

**District Chairpersons Agenda
March 24, 2021--9:00 am CST
Conference Call**

Travis Jordan, President of the NDHSAA Board of Directors, will chair the meeting.

9:00 am – AGENDA

1. Please bring the following information to the meeting:

1. 2021-22 District Chair
2. 2021-22 Boys and Girls District Basketball site, dates, and manager (if applicable)
3. 2021-22 Boys and Girls Regional site recommendations from paired Districts

2. District Agendas

The various Districts have submitted the following agenda items for discussion. Items preceded by an asterisk (*) are items that may be voted on. Other items will be for discussion only. Before any item is submitted to the Athletic Review for consideration it must receive approval from a simple majority of the Districts in attendance. Thank you for your willingness to represent your District schools.

District 1-----Kent Dennis, Principal/AD Hankinson HS

District 2-----Calvin Kraft, AD Enderlin HS

District 3-----Patti Aanenson, AD Larimore HS

1. Consider shortening warm-up times for volleyball and basketball such as:
 - a. Volleyball – 20 minutes for varsity and 15 for sub-varsity
 - b. Basketball – 15 minutes for varsity and 12 for sub-varsity
2. Would like the NDHSAA to pursue Class B wrestling region realignment*
3. Would like three coaching badges at state wrestling tournament*

District 4-----Sandy Laxdal, Principal/AD Cavalier HS

District 5-----Lucas Isaacson, Principal/AD LaMoure HS

1. Discussion about low Girls basketball numbers

District 6-----Ryan Larson, AD Kidder County HS

1. Baseball: Request to remove "Days of Rest" requirements for NDHSAA "Postseason 3 consecutive-day tournaments" and simply enforce a tournament maximum pitch count per pitcher of 120, 125, 130, or 135. (Final max # determined by baseball committee)*

District 7-----Chad Berger, AD Dakota Prairie HS

District 8-----Brad Fitzgerald, AD St. John HS

1. No items

District 9-----Jerome Slag/AD New Salem-Almont HS

1. Would like to have girls and boys basketball players be able to play 7 quarters per day instead of 6.
2. Wondering why it was \$10 per person at all regional games, and wondering what it may look like in the future.
3. Would like a written description of how regional and state officials are selected.

District 10-----Jason Ermer, AD Garrison HS

District 11-----Steve Heim, AD Drake-Anamoose HS

1. No items

District 12-----Lyll Krueger, AD Surrey HS

1. No items

District 13-----Daryl Jung, AD New England HS

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District 14-----Jason Simpfenderfer, AD Beulah HS

District 15-----Bob Turcotte, AD Trenton HS

District 16-----Julie Termine, AD Burke Central HS

1. Baseball: Play-in games should not count towards a region tournament pitch counts. For example, we have a play-in game on the Tuesday before the Saturday start of our tournament that ends on the following Tuesday. Currently, total pitch count and appearances for the play-in counts towards the region tournament.
2. Baseball: Do not use the Region tournament in counting the maximum allowable contests. There should be a regular-season limit just like other sports, in which the postseason does not count towards that season total. The way our Region 7 Tournament is set up, we can play 2 to 8 games depending on tournament play, so we have to take that into account when scheduling games. We feel that between establishing a regular-season limitation and the pitch count, there are enough limitations in place to protect the players in the post season.
3. Volleyball: Change the required time for the varsity team to be on the court from 25 to 20 minutes.