

CENTRAL DISTRICT ATHLETIC BOARD

December 10, 2025 – 3:00 PM

OHSAA

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Scott Reeves, Ethnic Min. President	3:12pm Molly Feesler, AAA Rep. VP
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mark Shively, AAA Rep.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ryan Fitzgerald AA Rep.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Scott Beery, AA Rep.	3:05pm Lane Warner, A Rep., BOD
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Danny Snively, A Rep	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pam Bosser, Female Rep.,
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Matt Gallatin, Middle School Rep.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Jim Hayes, Treasurer
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bob Britton, Secretary	

AGENDA – President Reeves called the meeting to order at 3:01 p.m.

1. Approve December agenda

Motion by Gallatin 2nd Fitzgerald Vote – 7-0

2. Review and approve the minutes from November 19, 2025, Regular Board Meeting. (Britton)

Motion by Berry 2nd Bosser Vote – 7-0

3. Financial Report (Hayes) – Financials sent to the board 12/9/25 spent tournament managers and webmaster, investments have gained this month.

Motion by Snively 2nd Shively Vote – 7-0

4. Fall tournament Evaluations

- a. Golf – Larry Morris – 3:10 pm – Rain issues, course conditions seem to be of a concern some venues turn approx. 50,000 rounds/year. Some conditions could be due to play. Blacklick had some disease which was better by the tournament. Some courses are making improvements to courses which may not be ready for the tournament. There seem to be schools entering teams and then dropping players after pairings are set and sent out to coaches. DI boys evaluations were rougher due to the course conditions, and the golf course kept playing without postponing. This was the only tournament in the State that was played that day. Question is, do we want a great golf course with poor administration or good administration with a poor golf facility. Date may be late due to the State tournament moving up, may want to adjust the dates for this tournament to give the teams more time between district and state tournament. Some courses are looking at changing the cost structure. Not opposed to looking at other options.

- b. Soccer – Kyle Hamrick – 3:25 pm – Sent a document earlier today summarizing the tournaments for both boys and girls. Four state titles in the Central district. Overall ratings were good, with a few exceptions. More complaints about officials than last year. Some coaches would like to see the top teams placed on the bracket and then allow the rest to place themselves. Some of the changes need to be made at the state level. There is a new president of the coach's association and may bring up some of these changes to the state. Max Preps seems to be accurate on the ranking of teams in central Ohio. Girls' soccer issue was that the district final at Whitehall and 30 minutes prior to game time there was no one on staff at the facility and the teams had to help set up the field.
- c. Girls Tennis – Jeff Good – 3:40 pm – Biggest complaint was lack of communication on the number of singles and doubles are allowed to enter the tournament. Each bracket had to be remade to accommodate the new rule. This year it should be easier to create the brackets moving forward. Other than this issue the evaluations were good.
Boys dates have been selected trying to avoid as many conflicts as possible especially due to the AP test. Dates selected were May 12 and May 16 sectionals and May 19 and 23 for the district. Right now only looking for one DII site to replace CSG.
- d. Cross Country – Chris Ludban – 3:55 pm – Would like another DI district champion in both Cross Country and Track and Field. Going to look at the structure after this spring's Track and Field meet. Evaluations were good, we just didn't have a lot of individuals listed for the draw meetings. Attendance, merchandise and concessions were all down due to the added divisions. Question was raised if we could make the draw the same as Track and Field. Each district has a different draw procedure, CDAB is the only district that allows the schools to select which race all others assign sites. Track and Field schedules were sent to the Board earlier, one of the sites was too far away one coach was upset that he doesn't get to host. 3200 was moved to the semifinal day instead of on the final day. Mt. Gilead is a very nice facility and may look at that venue in the future. Three sections at each site and the officials are all good.
- e. Volleyball – Jill Logan – January Meeting

- 5. Approval of Ohio Expo Center management staff for tournament games: (15 district level games scheduled)
 - a. Kirk Ballinger, Site manager, \$1400
 - b. Mark Ballinger, Media Coordinator, \$1100
 - c. Andy Nowlin, Staffing Coordinator, \$1100

Motion by Warner 2nd Feesler Vote – 9-0

6. Approve Josh Devoll as the Baseball Assistant Tournament Manager for 2026 season.

Motion by Fitzgerald 2nd Gallatin Vote – 9-0

7. Approve Matt Jaynes as the Baseball Tournament Assignor for 2026.

Motion by Berry 2nd Bosser Vote – 9-0

8. Board of Directors Report (Warner) – Reinstatement of three schools to full membership

9. All Boards Committee Report (Shively) – Nothing to report

10. Liaison Reports –

- a. Baseball - Nothing to report
- b. Basketball - Nothing to report
- c. Bowling – Nothing to report
- d. Cross Country - Nothing to report
- e. Golf – Nothing to report
- f. Gymnastics - Nothing to report
- g. Soccer - Nothing to report
- h. Softball - Nothing to report
- i. Swimming/Diving - Nothing to report
- j. Tennis - Nothing to report
- k. Track - Nothing to report
- l. Volleyball - Nothing to report
- m. Wrestling – Agreed to get rid of four qualifiers and looking at clearing the gym and recharging the fans. OHSAA office is not in favor of providing an all weekend pass and would rather we clear the gym and recharge admission for finals.

11. Other – Next meeting January 14, 2026, at the OHSAA offices.

12. Adjourn – The meeting was adjourned at 4:06 p.m.

Motion by Feesler 2nd Gallatin Vote – 8-0

Mr. Warner was excused at 3:55 p.m.

