

**SWSC Athletic Directors Workshop
Minutes – September 12, 2007**

Meeting was called to order at 9:00 am with all SWSC and TTHS Dist. 205 schools present.

- I. Welcome to Athletic Directors from Thornton, Thornridge, and Thornwood
- II. Approval of August 9th and August 30th minutes.
- III. Workshop presentation – “Do What’s Right” – IHSA initiative presented by Therese McLaughlin, athletic director from T.F. North. A summary Handout was distributed describing the program and its application to the SWSC Conference and the State series. Therese showed an example of the “Do What’s Right” banner which can be purchased from the IHSA. There was an example of a program page where each school had the opportunity to place personalized pictures. More info can be found on the IHSA website. Thanks to Therese for the presentation.
- IV. Water Polo presentation – by Sandburg coach Jim Callendo – Handout was distributed proposing changes to the structure of the conference water polo season.
 - A. Only conference in Illinois without a conference tournament.
 - B. Water Polo is a tournament sport – would like to go to a single round robin during the conference season with a post season tournament.
 - C. Water Polo Conference Tournament format was discussed.Pros and cons were discussed by the a.d.’s and further discussion was tabled until more research was conducted and info obtained.
- V. Baseball Assignment Chairs – will stay the same this spring and will be looked at for next year.
- VI. SWSC Leadership Summit – will be at Sandburg on Thursday, October 18th. A handout was distributed with information and a sport list for signups. Pom-Pons will be included in the group of sports.
- VII. Football Schedules – Enrollments, listings, and possible alignments for 2009, 2010 seasons were handed out put together by Rich Piathek. There was a motion by Dave Brost to accept the alignments as listed on page 3 of the handout seconded by Ted Robbins. The vote carried 13 yes, 0 no, 2 abstain. A motion was made to keep weeks 1 and 2 open for the 2009, 2010 football seasons as non-conference or to schedule conference schools as non-conference dates by Rich Piathek seconded by Randy Konstans. The motion carried 15 yes, 0 no.

- VIII. The Blue Division girls tennis championship will be on Thursday and Saturday due to a Homecoming problem. **
Lincoln-Way North will compete with individuals in the lower level Championships for individual awards and not team championships for the 2007-08 school year.
A tennis line-up problem was discussed of filling the line-up from the No. 1 singles and doubles on down. This eliminates the chance of stacking line-ups.
- IX. Winter Mega-Meeting – Scheduled for Tuesday, October 30th at Lincoln-Way Central at 7:00 pm. Discussion about rules meeting at Joliet for basketball attended by most local coaches which would affect the pre-season meeting. Proposal to move to Monday the 29th. LW Central cannot host on this date. Lincoln-Way East is going to check if they can host. Further info coming soon.**
- X. IADA District 8,9 and Division 3 Info – The District meetings info should be forthcoming with the Division meeting set for October 25th at 1:00 pm. There Will be a LTC class in the morning. Check the IADA website for more info.**
A. IADA website open for renewal of membership (as well as NIAAA).
B. IHSA reports they are under attack for where schools are going for Sectionals.
- XI. SWSC Website – Coaches are doing a good job so far of reporting scores. Golf standings are still backwards and is being worked on. Swimming will be entered as double duals. Let the coaches know.**
- XII. Fall Sport Reports**
A. Boys Soccer – no report
B. Football – end-zone camera resolution.
C. Girls Volleyball – No report.
D. Golf – Girls F/S to JV – only during dual matches.
E. Tennis – Line-up problem already discussed.
F. Cross Country – Pre-season meets went well.
G. Swimming – All is well.
- XIII. Historian Info – Larry Bernard – handout with requested conference info distributed. All-Conference certificates handed out for Fall Sports.**
- IX. New Business –2008Fall Schedules should be available at October meeting.**
A. Golf – 11 teams - 2 divisions LW North to Red.
B. Girls Golf – 10 teams – 2 divisions
C. Boys Soccer – LW North picks up the byes
D. Girls Swim – 10 schools – 2 divisions

E. Girls Tennis – 11 schools – 6 Red, 5 Blue – 10 matches instead of 9

F. Girls Volleyball – LW North to Red – takes over byes.

Badminton Conference will start on Thursday – do not schedule on that date.

X. Motion to adjourn.