

<b>2007-08 Winter/Spring Recommendations for NDHSAA Board Consideration</b>			
The following are recommendations with actions posted.		06/11/08	6/23-24/2008
<b>Recommendation X:made recommendation,Y: Yes, N: No, (yes-no vote)</b>	<b>Adv.</b>	<b>Athletic</b>	<b>NDHSAA</b>
<b>NDHSAA Board of Directors will A: approve or D: deny</b>	<b>Com</b>	<b>Review</b>	<b>Board</b>
<b>District Chair Recommendations</b>			
1. Reduce the number of wrestling weight classes from 14 to 12.	(14-2)		N(0-11)
2. Provide 4 regional tournament passes to all schools in the region for VB, Girls BB and Boys BB	(12-4)		N(0-11)
3. Develop a mercy rule in Class B Basketball, 40 point spread anytime in 2nd half	(10-6)		N(5-6)
<b>Wrestling</b>			
<b>Class A and B Items</b>			
1. Record only weigh-ins to the NWCA if tournament program interfacing isn't in place	x	N(0-10)	N(0-11)
2. Re-instate the spirt award for state wrestling.	x	N(0-10)	N(1-10)
3. Each school should receive 5 coaches passes for state wrestling.	x	N(0-10)	N(0-11)
<b>Class B Items</b>			
1. Adjust the hydration formula for kids who are over hydrated	x	N(0-10)	N(0-11)
2. Allow wrestlers to go up one weight class and allow them to be back to his weight class for the next meet.	x	N(0-10)	N(0-11)
3. Allow 30 matches for Junior High	x	N(1-9)	N(0-11)
4. Do not count the state dual team qualifier against the allowed 40 regular season matches.	x	N(0-10)	N(0-11)
5. Allow one head coach to act as recorder at the seeding meeting.	x	Y(9-1)	N(0-11)
<b>Class A Items</b>			
1. Score and place 8 wrestlers at the state tournament.	x	Y(10-0)	N(3-8)
<b>Hockey</b>			
<b>Boys' and Girls'</b>			
1. Play all state tournament games at Engelstad arena utilizing the Olympic Rink.	x	N(0-10)	*N(0-11)
2. Award points to teams losing games in overtime equivalent to one-half the value of contest.	x	Y(8-2)	Y(11-0)
3. Increase the allowable regular season games from 21 to 22.	x	N(1-9)	N(0-11)
4. Allow one regular season scrimmage.	x	N(0-10)	N(0-11)
<b>Boys'</b>			
1. Add an extra officiating crew to the region tournaments	x	Y(9-1)	*Y(10-1)
<b>Basketball</b>			
<b>Class A Recommendations</b>			
1. Class A Girls recommend establishing a pool of officials for region and state.	x	Y(10-0)	*N(2-9)
2. Class A Girls recommend ND propose a change with the NF concerning free throw lane space.	x	passed NF	-----
3. Class A Boys recommend different venues in the same city be used for the state tournament.	x	N(1-9)	*N(1-10)
4. Review the possibility of changing the official ball for 2009-10.	x	N(0-10)	N(0-11)
5. Alternate semis each year for the state tournament: boy/girl and girl/boy with championship consistently girl/boy.	x	Y(10-0)	Y(11-0)
<b>Class B Recommendations</b>			
1. Class B Girls recommend consistent 2 or 3 whistle coverage in the regular season.	x	N(1-9)	N(0-11)
2. Boys and Girls Coaches recommend a shot clock	x	N(1-9)	*N(5-6)
3. Use Saturday, Monday and Tuesday for regionals if the 3rd place game continues.	x	N(0-10)	N(0-11)
<b>Gymnastics</b>			
1. Gymnasts that have an average score of 9.0 in an individual event or 35.0 in the all-around will automatically qualify for the state meet.	x	Y(10-0)	Y(10-0)
2. On the individual day of state competition, each rotation will begin with the floor exercise event.	x	Y(10-0)	Y(10-0)
3. Set start time on team day for 4:00 p.m. local time	x	Y(10-0)	Y(11-0)
4. When facilities allow, use the Capital Cup format.	x	Y(10-0)	Y(11-0)
<b>Swimming &amp; Diving</b>			
No Recommendations			
<b>Class B Girls' Golf Recommendations</b>			

1. State qualifying: Replace 15 strokes with 10 strokes from medalist at the regional meet.	x	Y(10-0)	Y(10-0)
<b>Class B Boys' &amp; Girls' Golf Recommendations</b>			
1. Increase to 3 the number of qualifying meets per region with the boys qualifying mark at 7 strokes over par and the girls 15 strokes over par.	x	Y(8-2)	*Y(8-3)
<b>Class A Boys' Golf Recommendations</b>			
1. Return the regulation to allow coaching from tee-to-green only.	x	N(0-10)	N(0-11)
2. Allow line-up and order changes until the state tournament begins.	x	Y(9-0)	Y(11-0)
3. Request that the 2010 tournament be changed to Bismarck and 2012 be changed to Minot.	x	refer to Tourn. Comm.	
4. Have the region meet be two days (not consecutive) with a 36-hole total. There would be no additional dates as indicated in the minutes.	x	N(0-10)	N(0-11)
<b>Tennis Recommendations</b>			
1. Move team competition for the regional tournaments from all day Thursday (2 matches) and Friday morning (championship and state-qualifying matches) to all team matches played all day Thursday.	x	Y(9-1)	Y(11-0)
2. Allow practice on host city courts prior to 1st coaches meeting.	x	Y(8-2)	Y(11-0)
3. Present team roster at 1st coaches' meeting to all teams	x	Y(10-0)	Y(11-0)
<b>Class A Baseball Recommendations</b>			
1. A double or triple play will not cause a pitcher to exceed the 12 or 14 inning regulations.	x	Y(10-0)	Y(11-0)
2. Each pitcher will have a full complement of innings for the region and state tournaments if there is a minimum of four days rest prior to each tournament.	x	N(2-8)	N(0-11)
<b>Class B Baseball Recommendations</b>			
No Recommendations (#1 above will apply to Class B Baseball)			
<b>Girls' Soccer Recommendations</b>			
1. All state tournament games to be played one at a time on the same field.	x	N(0-8)	N(0-11)
2. Begin the season one week earlier.	x	N(0-10)	N(0-11)
<b>Track Advisory Recommendations</b>			
1. At state meet starting height for high jump shall be 3 heights below qualifying.	x	Y(8-1)	Y(11-0)
2. Class A do not count the 4x8 relay as a distance event.	x	N(0-9)	N(0-11)
3. If no left hand throwers are entered in the discus event, set up the discus to accommodate right hand throwers. Do not mandate setting the event for head wind.	x	N(0-9)	N(0-11)
4. For selection of starters for Class A portion of state meet, contract one from the west and one from the east with a boy/girl switch (starter/recall) each year.	x	Y(5-4)	*Y(6-5)
5. For the horizontal jumps, use both pits to allow the long jump and triple jump to stay on schedule.	x	Y(9-0)	Y(11-0)
6. Adjust qualifying standard - Girls' Class A triple jump to 34' 0".	x	Y(9-0)	Y(11-0)
<b>Athletic Review Committee Recommendations</b>			