

**UPPER PENINSULA ATHLETIC COMMITTEE**  
**Gladstone, April 17, 2014**

**Members Present**

Gary Brayak, Rock-Mid Peninsula  
Jim Derocher, Negaunee  
Dave Duncan, Cedarville (Guest)  
Chris Hartman, Iron Mountain  
Matt Houle, Gladstone  
Al Unger, Kingsford

**Staff Member**

Nate Hampton, Recorder

**Member Absent**

Mike Berutti, Iron River

Representative Council member, Mr. Jim Derocher, Negaunee, chaired the meeting. Mr. Derocher welcomed the committee and David Duncan, Cedarville.

**ENROLLMENT LISTINGS FOR UPPER PENINSULA SCHOOLS**

The committee reviewed the 2014-15 enrollment listing and Division list for all current member schools and specifically for Upper Peninsula schools. The committee made note that two Upper Peninsula schools: Newberry and St. Ignace changed Classes/Divisions.

**SELECTION OF MHSAA TOURNAMENT HOSTS FOR 2014-15**

**Cross Country**

Marquette High School will host Finals in 2014.

**Swim and Dive**

Marquette will host Finals in 2014-15.

**Boys & Girls Tennis**

Girls

Division 1 – Kingsford  
Division 2 – Ishpeming Westwood

Boys

Division 1 – Kingsford  
Division 2 – Ishpeming

**Volleyball**

Class A

District 12	Pre-determined Draw	Non-Traditional Draw
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Class B

District 64	Escanaba	Non-Traditional Draw
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Class C

District 93	Lower Peninsula (2014)	
District 94	Manistique	
District 95	Norway	
District 96	Calumet	Non-Traditional Draw

Class D

District 123	Mackinac Island	
District 124	Rudyard	
District 125	Eben Junction – Superior Central	
District 126	Carney Nadeau	
District 127	Bessemer AD Johnson	Non-Traditional Draw
District 128	Lake Linden-Hubbell	

## Regionals

Class B 16 Sault Ste Marie  
Class C 24 Gladstone  
Class D 31 St. Ignace  
Class D 32 Negaunee

## Quarterfinals

Quarterfinal 12 St. Ignace  
Quarterfinal 16 (Lower Peninsula)

## Basketball

Class A	<u>Girls</u>	<u>Boys</u>
District 12	Pre-Determined Non-Traditional Draw	
Class B		
District 64	Gladstone (Non-Traditional)	Gladstone
Class C		
District 93	(Lower Peninsula)	(Lower Peninsula)
District 94	Gwinn	Ishpeming
District 95	Ishpeming Westwood	Iron Mountain
District 96	Calumet (Non-Traditional)	Ironwood
Class D		
District 123	St Ignace	Engadine
District 124	Cedarville	Detour
District 125	Eben Junction-Superior Ctrl	Rapid River
District 126	Stephenson	Powers-North Central
District 127	Watersmeet (Non-Traditional)	Watersmeet
District 128	Baraga	Ontonagon
Regionals	<u>Girls</u>	<u>Boys</u>
Class B 16	Saulte Ste Marie	Gaylord
Class C 24	Esanaba	Marquette
Class D 31	Pellston	Pellston
Class D 32	Kingsford	Negaunee
Quarterfinal		
Class C 12	Petoskey	Gaylord
Class D 16	Negaunee or Sault Ste. Marie	Marquette or Sault Ste. Marie

### Tournament Entry Requirement

Given the lingering winter weather the committee formally request that the MHSAA Executive Committee waive the four contest tournament entry requirement for spring golf, tennis, baseball, softball and track and field.

The committee will require District 127 Volleyball and Girls and Boys Basketball to be conducted in accordance with the Non-Traditional format.

The committee will discuss the merits of adding a 4<sup>th</sup> division in Boys and Girls Golf. Consideration will be given to the enrollment range and numbers of schools currently assigned to divisions 1, 2 and 3. It is for the full Representative Council, with recommendations from the Classification and UP Athletic Committee, to determine if a division is to be added.

Currently: Division 1 – 9 schools      Division 2 – 10 schools      Division 3 – 24 schools  
Continue discussion for Fall meeting.