

CROSS-COUNTRY SPORT COMMITTEE REPORT

The following Committee members were in attendance:

<u>LEAGUE</u>	<u>REPRESENTATIVE</u>	<u>LEAGUE</u>	<u>REPRESENTATIVE</u>
BVAL-MHAL	Chuck Bean-Silver Creek		
BVAL-STAL	absent	SCCAL	Rob Collins-SLV
BVAL-WVAL	Carlos Robledo-Lincoln	SCVAL-DAL	Paul Armstrong-Cupertino
MTAL	Mike Raggett-Santa Catalina	SCVAL-ECAL	Walt Van Zant-Wilcox
MBL	Alex Siqueiros-Watsonville	TCAL	Alan Green-North Salinas
PAL-OCEAN	Ron DiMaggio-Westmoor	WBAL	Chrissy Diaz-ND-San Jose
PAL-BAY	Bill Daskarolis-Aragon	WCAL	Al Berrin-St. Ignatius
		Report Respectfully Submitted by: Ray Mialovich, CCS Events Coordinator	
	# Members on Committee:	14	
	# Members Present at Meeting:	12	

GUESTS: Mark McConnell, Soquel HS, Mark Foyer, Half Moon Bay Review, Alex Peterson, Monterey HS, Albert Carvana, Crystal Springs Uplands HS, Richard Green, North Salinas HS

STAFF: Nancy Lazenby-Blaser, CCS Commissioner, Steve Filios and Duane Morgan, Ass't. CCS Commissioners

I. TOURNAMENT GUIDE CHANGES--UPDATES FOR NEXT YEAR

This section contains non-major format changes. The CCS Board of Managers will review and, by its acceptance of this report, approve these housekeeping changes. If, at 1st reading, the Board deems any of these as "Major" changes, it may pull them out and send them back to Leagues for further discussion and review. The item will then be returned to the CCS Board at its next meeting for a 2nd reading and final action.

- Section 1. SCHEDULED MEETINGS

A. Organization: ~~WED., AUGUST 27, 2008~~, 7:00PM, @ the CCS office
WED., SEPTEMBER 02, 2009

B. Evaluation: ~~WED., DECEMBER 03, 2008~~, 7:00PM, @ the CCS office
WED., DECEMBER 02, 2009

- Section 2. TOURNAMENT DATES

The Section Meet is scheduled for SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 2009.

(If the Meet is to be called because of inclement weather, the decision will be made as close as possible to 6:00AM on the day of the Meet. The rain-out date is

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 2009.

The meet order will follow the order set by the CIF for the state meet (vote of 8-yes, 2-no, 1-abstain)

Division II	Girls	10:00 AM	Boys	10:30 AM
Division III	Girls	11:05 AM	Boys	11:35 AM
Division IV	Girls	12:10 PM	Boys	12:40 PM
Division V	Girls	1:15 PM	Boys	1:45 PM
Division I	Girls	2:20 PM	Boys	2:50 PM

Section 4.B Clarification

- B. Each League qualifies the top three (3) individuals finishers from their League Championship Meet (not on a qualifying team).

II. PROPOSED MAJOR FORMAT CHANGES:

This section contains any proposal that the staff has determined to be a major change in the core format of the CCS Play-offs in this sport. As such, any item listed below will be reviewed as a 1st-reading at the CCS Board of Managers meeting following the Sport Committee meeting. The Board will return the item(s) to the Leagues for review and discussion; the item(s) will be agendaized at the next Board meeting for final discussion and action.

Proposal #1: The committee voted 12-yes to 0-no, to approve the recommendations of the Blue Ribbon committee on Division placement of schools. Thus the following proposal:

Section 3. DIVISION PLACEMENT

- A. The previous year's grade 9-12 CBEDS enrollment figures, ~~as listed below~~, will be used to ~~for Division placement:~~
Adjust the size of each division insuring that each division has the same number of schools.
 - o **If more than one school has the same enrollment at the "point of division", all schools with that enrollment would be placed in the higher of the two divisions.**
 - o **If the number of schools was not a multiple of five, the "extra" school(s) would be placed beginning in the higher division(s). (i.e. If there are 103 schools participating in a sport, 21 would be placed in Division 1, 21 in Division 2, 21 in Division 3, 20 in Division 4 and 20 in Division 5).**
 - o **Division placement of all member schools for cross country will take place no later than April 15 of each year.**
 - o **When determining the divisions, the CCS staff will utilize a list of enrollments without school names attached to insure objectivity.**
 - o **Note: The state has put enrollment caps on Division 4 (1250) and Division 5 (500), however, if divided into five equal divisions by enrollment, our Division 4 and 5 member schools must still fall within those guidelines.**

<u>Divisions</u>	<u>CBEDS enrollments</u>	<u>(Approximate # CCS schools)</u>
I	2,001+	19
II	1,551 - 2,000	30
III	1,190 - 1,550	23
IV	501 - 1,189	29
V	1 - 500	32

III. RECOMMENDATIONS

This section includes general recommendations to the CCS Board of Managers or staff that are not Tournament format related. Recommendations are just that, implemented or not at the discretion of the staff or the CCS Board. Acceptance of this Sport Committee Report does no more than acknowledge these recommendations. These are not action items. If a recommendation is to be approved, and/or the Board wants to direct staff to institute a particular recommendation, the CCS Board must pull out and vote upon that specific recommendation.

- A. Thank you to Meet Director **Alan Green** & Results Coordinator **Mark McConnell**, and the whole crew for putting on a great Meet. **Alan** will be retiring from this position and we want to give him a special thank you for his years of directing this great event.
- B. The committee voted 12-yes to 0-no to recommend an increase of individual medals to 10 in each division (first ten finishers) and to increase team awards to 3 (first three places) in each division plus any state qualifier.

Section 8. AWARDS

****A.** ~~20 32~~ Team Trophies: ~~Champion and Runner-Up Teams~~ **Top three teams** in all Divisions **and other state qualifiers**

****B.** ~~70~~ Medals: ~~1st through 7th place finishers,~~ **80 Medals: 1st through 10th place finishers,** Girls and Boys, in all Divisions.

This proposal will be forwarded to the CCS Awards Committee for consideration. (see financial report at end of this report).

- C. We need to have more medical help at the meet. Coaches need to be reminded as to their responsibilities to bring medical kits and ice for their teams.

IV. MISCELLANEOUS

This section contains congratulations to Section winners and Honor Coaches or other items the Committee wishes to have recorded in its annual report. Acceptance by the Board of this Sport Committee Report simply acknowledges the items in this section. These are not action items.

A. Congratulations to the 2008 CCS Cross Country Champions:

	<u>Boys</u>	<u>Girls</u>
Division I	Carlmont HS	Carlmont HS
Division II	Mountain View HS	Mountain View HS
Division III	Aptos HS	St. Ignatius HS
Division IV	King City HS	Carmel HS
Division V	Crystal Springs Uplands HS	Castilleja School

REVIEW / ACTION TAKEN BY OTHER CCS ENTITIES

ADAC:

➤ **RECOMMEND APPROVAL/DISAPPROVAL OF REPORT X**
 (non-major changes are approved by this action by the BOM)
Proposal #1: No recommendation

LEAGUE COMM:

➤ **RECOMMEND APPROVAL/DISAPPROVAL OF REPORT X**
 (non-major changes are approved by this action by the BOM)
Proposal #1: No recommendation

EXEC. COMM:

➤ **RECOMMEND APPROVAL/DISAPPROVAL OF REPORT**
 (non-major changes are approved by this action by the BOM)
Proposal #1: Recommend approval/disapproval

CCS STAFF:

➤ **RECOMMEND APPROVAL OF REPORT X**
 (non-major changes are approved by this action by the BOM)
Proposal #1: Recommendation approval

COMMENTS: Acceptance of this report is anticipated at the January 28, 2009 BOM meeting. That acceptance will provide for all Tournament Guide changes contained in this report for the 2009 season.

MAJOR FORMAT CHANGES:

State Meet Qualifiers	<i>boys</i>	<i>boys</i>	<i>boys</i>	<i>boys</i>		<i>girls</i>	<i>girls</i>	<i>girls</i>	<i>girls</i>
	<u>2008</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2005</u>		<u>2008</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2005</u>
D1	2	2	2	2		2	2	2	2
D2	3	3	3	3		3	3	3	3
D3	4	4	4	4		3	3	3	3
D4	3	4	4	4		4	4	4	3
D5	3	3	3	3		3	3	3	3
total	15	16	16	16		15	15	15	14
X-Country Proposal	<i>top 3 in each division & state qualifiers</i>					<i>top 3 in each division & state qualifiers</i>			
	16	17	17	17		16	16	16	15
Current CCS bylaw	<i>top 2 in each division</i>					<i>top 2 in each division</i>			
	10	10	10	10		10	10	10	10
Additional costs @ \$72.50/trophy	\$435.00	\$507.50	\$507.50	\$507.50		\$435.00	\$435.00	\$435.00	\$362.50
Total projected cost for 2009 based on the same number of qualifiers	\$870.00								

X-Country Award Cost Analysis – Individual Awards

	Boys		Girls
X-Country Proposal	<i>top 10 individuals in each division/5 divisions</i>		<i>top 10 individuals in each division/5 divisions</i>
<i>number of medals:</i>	50		50
Current CCS bylaw	<i>top 7 individuals in each division/5 divisions</i>		<i>top 7 individuals in each division/5 divisions</i>
<i>number of medals:</i>	35		35
Additional costs/all divisions @ \$4/medal	\$60.00		\$60.00
Total projected cost for 2009	\$120.00		

X-Country Award Analysis – Individual Awards: CCS Medalists vs. State Meet Qualifiers

Number of state qualifying teams from the CCS - 2008		
	<i>boys</i>	<i>girls</i>
D1	2	2
D2	3	3
D3	4	3
D4	3	4
D5	3	3

If the number of state qualifying teams is:	the top 5 individuals must place in the top:
2	12
3	14
4	16

CCS state meet qualifiers as Individuals	5 individual athletes not on a qualifying team qualify for the state meet under the conditions specified on the chart above							
	<i>boys</i>				<i>girls</i>			
	<u>2008</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2005</u>
D1	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5
D2	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5
D3	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5
D4	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	3
D5	5	5	5	5	3	4	4	4
total	25	25	25	25	23	24	24	22

CCS state qualifiers who medaled at CCS	The top 7 overall individuals in each division currently receive medals							
	<i>boys</i>				<i>girls</i>			
	<u>2008</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2005</u>
D1	3	5	4	5	3	4	4	2
D2	1	3	3	3	2	3	4	2
D3	2	4	3	1	3	3	5	4
D4	4	3	2	4	2	2	2	1
D5	4	3	4	3	1	2	1	1
total	14	18	16	16	11	14	16	10

CCS state qualifiers who would have medaled at CCS under new proposal	The X-country committee proposed that the top 10 individuals in each division should receive medals							
	<i>boys</i>				<i>girls</i>			
	<u>2008</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2005</u>
D1	4	5	5	5	5	5	5	5
D2	3	5	4	5	4	5	4	3
D3	4	5	3	3	4	4	5	5
D4	5	3	3	5	2	2	3	2
D5	5	3	5	4	2	3	2	2
total	21	21	20	22	17	19	19	17

Number of places required to insure a state meet qualifier a CCS medal	The X-country committee proposed that the top 10 individuals in each division should receive medals							
	<i>boys</i>				<i>girls</i>			
	<u>2008</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2008</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2005</u>
D1	11	7	10	6	9	10	9	10
D2	12	9	12	9	12	10	11	12

D3	11	9	16	12		12	12	7	10
D4	10	13	16	8		13	14	16	DNQ 5 indiv.
D5	9	13	10	12		DNQ 5 indiv.	DNQ 5 indiv.	DNQ 5 indiv.	DNQ 5 indiv.