

Missouri Valley Division

Meeting held February 24, 2010 5:00 PM

Attending: Dan Sharadin, Commissioner; Miami University (OH), Chris Bonk; Lindenwood University, Rich Davison; Saint Louis University, Ray Kreienkamp, Mike O'Neill, John Heffner

The Commissioner asked if anyone knew of other teams interested in joining and Lindenwood indicated they might have a "C" team. In addition it was noted that Northern Illinois would be taking the year off and IL State had moved to another division.

The league schedule was the first item on the agenda. The weekend dates and locations were determined as follows:

- September 18-19 at Rec Plex in Missouri
- October 2-3 at Lindenwood, Missouri, or Western Illinois University
- October 30-31 at Miami (championship)

If Missouri or Western Illinois are unable to get their pool, Lindenwood will try to get a pool for a second date. If Miami cannot get the 30-31 date, they will try for 10/23-24. All dates were tentative pending the ability to secure the pool time.

Teams hosting tournaments in the fall were reminded to submit their Pool Reservation Form as soon as possible so we can complete the schedule and book hotels. This information will be available after we receive these forms.

The Commissioner reminded everyone to have their Club Supervisor submit a Participation Contract ASAP to ensure eligibility. The link to complete the form is found on the Coaching Page of the website under Administrative Forms.

Individuals taking over for their teams in a leadership role were asked to complete the CWPA webinars found on the Membership Page of the website. The webinars will help new leaders become familiar with their responsibilities within the conference.

The Commissioner also requested that each team forward a copy of the Code of Conduct to their teammates before the season begins and follow the sportsmanship guidelines.

All coaches were urged to complete an Evaluation Form about the officials following each of the competitions. These forms are available on the web. If you are unsure of which referee you would like to evaluate, simply go to the officiating assignment page and click on their name, at which point their picture will appear for easy identification.

Those taking over leadership positions with their teams were requested to update their school contact information, located on the Membership Page, as well as send in their media guide info found on the administrative forms link. Roster updates can still be made in September.