Board of Control Minutes  

April 15, 1977

The Board of Control of the Kentucky High School Athletic Association met at the K.H.S.A.A. office on Friday morning, April 15, 1977. The meeting was called to order by President George Sauer at 10:00 A.M. with Board members Denvil Barriger, Jack Burkich, Eldon Davidson, C. W. Jones, Joseph McPherson, Norman Passmore, Glendon Ravenscraft, Ray Story, Paul Trimble; Commissioner Tom Mills and Assistant Commissioners Dianne Caines, Louis Stout, and Billy V. Wise present. Mr. Darrell Wells was present representing the State School Boards Association. The invocation was given by Glendon Ravenscraft.
Ray Story moved, seconded by Eldon Davidson, that the reading of the
minutes of the previous meeting be waived since members of the Board
had received copies of these minutes in the mail. The motion carried
unanimously.

Mr. Jack Kelley came before the Board to appeal the decision of the
Commissioner to suspend him as an official for one year for his failure
to officiate an assigned basketball game. Following his presentation,
Mr. Kelley thanked the members of the Board for the opportunity to
appeal his case. After discussing the appeal, Eldon Davidson moved,
seconded by Glendon Ravenscraft, that the ruling of the Commissioner
be upheld.

Mike Young, a student at Lexington Catholic High School came before
the Board to request reinstatement of his eligibility. He was accom-
panied by Coach Robert L. Gilmore. Mike is ineligible under the pro-
visions of By-Law 6, Section 1, Transfer Rule. Following the presen-
tation of this case, Norman Passmore moved, seconded by Ray Story
that By-Law 6, Section 1, not be waived in this case. The motion
passed unanimously.

Assistant Commissioner Billy Wise reported the attendance at the Boys'
State Basketball Tournament at approximately 75,000. The gross receipts
from the Boys' Tournament was approximately $296,123.25.

The Girls' State Basketball Tournament had an attendance of approxi-
mately 25,371 and gross receipts of approximately $76,481.00. A
complete audit of both these tournaments will appear in the August
issue of the "Athlete." Denville Barriger moved, seconded by Joe McPherson,
that the tournament report be accepted as presented. The motion carried
unanimously.

Mr. Mills presented a request from Prin. Denny Click requesting that
Estill County High School be permitted to move from basketball Dis-
trict 44, Region 11, to District 40, Region 10. Eldon Davidson moved,
seconded by Norman Passmore that the request be granted since there are
presently only three schools in District 40. The motion passed un-
animously.

George Sauer and Ray Story were named Delegate and Alternate, respectively,
to the forthcoming Annual Meeting of the National Federation.

Norman Passmore made the motion that the $25,000.00 catastrophe injury
insurance be renewed for the 1977-78 school year with Doug Ruedlinger,
Inc., at an annual rate of $10,500.00. C. W. Jones seconded the motion
and all members voted aye.

Mr. Mills presented a letter from Mr. Bill Ring, umpire-in-chief and
K.H.S.A.A. Area Representative for the Bluegrass Umpires Association
concerning the fee and travel allowance for baseball officials. Mr.
Stout was instructed to discuss this request with the Baseball Com-
mittee and submit recommendations for consideration at the July
Meeting of the Board.

The Board then discussed the request of Mrs. Pat Dooley, KAPOS, for
three hundred dollars to help with the expense involved in presenting
awards to the cheerleaders during the Boys' State Basketball Tournament.
Following a lengthy discussion on the KAPOS organization and its
relationship with the K.H.S.A.A., Eldon Davidson moved that the re-
quest be denied and that member schools be informed that the K.H.S.A.A. is not affiliated with the KAPOS organization. The motion passed unanimously.

The Commissioner was instructed to inform member schools that volleyball and table tennis may be added to the list of sports sponsored by the K.H.S.A.A. at the beginning of the 1978-79 school year providing a sufficient number of schools express an interest.

Denvor Barriger moved, seconded by Norman Passmore, that all bills of the Association for the period beginning March 1, 1977, and ending March 31, 1977, be allowed. The motion was carried unanimously.

The date for the next scheduled meeting of the Board of Control was scheduled for Friday, May 20, 1977, at 1:00 P.M. in Lexington.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.