Student Activities Board Report November 14, 2017

Western Class "A" Fall Meeting

I attended the Fall Western Class A Athletic Directors meeting in Butte on November 1, 2017.

Things that were discussed at the meeting;

2017/2018 Completed Tournament Managers Report was given Golf and Cross Country Divisional tournaments. Both of these tournaments went very well. Athletes competed very well at the tournaments. There wasn't any issues that happened at either tournament. Next year Golf Divisional will be hosted by Polson, and the Cross Country Fall Classic will be location will be determined at the spring meeting.

2017/2018 Upcoming Tournament Managers Report

Volleyball Divisional hosted by Butte Central – report was given that Butte Central was prepared for the tournament and was excited to be hosting the tournament. Speech Tournament will be hosted by Ronan in January 2018, Divisional Wrestling tournament will be hosted by Columbia Falls in February on Friday February 2 and Saturday February 3. BBB and GBB Divisional Basketball tournament will hosted by Butte Central in February 2018. To qualify for the tournament, the Northwestern and Southwestern teams will have District Tournaments taking the top 4 teams from each District Tournament to the Divisional Tournament.

Football – we will keep the power rankings system in place to help determine the wildcard teams. Golf – we talked about a couple of changes to the Divisional golf tournament; one was setting up practice times for teams at the divisional and the other was helping to get a time schedule set up to help with teams warming up on the driving range.

Cross Country – nothing was changed. We did discuss all schools using a time system for the Fall Classic. Volleyball – Browning will host the 2018 Tip Off Volleyball Tournament August 24 and 25. We will have all the Western A teams at the tournament.

Basketball discussion was about the tip-off tournament and getting ready for the season to start. Everything is in place for the tip-off tournament. All schools are preparing for tryouts on November 16, 17 and 18, 2017.

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Cross Country – Fall Classic Cross Country at Frenchtown was a great success; all teams were very pleased with the meet and hospitality provide by Frenchtown Public Schools and the community. Our boys team placed 3rd and our girls team placed 9th. It was a good season for our Cross-Country Athletes and Coaches. At the State meet the boys placed 11th and the girls placed 16th.

District Volley Tournament Reports - Volleyball hosted the Northwestern Class A district volleyball tournament on October 27 and 28, 2017. Our volleyball team lost to Columbia Falls and Polson, and did not qualify for the Western A Divisional Volleyball tournament.

Football team finished the season with a 4-1 conference record and 5-4 overall record, qualifying for the playoffs this season. Our team lost to Frenchtown in the first-round playoff game 27-0. It still was a great season for our athletes and coaches. Good job to the team and coaches. It was fun to watch the kids progress throughout the season. We had a lot of people attend the playoff game.

Speech is off to a good start this season, they have competed in the following Speech meets; Corvallis, Havre and Kalispell. The coaches are excited for the new season and will be hosting our Speech meet on November 18, 2017 at Browning High School.

BBB, GBB, Wrestling and Winter Cheerleading will get started on November 16, 2017. We will have the wrestling parent meeting on November 15, 2017 and the BBB, GBB and Cheerleading parent meeting after the tryouts on November 21, 2017.