

**B.C.I.A.A. General Membership Minutes
November 6, 2025 - 9:00AM - BCIU**

Present	School	Present	School
x	Antietam	x	Kutztown
x	Berks Catholic	x	Muhlenberg
	Brandywine Heights	x	Oley Valley
x	Conrad Weiser	x	Reading
x	Daniel Boone	x	Schuylkill Valley
x	Exeter	x	Tulpehocken
x	Fleetwood	x	Twin Valley
x	Governor Mifflin	x	Wilson
x	Hamburg	x	Wyomissing

1. Approval of Past Minutes & Treasurer Report
 - [May 22, 2025 General Membership Minutes](#)
 - Treasurer Report & Approval (as of 10/27/25 Board Meeting)
 - Checking Account - \$201,121.49 (through 9/30/25)
 - Investment Account - \$35,367.37 (through 9/30/25)
 - **Motion by Dave Cummings, Second Governor Mifflin - approved**

2. District III/PIAA Report & Update – John Guiseppa/Tim Rhoads
 - **PIAA Bylaw change regarding faith-based schools – if a faith-based student lives in your district and they do not have a sport at their school, they are eligible to participate in the district that they live in.**

3. Administrative Report & Information – Kerry Ciatto
 - **Gold Leaf on Monday, 11/10 – Kerry reviewed order for presenting.**
 - **Need Sportsmanship Sport Chair (Jen Motze is no longer going to be doing it)**
 - **Please make sure if you have new winter coaches that you update the BCIAA head coach directory (Google Sheet).**
 - Fall Championship Revenue Review
 - [Field Hockey](#)
 - [Boys & Girls Soccer](#)
 - [Girls Volleyball](#)
 - **Overall, all fall sports revenue was down, weather did play a factor in the first round FH playoffs.**
 - Fall 2025 Sport Chair Reports
 - Golf – **Coaches liked Golden Oaks, but will be sending proposal to make it a 2-day tournament instead of a 1-day event.**
 - Girls Tennis
 - Girls Volleyball – **Coaches do not like the 5:00 start that was adopted for the 26-28 scheduling cycle. They also do not like the higher seed hosting the championship game, will be a neutral site as long as there is a school willing to host the championship.**
 - Cross Country – **New 4-year league schedule has been created. Usual requests/complaints around the county meet relating to trash cans, portable restrooms, timing company. Need a new championship meet director. Will discuss at the fall pre-season meeting of what to do if there is a weather issue**

before or during a race.

Field Hockey – Some questions about all-star voting, concerns were discussed and addressed. They like Alvernia for the championship site. Some discussion about what will happen if more teams drop out of the league (division alignment and # of playoff teams).

Boys & Girls Soccer – Some bumps with the new all-star process, but to be expected with any new process.

-LL Football Update

-Tommy Long has resigned as the Football chair, no replacement announced yet.

4. Old Business

4.1 – League Website & Standings

-BigTeams/Arbiter Merger

-1st webinar yesterday on basics of how the merger will work, there will be data transfer from BigTeams over to Arbiter, and there is an online registration platform that will be fully integrated with Arbiter.

-Winter Google Sheet Template

-A Google Sheet has been created to track winter results/standings. Will be used as pilot in the Winter, not public until it is known to be working.

4.2 – League Historian (tabled)

4.3 – League All-Star Framework/Committee Report

-[Soccer Information](#)

-Committee will be meeting again today

4.4 – League Corporate Sponsors

-4 sponsors this year

5. New Business/Discussion Items

5.1 – 2026-2028 Volleyball Start Time

-Return to HS start times of 6:00 instead of 5:00 for the 2026-2028 scheduling cycle.

5.2 – Removal of the Junior High 80% Scheduling Restriction

-Remove 80% rule from the JH section, keep the number of JH league-scheduled events at current limits.

5.3 – Junior High Varsity/JV Order

-All JH sports will play varsity first, followed by JV.

5.4 – Sub-Varsity Overtime Parameters

-[Blue Book Addition](#)

-Removes overtime for all sports (sub-varsity contests)

-Resource for ADs to reference overtime procedures for regular-season contests.

5.5 – JV/Varsity times between games for Soccer, Field Hockey & Basketball

-To be added to the Blue Book under each sport page: When JV is played first there will be 15 minutes between the JV and Varsity games for the varsity team to warm up. When the varsity game is played first, there will be 5 minutes between the Varsity and JV games for the JV teams to warmup.

6. Action Items

6.1 – To adjust the start times for High School Girls & Boys Volleyball for the 2026-2028 scheduling cycle back to 6:00PM starts, as presented in 5.1.

6.2 - To approve the removal of the 80% Junior High scheduling restriction, as presented in 5.2

6.3 – To approve the order of Varsity and JV contests at the Junior High level for all sports as varsity first, followed by JV, as presented in 5.3,

6.4 – To approve the Overtime Rules & Protocols addition to the Blue Book, eliminating all sub-varsity overtime in all sports, as presented in 5.4.

6.5 – To approve adding language to the Blue Book to standardize the time between JV and Varsity contests in the sports of soccer, field hockey and basketball, as presented in 5.5.

-Motion to approve 6.1, 6.2, 6.3, 6.4, 6.5 (starting for the 2026-2028 cycle) by Wyomissing, second Conrad Weiser – unanimously approved.

7. BCADA Discussion Items

7.1 – Girls Flag Football

-Discussion on what schools are looking at doing this year with flag football and in the future. At this time there are not 6 schools with a team for the league to sponsor a league (and no officials chapter).

8. Future BCIAA Board and BCIAA General Membership Meetings:

Monday, March 2, Board Meeting

Thursday, March 12, General Membership Meeting

[2025-2026 Meeting Schedule](#)