

CIAC GIRLS VOLLEYBALL COMMITTEE MINUTES
March 27, 2017

Present: Jim Borbas, Craig Brown, Barbara Startup, Rich Heitz, Tim Guernsey, Susie Miner, Heidi Schmidt, Laura Avena, Marty Lisevick, Bob Lehr

Spalding representative Vern Pindar met with the Committee to hear the committee members concerns about the ball. Vern told the committee of options coaches had when they used balls that did not hold air or have other issues. Vern will also address the concerns with the appropriate Spalding people.

Matt Fischer explained power rankings for volleyball and how it will work for the 2017 season. Motion by Tim Guernsey and seconded by Craig Brown to use power rankings for the 2017 season – Motion passed.

Heidi Schmidt gave a review of the 2016 season. It was successful from all perspectives, although some voiced their displeasure over the 10:00 a.m. game. Heidi asked the committee for permission to do double-headers for the semi-finals. Motion by Rich Heitz and second by Laura Avena to permit semi-final double-headers. Motion passed.

Electronic devices (go-pros) on volleyball equipment was discussed. Jim Borbas presented his concerns on behalf of the officials. Motion by Craig Brown and seconded by Marty Lisevick – “No electronic devices, including any form of cameras, may be attached to any volleyball equipment during games.” Motion passed. This should be placed on the alert page.

Bob Lehr discussed an early season tournament that the CIAC will sponsor on September 8, 2018. The details of that event will be worked on by a sub-committee.