ATHLETIC COMMITTEE MEETING

June 15, 2020

All board members were present. Also present were Mr. Berlin, Mrs. Bendig, Mr. Carter, Mr. Miller and Mr. Englert.

Meeting called to order at 6:30 p.m. by Mr. Matson. Dr. Pushchak reminded citizens to submit any questions using the question and answer tool.

Mr. Miller, Mr. Berlin and Mr. Carter shared an Athletic Plan for Fall Sports Guidelines. This was compiled with guidelines from the Center for Disease Control, the PIAA and government offices. Sport restrictions will be dependent upon which phase we are in (yellow, green) it will be revised as needed. The phase will dictate the amount of participants, audiences, media. PIAA should be providing a template in a week or two.

Fall organized sports will hopefully begin in July. All sports below grade 7 will be on hold until we reach the green phase. Athletes will be required to sign a disclaimer/consent form to provide some protection to the district. The district will continue to inform athletes and parents as things change. The district will put out an all-call for sign-ups and it will be put on the website.

Health guidelines state that concessions will have to follow the same protocols as restaurant. No concessions allowed during the yellow phase. Must be green.

Mr. Carter has been developing a coaching evaluation as the old evaluation used was very ineffective. There was discussion on parents/player being asked to give feedback. It was felt that coaches should poll the parents and players for feedback but not be listed on the evaluation.

Mr. Paris updated the Board on his conversation with Keystone. The district is built on a swamp. A new storm water reservoir and containment basin was designed. Mr. Paris also said that he and Mr. Berlin discussed the possibility of expanding the soccer practice field with Keystone personnel and learned that because it borders wetlands such a project would be very complicated and cost prohibitive. The company answered every question asked to Mr. Paris' satisfaction.

Further athletic discussion will be addressed at the board meeting. Meeting was adjourned at 6:59 p.m.

Chair, Athletic Extra-Curricular Committee