	31	2
14	NSAA District Wrestling Realignment - Class D	29	14	10
15	State Cross Country Individual Qualifiers	25	25	3
16	FROM THE FLOOR: Football Class (Adding 1 Additional 8-Man Class)	30	22	1
17	FROM THE FLOOR: Boys and Girls Lacrosse-Emerging Sports	23	25	5
18	FROM THE FLOOR: Seeding the D1 & D2 Playoffs #1-32	21	28	4
19	FROM THE FLOOR: Opting Up Classifications	39	11	3

With no new or other business to attend to there was a Motion by Hartington-Newcastle, seconded by Stanton to adjourn. Motion carried by voice vote. Chairman Bellar adjourned the meeting at 1:28 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Brad Hoesing". The signature is stylized and cursive.

Brad Hoesing
Wausa Public Schools, District III Secretary

District 3 Results

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Clicker	Last Name	Proposal #1	Proposal #2	Proposal #3	Proposal #4	Proposal #5	Proposal #6	Proposal #7	Proposal #8	Proposal #9	Proposal #10	Proposal #11	Proposal #12	Proposal #13	Proposal #14	Proposal #15	Proposal #16	Proposal #17	Proposal #18	Proposal #19
1	Ainsworth	1	1	2	1	1	1	2	2	1	1	2	2	2	2	2	2	1	1	1
2	Allen	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	1	1	1	1	1
3	Bancroft Rosalie	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	2	2	1	2	1	2	2
4	Battle Creek	1	1	1	1	1	3	3	1	1	1	3	3	2	3	2	2	2	3	1
5	Bloomfield	1	2	1	2	1	1	2	2	1	1	2	1	2	2	1	2	2	2	2
6	Boone Central	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	2	2	2	2	2	1	1	1
7	Boyd County	1	1	1	1	2	2	2	2	1	1	1	2	2	3	2	2	2	2	1
8	Chambers	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	2	1
9	Creighton	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	2	1
10	Crofton	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
11	Elgin	1	2	1	3	2	2	3	3	1	1	3	2	3	3	1	1	2	2	3
12	Elkhorn Valley	1	1	1	3	1	1	2	2	1	1	1	1	2	2	1	2	1	2	1
13	Emerson Hubbard	1	1	1	1	2	1	2	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	2	2	1
14	Guardian Angels Central Cathol	2	2	1	1	2	2	2	1	1	1	2	2	1	1	2	2	2	2	1
15	Hartington Cedar Catholic	1	1	1	1	1	3	3	1	1	1	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	3	1
16	Hartington Newcastle	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1
17	Homer	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	2	2	1	1
18	Keya Paha County	1	2	1	1	1	1	2	2	1	1	1	1	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
19	Laurel Concord Coleridge	2	2	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	3	2	2	2	1	1
20	Lutheran High Northeast	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	2	3	1	1
21	Madison	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1
22	Nadhigh Oakdale	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	2	1	1	2	2	1	2	1	2	1	2	1
23	Newman Grove	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	2	1	3	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1
24	Niobrara	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	3	3	2	1	2	2	2	1
25	Norfolk	3	2	3	3	3	3	3	1	2	1	3	3	1	3	2	3	2	3	1
26	Norfolk Catholic	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	1
27	Omaha Nation	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	1	2	2	2	2	2	2
28	O'Neill	1	2	1	1	3	3	3	1	1	3	3	2	3	1	2	2	2	1	1
29	Osmond	1	1	1	1	2	2	1	2	1	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	1	2	1
30	Pender	1	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	2	2	1
31	Pierce	1	1	1	1	3	3	3	1	3	1	2	3	2	2	1	2	2	1	2
32	Plainview	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	2	1	2	1
33	Ponca	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	2	1	2	1	1	1	2	2	1
34	Pope John	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	2	1	2	1	2	2	1
35	Randolph	1	1	2	1	2	2	2	2	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	1	1	2	1
36	Riverside	1	2	1	1	2	2	2	2	2	2	1	2	2	1	1	2	1	2	2
37	Rock County	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	1	2	1	2
39	South Sioux City	1	1	1	1	1	3	3	3	1	3	1	3	1	2	3	1	1	3	3
41	St Marys	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	2	1
42	Stanton	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	2
43	Stuart	1	2	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	2	1	1	2	2	1	2	3	1	1
44	Summerland	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	1
45	Verdigris	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	2
46	Wakefield	1	1	1	1	2	2	2	2	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	2	1
47	Walthill	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	2	1	1	3	1	1	3	2
48	Wausa	1	2	1	1	1	2	2	1	1	1	2	2	1	1	1	1	2	1	1
49	Wayne	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	2	1	2	2	1	1	2	1	2
50	West Holt	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	2	3
51	West Point Beemer	2	2	1	2	1	2	2	1	1	2	2	2	3	1	2	2	1	2	1
52	Winnebago	1	1	1	1	3	3	3	1	1	2	3	2	2	2	2	1	2	1	1
53	Winside	1	2	3	1	1	1	2	2	3	2	1	3	2	2	1	1	1	2	2
54	Wisner Pilger	1	1	1	1	2	2	1	1	1	2	1	2	2	1	2	1	2	1	1
55	Wynot	1	1	1	1	2	2	2	1	2	1	1	2	1	1	3	2	1	1	1

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For	48	35	47	45	37	26	17	34	45	43	32	33	20	29	25	30	21	23	39
Against	4	18	4	5	12	21	28	17	4	9	15	14	31	14	25	22	28	25	11
Abstain	1	0	2	3	4	6	8	2	4	1	6	6	2	10	3	1	4	5	3
Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Fail	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Fail	Pass	Fail	Pass	Fail	Fail	Pass