Cross Country Advisory Committee Recommendations – Fall 2024

Recommend adding language to the Cross-Country Manual regarding Games Committee
Selection and Minimum Duties. The language will be added in Section 5.G.

A. GAMES COMMITTEE:

- 1. **Selection**: The manager shall select a minimum of seven (7) school representatives (athletic director, or coach) from other participating schools to serve with the official starter and him/her on the committee. Representatives from each class shall be selected as well as a diverse geographic cross section of class and district assigned schools.
- 2. Minimum Duties:
 - a. Assist the manager in the administration of the meet and races.
 - b. Establish the meet schedule.
 - c. Proper course set-up and marking.
 - d. Proper Marshal placement. (Approved 8-0)
- Recommend adding the sub-committee developed <u>District Host Course Guidelines</u> to Section 3 of the Cross-Country Manual. (Approved 8-0)
- Recommend to release proposed District Site Locations on the Friday of week 7. (Approved 8-0)
 - 4. Recommend changes to the State Meet Schedule as follows: (Approved 7-0; 1 abstain)

2025 Proposed Championship Schedule								Current Schedule						
Friday				Saturday				Friday				Saturday		
Time	Race	Awards		Time	Race	Awards		Time	Race	Awards		Time	Race	Awards
9:00	C3B			9:00	C1B			9:00	C5G			9:00	C2G	
9:45	C3G			9:45	C1G			9:45	C1G			9:45	C3G	
10:30		C3B/G		10:30		C1B/G		10:30	C5B			10:30	C2B	
11:00	C4B			11:00	C2B			11:15	C1B	C5		11:15	C3B	C2
11:45	C4G			11:45	C2G			12:00		C1		12:00	C4G	C3
12:30		C4B/G		12:30		C2B/G						1:00	C4B	
1:00	C5B											1:45		C4
1:45	C5G													
2:30		C5B/G												
3:30-														
5:30	C1&2	Preview												

*** 5. Recommend expanding from 8 to 12 selected sites to host the district meets. Breakdown:

- Class 1 (single site)
- Class 2 & 3 (double site)
- Class 4 & 5 (double site) (Approved 8-0)
- 6. Recommend the awarding of 4 plaques at each district. One District Champion and three State Qualifier Plaques. (Approved 8-0)
 - 7. Recommend that the manager wristband allows full access to the course and spectator/awards area. (Approved 8-0)

** 8. Recommend that one medal be awarded for an assistant coach of the top 4 teams in each class at the state meet, in addition to the head coach medal. (Approved 8-0)

BOARD ACTION

*	Denied
**	TABLED FOR FURTHER STUDY
***	APPROVED AS AMENDED
****	NO ACTION

ALL OTHERS APPROVED