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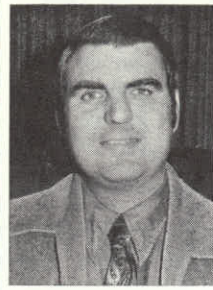
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## COMMISSIONER'S CORNER



T. E. BYRNES

### THE 'NEED' IS KEY FOR ANY RULE

A perennial question we hear in the CIF-SS Office is, "Why doesn't the CIF make a rule that . . . ?" It's an easy question to ask, but the answer is often misunderstood.

Basically, no organization can write rules that specifically cover every conceivable circumstance that might occur. The rules that are written are those felt to be necessary for the efficient functioning of the organization. Rules that attempt to detail violations and corresponding penalties can be a hindrance. The more limiting the rule, the easier its circumvention. The broader the rule, the easier its incorporation.

The rules of a parent organization are universally applicable to its membership. Each of the 10 sections of the California Interscholastic Federation must abide by the State CIF Constitution and By-Laws. Similarly, each of the schools, leagues and school districts within the Southern Section must comply with the CIF-SS Constitution and By-laws.

The CIF is a self-governing association of schools throughout the state whose rules have been determined over six decades to be in the best interests of the schools. If it is felt by any section that a need exists for a regulation within the section that is more restrictive than that of the State CIF, the section may enact such legislation for itself. Correspondingly, a school, district or league, may legislate tighter control over an area of concern than the parent section.

Traditionally, it has been the philosophy of the Southern Section to create new legislation on the basis of need. If problems develop that can best be handled by a new or revised rule, it is usually implemented. Such a Southern Section rule may be stronger than that of the State CIF.

In a similar vein, concerns that become problem areas for individual schools, leagues or school districts, may be dealt with by regulations that

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## MINUTES OF THE CIF-SS EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING April 22, 1976

The April Executive Committee Meeting of the Southern Section of the California Interscholastic Federation was called to order by Chairman Dr. Richard Cordano at 9:04 a.m., Thursday, April 22, 1976 at the Saddleback Inn in Norwalk. All members were present, with the exception of Dr. Lowell Jackson.

1. **APPROVAL OF MINUTES:** It was moved, seconded and passed to approve the Executive Committee Minutes of February 21, 1976 as published in the April issue of the "Monthly Bulletin."

2. **BOYS' ATHLETIC DIRECTORS' UPDATE:** Mr. Clare Van Hoorebeke, representative of the Executive Committee for Boys' athletic directors, reported on an attempt to form a Board of Athletic Directors from the respective area organizations throughout the Southern Section and plans for a newsletter to improve communication.

3. **GIRLS' ATHLETIC DIRECTORS' UPDATE:** Mrs. Barbara Wilson, representative of the Executive Committee for Girls' Athletic Directors, reported on a number of areas of growth and the need for a case book and officials' manual in softball—this to be conveyed to the Girls' representatives on the State Federated Council.

4. **TITLE IX COMMITTEE:** Mrs. Barbara Wilson, Chairman of the Title IX Committee, reported on the group's objective, to act as a referral body and direct any guidelines passed down under Title IX to the appropriate CIF-SS committee charged with the item under discussion.

5. **BLUE BOOK COMMITTEE:** Mr. Lou Joseph, chairman of the Blue Book Committee, reported on a number of areas under discussion for possible change. Following discussion, it was moved, seconded and passed to recommend the following items for inclusion in the "Blue Book": (1) that the Southern Section align with State CIF Rule 208, which allows summer school academic work to count toward the determining of eligibility (Article X, Section 4, page 23), and (2) that the re-wording of Article XXXIX, Section 12-E, page 64, which would reflect the term "physician" being up-dated in accordance with present State laws.

6. **ALUMNI COMMITTEE:** Mr. Lou Joseph, chairman of the Alumni Committee, reported on the success of the Alumni Night held in conjunction with the CIF-SS basketball championships and the inclusion of this group on our "Monthly Bulletin" distribution.

7. **COMBINED SEASONS OF SPORT COMMITTEE:** Mr. Steve Miletich, chairman of the Combined Season of Sport Committee, reported on a new proposal for possible adoption by the Southern Section. Following discussion, it was moved, seconded and passed that the Executive Committee endorse the concept and forward same to the Council.

8. **ATHLETIC INJURIES COMMITTEE:** Mr. Ferren Christensen, chairman of the Athletic Injuries Committee, reported on a CIF-SS Athletic Injuries Symposium, scheduled for October 14, 1976 for all member schools.

9. **ORANGE COUNTY SECTION COMMITTEE:** Mr. Ferren Christensen, chairman of the Orange County Section Committee, gave an updated report of recent meetings, with a final written report to be forthcoming.

10. **TREASURER'S REPORT:** Dr. Hanford Rants, treasurer, gave an updated report and projection for the 1975-76 budget of the CIF Southern Section.

11. **FEES COMMITTEE:** Mr. Ted Gossard, chairman of the Fees Committee, reported on areas of recommended change for the 1976-77 school year. Following discussion, it was moved, seconded and passed to recommend to the CIF-SS Council, adoption of the officials' fees schedule as submitted.

12. **STATE REPORT:** Mr. Tony Balsamo, Mr. Steve Miletich and Mrs. Barbara Wilson reported on a number of items to be brought to a vote at the June meeting of the State Federated Council. Following discussion, it was moved, seconded and passed for the Southern Section Representatives to vote as follows on the specific items:

A. **San Francisco Proposal** — To deny support that Sections be permitted to combine schools for the

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## EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

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fielding of a team in which that sport is not offered.

B. **Girls' Swimming Distances** — To support the request that shorter swimming distances in addition to those listed in the National Federation Rules, be permitted for girls, upon Section adoption.

C. **Girls' Soccer** — To deny support that soccer be recognized as a girls' sanctioned sport.

D. **Regional Wrestling** — To support the "two-region concept" of qualifying for the State Wrestling Meet, effective the 1976-77 season.

E. **Maximum Wrestling Contests** — To support the proposal limiting all Sections to a maximum of 18 matches, not including Sectional, Regional and State Tournaments.

F. **Regional Track** — To support the "one-day regional concept" of qualifying for the State Track and Field Meet, effective the 1976-77 season.

G. **Form 99** — To support the "Form 99" proposal for inclusion in the State Federated CIF Constitution and By-Laws.

13. **SEASON OF SPORT COMMITTEE:** Mr. Jim Faul, chairman of the Season of Sport Committee, gave a progress report of his group. Following discussion, it was moved, seconded and passed to table further action by this Committee, pending Council input from the Combined Season of Sport Committee's proposal.

14. **OLYMPIC LEAGUE REQUEST:** Mr. Bruce Keuning, representative of the Olympic League, made a proposal on adjusting the overlap of the Girls' basketball and softball seasons. Following discussion, it was moved, seconded and passed to deny the request.

15. **MEMBERSHIP REQUESTS:** It was moved, seconded and passed to grant regular membership to Van Horn Center (Riverside) and Woodcrest Christian High School (Riverside), effective this date.

16. **MISSION VALLEY APPEAL:** The Mission Valley League, on behalf of Monrovia High School, appealed that the forfeited baseball game between Monrovia and Rosemead high schools be declared no contest and be replayed. Following discussion, it was moved, seconded and passed to deny the appeal.

17. **FINANCIAL REGULATIONS:** The Commissioner reported on the area of financial conflicts in some sports involving playoffs. Following discussion, it was moved, seconded and passed that in the sports of basketball, football and volleyball for both Boys and Girls, it be made mandatory that admission be charged in all playoff



Members of this year's CIF-SS Executive Committee are Steve Miletich (front, left), Dr. Hanford Rants, Lou Joseph, Commissioner Thomas Byrnes, Dr. Richard Cordano, Tony Balsamo and Ferren Christensen. Back row of Ted Gossard (left), Clare Van Hoorebeke, Joseph Deal, Gene Hartley, Barbara Wilson, Gene Knott, Bruce Keuning and Tedford Andrews.

contests. It was further moved, seconded and passed that in the sports of badminton, baseball, field hockey, gymnastics, soccer, softball, tennis and water polo, with the exception of the championship finals, if the CIF-SS manages such activity, that schools not be required to charge admission for these activities. However, upon petition to the CIF-SS Office by the principals of the schools involved to charge admission, the Commissioner may waive this policy.

18. **SWIMMING RULE MODIFICATION:** A proposal, calling for leagues to have the option of conducting shorter swimming distances at the frosh-soph level was presented. Following discussion, it was moved, seconded and passed to place this proposal back on the Council agenda for the May meeting.

19. **REGIONAL BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT:** The Commissioner submitted an inquiry from the Los Angeles City Section, seeking a possible regional basketball tournament that would also include the San Diego Section. Following discussion, it was moved, seconded and passed that the Commissioner prepare a proposal with the aid of these Sections for submission to the CIF-SS Council at its September, 1976 meeting.

20. **MEETING DATES:** It was moved, seconded and passed to adopt the calendar of meeting dates of the CIF Southern Section for 1976-77.

21. **CATHOLIC ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION:** It was moved, seconded and passed to sustain the Catholic Athletic Association's action regarding Chaminade High School for its soccer violation.

22. **TRI-VALLEY LEAGUE REPORT:** It was moved, seconded and

passed to sustain the Tri-Valley League's action regarding Carpinteria High School for its softball violation.

23. **MULTI-CAMPUS REQUESTS:** Simi Valley H.S., Royal H.S., Santa Monica H.S. and Whitney School submitted requests for multi-campus classification. Following discussion, it was moved, seconded and passed to support these schools' multi-campus requests, subject to State CIF multi-campus approval of the present Southern Section proposal before that body.

24. **SIERRA LEAGUE REPORT:** It was moved, seconded and passed to table action on the Sierra League's action regarding South Hills High School for its Girls' basketball violation, pending further input from two other schools involved.

25. **AAU WRESTLING PRESENTATION:** Mr. George Beresford, wrestling chairman of the SPAAU, appeared before the Committee to explain off-season program's in Greco-Roman and Freestyle wrestling. Following discussion, it was moved, seconded and passed to sustain the present interpretation that a coach's association with any potential team members at his respective school in this program outside the season of sport is a violation of CIF-SS Rules.

26. **CADA PRESENTATION:** Mr. Mangus, past-president of the California Activities Directors' Association, appeared before the Committee to give a report of his group's organization. Following discussion, it was moved, seconded and passed that the CIF Southern Section endorse CADA and its sponsored workshops in the area of cheerleading and student activities.

27. **DOMESTIC FOREIGN EX-**



## MISSION VIEJO DEFENDS CIF-SS SWIM HONORS; KELLEY BREAKS RECORD

Make it two straight titles for Mission Viejo High School's swimming and diving team.

Mission Viejo walked off with repeat honors in the 4A division of the CIF Southern Section, rolling up 159 points to runnerup Fountain Valley's 107 tally.

However, it was not a year for records in the 4A as Mike Kelley of Fountain Valley clocked a 1:37.5 in the 200-medley relay for the only new mark.

### 4A VARSITY RESULTS

**200 Medley Relay**—Fountain Valley, Mission Viejo, Buena, 1:38.9.

**200 Freestyle**—Brian Goodell (Mission Viejo), Casey Converse (Mission Viejo), John Dobrott (Newport Harbor), 1:40.9.

**200 Individual Medley**—Blake Johnson (Thousand Oaks), Randy Kalbus (L.B. Wilson), Jesse Vassallo (Mission Viejo), 1:53.8.

**50 Freestyle**—Mike Kelly (Fountain Valley), Craig Dinkel (Thousand Oaks), Sam Jones (Edison), 21.3.

**Diving**—Kevin Wilson (Rolling Hills), Becky Rush (Sunny Hills), Scott Rowe (Palos Verdes), 434.0 pts.

**100 Butterfly**—Neil MacReady (La Habra), Kevin Robertson (Newport Harbor) and Ramon Volcan (Millikan), 51.6.

**100 Freestyle**—Keith Johnson (Huntington Beach), Mike Hayes (Newbury Park), Mike Malony (Pasadena), 47.1.

**500 Freestyle**—Brian Goodell (Mission Viejo), Casey Converse (Mission Viejo), Jesse Vassallo (Mission Viejo), 4:29.

**100 Backstroke**—Blake Johnson (Thousand Oaks), Mike Kelly (Fountain Valley), Mark Kousnetz (Anaheim), 53.9.

**100 Breaststroke**—Larry Holmes (Millikan), Eric Steinhouse (Buena), Andy Miller (Fountain Valley), 59.1.

**400 Freestyle Relay**—Ramon Volcan (Millikan), Dan Fisher (Mission Viejo), Ricardo Nicols (Newport Harbor), 3:13.5.

### 4A TEAM SCORES

Mission Viejo 159, Fountain Valley 107, Millikan 95½, Newport Harbor 93½, Thousand Oaks 72, Foothill 67, Huntington Beach 61, San Marcos 60½, Buena 48, Mira Costa 42½, Edison 38, Newbury Park 36, Rolling Hills 36.



**4A CHAMPION**—Mission Viejo H.S. team and winning coach Mike Pelton (second row, far right) defend CIF-SS swimming honors.

## EIGHT RECORDS FALL IN FINALS

## SAN MARINO CLAIMS 3A SWIM TITLE

This marks just the second year for the 3A division of the CIF Southern Section's swimming and diving championships, but San Marino High School already has a monopoly on the title.

San Marino made it two straight in the race for the coveted title and the Titans more than doubled the count of their closest rival—running up a 258-point tally over second place El Dorado, which finished with 109.

Needless to say, being just the second year for the 3A division, there were a host of records broken—eight to be exact.

Accounting for the marks were Mike Elleman of San Marino in the 200 freestyle (1:39.3), Ron Kehrman of San Marino in the 200-individual medley (1:57.9), Byron Sims of Rancho Alamitos in the 100 freestyle (46.4) and Elleman in the 500 freestyle (4:31.2).

Other marks were by John Rathbun

of South Pasadena in the 100 backstroke (53.1), Kehrman in the 100 breaststroke (59.9), San Marino's foursome of Elleman, Dennis Scannell, J. D. Conghton and Jeff Davis in the 400-freestyle relay (3:12.6) and Mike Kelley of Notre Dame in the 50 freestyle (21.0).

In addition, there were seven new marks set in the 3A Frosh-Soph level of competition.

### 3A VARSITY RESULTS

**200 Medley Relay**—San Marino, Upland, Lompoc, 1:40.4.

**200 Freestyle**—Mike Elleman (San Marino), Byron Sims (Rancho Alamitos), John Rathbun (South Pasadena), 1:39.3.

**200 Individual Medley**—Ron Kehrman (San Marino), Mike Harrison (San Marino), Dennis Scannell (San Marino), 1:57.9.

**50 Freestyle**—Clifford Jolley (Downey), Mike Harbottle (Montclair), Jay Bickford (El Dorado), 21.6.

**Diving**—Wendell Simpson (San Marino), Allan Gillman (Garden Grove), Fred Weber (San Marino), 382.15 pts.

**100 Butterfly**—George Luchs (Riv. Poly), Mike Harrison (San Marino), Louie Caron (San Marino), 54.1.

**100 Freestyle**—Byron Sims (Rancho Alamitos), Mike Kelly (Notre Dame, SO), Cliff Jolley (Downey), 46.4.

**500 Freestyle**—Mike Elleman (San Marino), Dennis Scannell (San Marino), Roy Cedarstrom (El Dorado), 4:31.2.

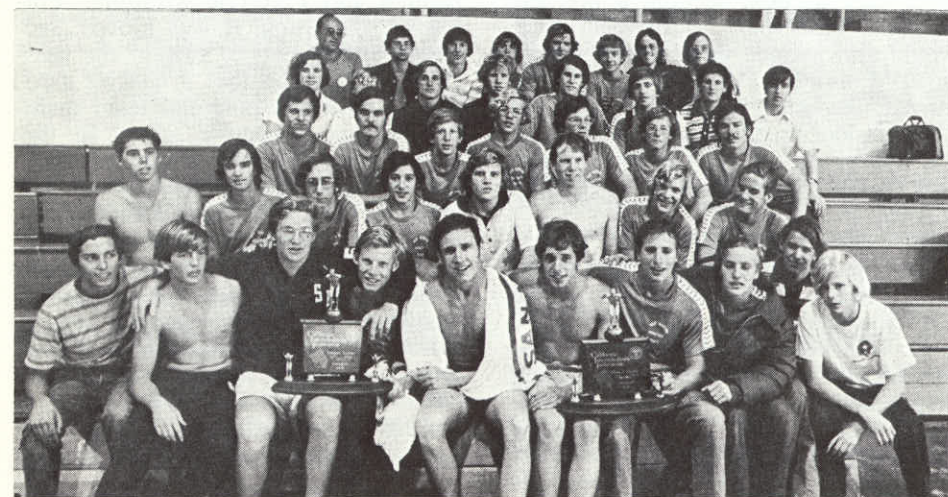
**100 Backstroke**—John Rathbun (South Pasadena), Matt Roberts (La Canada), Howard Hyde (Upland), 53.1.

**100 Breaststroke**—Ron Kehrman (San Marino), David Oakes (Upland), Kevin Johnson (Antelope Valley), 59.9.

**400 Freestyle Relay**—San Marino, Claremont, El Dorado, 3:12.6.

### 3A TEAM SCORES

San Marino 258, El Dorado 109, La Canada 89, Downey 84, Claremont 68, Upland 58, Lompoc 57, Riverside Poly 48, Rancho Alamitos 36, Sonora 35, La Quinta 28, Montclair 28, South Pasadena 28.



**3A TITLIST**—Jubilant San Marino team and coach Burt Kanner (top row, left) after winning CIF-SS swim honors.

## COACHES CORNER



## FOOTBALL 'TIE-BREAKER' RULE REMAINS OPTIONAL FOR LEAGUE ADOPTION

Member leagues of the CIF Southern Section will again have the option of adopting the "10-yard tie-breaker" plan for the upcoming 1976 season.

The Executive Committee (April 22) and the Council (May 6) gave their approval to maintain the plan, but also extended its coverage.

The "10-yard tie-breaker" system remains optional for league adoption, but schools may—by mutual agreement—utilize the plan in non-league contests as well.

There is no change for the post-season playoffs, with the "10-yard tie-breaker" system being in effect for all CIF Southern Section playoff contests.

League representatives are reminded that the system, if adopted, may be used for the varsity, junior varsity and frosh-soph levels.

Details of the plan are covered on pages 83-85 of the new National Federation Rule Book, which will be mailed to all member schools.

## IDEAL TIME TO REVIEW SUMMER COMPETITION RULES

It's just about time for the close to another school year and it would be appropriate for athletic directors to review with their staffs the guidelines covering competition during the summer months.

From the close of school in June until the opening of school in the fall semester, there shall be no restriction on high school coaches working with high school students or entering them in summer competition.

However, a member school may not sponsor a team's entry, provide uniforms or equipment, or otherwise be responsible for students in summer competition.

Coaches having teams entered in summer competition should be reminded that their teams may NOT start competition prior to the close of their school year in June—even though the league in which they are entered may have an earlier starting date.

## RULE CHANGES NOTED FOR 1976-77 SEASON

## 'Dunking' Returns To Prep Basketball Scene

Don't look now, but the "stuff" is back in high school basketball . . . the only item required is to locate a player tall enough to carry out the assignment for your squad.

This is one of the major rule changes for the 1976-77 prep season as noted by the new National Federation Rules.

However, the dunk is only legal during the course of the game and any "stuff" conducted prior to the game or at halftime will draw a technical foul.

Another major change that also draws on the technical foul will be two shots assessed any coach, follower or team attendant resulting from bench decorum.

Listed below are the major rule changes for the 1976-77 campaign, with complete details to be listed when the new edition of the rule book is printed.

1—Time has been extended to rectify dead ball correctable errors which have occurred while the clock is stopped so as to be the same as correctable errors which have occurred while the clock is running.

2—Shirts purchased after June, 1976 with waist opening bands of any color exceeding four inches in width and at least four inches from the bottom of the number are not legal.

3—Request to a scorer for a time out to correct an error must be made before the ball becomes live following the first dead ball after the error.

4—A player throwing the ball in may step on the out of bounds line, so long as he does not break the inside plane of any end line or side line with any part of his body before the ball has crossed the line.

5—Dunking is legal during the game, but prohibited before the game and/or during any intermission.

6—Dunking prior to the game or during any intermission is a technical foul.

7—Technical fouls charged to a coach, follower or team attendant resulting from bench decorum or conduct are to be penalized with two free throws.

## 'FAIR CHARGE' DRAWS CLARIFICATION

## NATIONAL FEDERATION NOTES SOCCER CHANGES

Clarification of a "fair charge" is one of the major highlights of the new soccer rules for the 1976-77 season as released by the National Federation.

There are few changes for next year, with the focal point of the fair charge being defined as shoulder-to-shoulder contact with an opponent as long as the arms and elbows are close to the body and the ball is within playing distance.

Highlights for 1976-77 season include the following:

1—Provides a player wearing illegal equipment must be replaced and the opposing team may substitute a like number.

2—Specifies that by the 1979-80 season, when striped shirts are purchased the numbers must be placed on a patch which contrasts with the jersey and number.

3—Restricts shoe cleats or studs to one-half inch diameter at the tip and project one-half inch diameter from the sole and heel.

4—Provides the clock is stopped for taking a penalty kick and for cautioning (yellow card) or disqualifying (red card) a player.

5—Requires the referee to sound his whistle as soon as the ball is in position to be played.

6—Explains clear possession by the goalie.

7—Clarifies a fair charge is one in which the player makes shoulder-to-shoulder contact with his opponent with the arms and elbows close to the body and the ball within playing distance.



## 'THE TEN COMMANDMENTS FOR AN INJURED ATHLETE'

- I. The injured Athlete is not in a normal condition — the Athlete is in a state requiring medical attention and personal understanding.
- II. The injured Athlete is not a routine concern — the Athlete is an individual case requiring individual evaluation and treatment.
- III. The injured Athlete is deserving of the most courteous and attentive treatment we can offer.
- IV. The injured Athlete is not an interruption to our work — the Athlete is the purpose of our work.
- V. The injured Athlete is here because of a need — not necessarily because the Athlete wants to be.
- VI. The injured Athlete is not a cold statistic — the Athlete is a flesh and blood human being with emotions and feelings like our own.
- VII. The injured Athlete is not someone with whom we should argue or match wits.
- VIII. The injured Athlete deserves to be fully rehabilitated so that he may return safely and promptly to competition.
- IX. The injured Athlete is deserving of professional treatment by personnel who keep abreast of the latest knowledge and techniques of modern medical research as it relates to sports medicine.
- X. The injured Athlete is the most important person in our mission.

## EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MINUTES

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**CHANGE:** Dr. Hanford Rants presented correspondence from the American Field Service seeking reconsideration for recognition of its domestic exchange program as it relates to interscholastic eligibility. Following discussion, it was moved, seconded and passed to deny this request.

**28. IVY LEAGUE REPORT:** It was moved, seconded and passed to sustain the Ivy League's action in regard to Moreno Valley (member of the league for water polo only), for its water polo violation.

**29. GIRLS' UNIFORMS:** Ms. Margaret Davis, Administrative Assistant, reported on a lack of consistency in the "home and away" uniform colors for Girls as it compares to the Boys' regulation in the CIF-SS Blue Book. Following discussion, it was moved, seconded and passed that the guidelines for Girls be the same as those stated for Boys under Article XXXVII, Section 12, page 59 of the Blue Book.

**30. PIONEER LEAGUE REPORT:** It was moved, seconded and passed to sustain the Pioneer League action regarding Leuzinger H.S. for its Girls' basketball violation.

**31. VOLLEYBALL RULES MODIFICATION:** Ms. Margaret Davis, Administrative Assistant, reported on possible volleyball rules modifications for Boys and Girls for the 1976-77 season. Following discussion, it was moved, seconded and passed to recommend to the State Federated Council, approval for the Southern Section to conduct on an experimental basis for one year, modifications in four areas of the National Federation Rules of Volleyball for boys and girls, effective the 1976-77 season.

## 32. GIRLS' RULE BOOK ADOPTIONS:

It was moved, seconded and passed to adopt USFHA Rules for field hockey effective the 1976-77 season. Additionally, it was moved, seconded and passed to recommend to the CIF-SS Council the adoption of National Federation Girls' Gymnastics Rules effective the 1976-77 season. It was further moved, seconded and passed to forward copies of all adopted rules books to the coaches of Girls' teams in the following sports effective the 1976-77 school year: volleyball, basketball, track and field, swimming and diving, softball, cross country and field hockey.

**33. SAN GABRIEL H.S. APPEAL:** It was moved, seconded and passed to deny reconsideration of previous action regarding San Gabriel High School and that its girls' tennis team not be permitted to enter the 1976-77 playoffs if it so qualifies.

**34. CENTRAL COAST LEAGUE:** It was moved, seconded and passed to table any action on Coast Union H.S. competing in the Los Padres League for Girls, pending further investigation.

**35. LONE PINE REQUEST:** It was moved, seconded and passed to approve the annual request of Lone

## CIF-SS OFFICE PROVIDES MONTHLY LISTING SERVICE

Don't forget to take advantage of the services offered by the CIF-SS Office in the areas of games wanted, coaching vacancies and directory changes.

Simply call or mail your openings at least once each month and that same list for both Boys and Girls will be circulated to all 466 members schools throughout the Southern Section.

## CIF-SS CALENDAR DATES SET FOR 1976-77 TERM

Be prepared!

If you're a league representative, now's the time to set your calendar for the 1976-77 school year, relative to the meeting dates of the Executive Committee, CIF-SS Council and State Federated Council.

League reps are encouraged to hold their respective alignment meetings at least a week prior to the Council dates.

**Executive Committee** — September 18, October 30, January 13, February 17, April 21 and June 18-19.

**Council** — September 30, January 20, March 17 and May 5.

**Stated Federated Council** — October 8-9, January 28-29 and June 10-11.

Pine High School for an early starting time to its golf tournament on the 1976-77 season.

**36. FOOTBALL TIE-BREAKER:** Mr. Ray Plutko, Administrative Assistant, reported on the "10-Yard Tie-Breaker Rule" for football. Following discussion, it was moved, seconded and passed that the "10-Yard Tie-Breaker Rule" be mandatory for all CIF-SS playoff contests; that it be made optional for league use by league adoption; and that it be used for non-league games by mutual agreement, effective the 1976-77 season.

**37. SADDLEBACK BOARD:** It was moved, seconded and passed to note receipt of the resolution concerning coaches and their freedom to coach the sport on a year-round basis from the Saddleback Valley Board of Education.

**38. INTERNATIONAL SCHOOLSPORTS FEDERATION:** Mr. Ken Fagans approached the Committee to present informational background on the cultural exchange program conducted by International SchoolSports Federation. Following discussion, it was moved, seconded and passed that the Southern Section seek tentative approval from the State Federated Council for two of its teams to represent the United States in the sports of skiing and basketball at the 1977 competition in Europe and that Mr. Fagans make a presentation of same at the May meeting of the Southern Section Council.

There being no further business to come before the Executive Committee, the meeting adjourned at 4:56 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,  
Ray Plutko  
Administrative Assistant

Approved by:  
Thomas E. Byrnes  
Commissioner

## WOMEN COACHES OFFERED SERIES OF WORKSHOPS IN LATEST TECHNIQUES

Attempting to keep pace with the latest in techniques, strategy and rule changes is a task in itself, but there's a ready-made solution for coaches in at least six areas this summer.

Providing the answers will be a unique program from Cal State University at Long Beach, which will be offering a series of clinics and workshops for women coaches.

Comprising the agenda will be offerings in volleyball, gymnastics, softball, basketball, track and field and tennis.

The series is being offered for graduate credit and coaches may enroll for two clinics each week.

Further information is available by contacting the physical education department on campus.

Also being offered this summer are a series of athlete camps, ranging from volleyball, swimming, tennis, softball, gymnastics, basketball, soccer and field.

**VOLLEYBALL** — Offered June 14-18 from 8-11 a.m. by Lou Ann Terheggan; offered June 21-25 from 8-11 a.m. by Dixie Grimmer. Sessions are progressive and not a duplication.

**GYMNASTICS** — Offered June 14-18 from 12 noon to 3 p.m. by Marion and Henry Duncan.

**SOFTBALL** — Offered June 21-25 from 12 noon to 3 p.m. by Johnna Moore.

**BASKETBALL** — Offered June 28 to July 2 from 8-11 a.m. by Dixie Grimmer; offered July 6-9 from 8-11:45 a.m. by Dr. Frances Schaafsma. Sessions are progressive and not a duplication.

**TRACK & FIELD** — Offered June 28 to July 2 from 12 noon to 3 p.m. by Les Berman and Martha Watson.

**TENNIS** — Offered July 6-9 from 12 noon to 3:45 p.m. by Dr. Joan Johnson.

## FIELD HOCKEY WORKSHOP, SEMINAR AVAILABLE

Field hockey coaches and those interested in officiating of the sport will have the ideal opportunity this summer when Cal Poly State University offers its third annual workshop and seminar.

This year's affair is set for June 21-26 on the State University campus in Pomona, with an outstanding list of guest speakers from both the coaching and



Betty Bogolin gains top honor

## MONROVIA'S BOGOLIN GAINS STATE HONOR

Congratulations to Betty Bogolin named "Women Athletic Director of the Year" and so honored at the California State AD Association convention in San Diego.

Bogolin is the Girls' athletic director at Monrovia High School and has been in the physical education department for seven years.

Bogolin is a native of Atlanta, Ga., however, having been a physical education instructor for nine years in that area before arriving at Monrovia.

## FEMININE FOCUS



## SOFTBALL NUMBER SIZE NOTED FOR UNIFORMS

Softball coaches were brought up to date on the equipment changes in softball under the National Federation Rules and one of those areas noted was the size of the numbers.

There was a misprint on the size and it should read that effective with the 1979 season, all numbers MUST be at least EIGHT inches high on the back of the uniform.

## DIALOGUE IS SUGGESTION TO ENHANCE PROGRAMS FOR GIRLS' ATHLETICS

You won't have to break down the door — just make an appointment.

Directors of Girls' athletic programs sometimes suggest that administrative support for Boys' athletic programs far exceeds that for similar Girls' programs. If there is some truth in that statement, perhaps there are some reasons why.

Traditionally, the coaches of Boys' teams and their athletic directors have established a working relationship and good rapport with those persons administratively responsible for their programs.

The existing dialogue and extra effort by male coaching staff members may have reaped benefits for their programs. Certainly, the information exchanged between coaches and principals has given administrators in charge a broader perspective of program needs.

It is now time for women to initiate some of the same steps as the men have taken before us. An exchange by principals and women athletic staff members can only bring increased awareness and added consideration for the sports programs offered for Girls at each of our member schools.

The CIF Southern Section urges you to share your ideas and concerns with your administrators. Outline your program, ask for assistance and work as a team towards the development of a mutually successful program for both Boys and Girls' athletics.

Don't break down the door, just walk in and say HI!



## FOOTHILL-CITRUS GROUP PROVIDES UNIQUE HONOR FOR SCHOLAR-ATHLETES

With guest speaker Dr. Richard Perry of USC doing the honors, the Foothill-Citrus Athletic Director's Association honored the top scholar-athletes from their area in its initial such venture.

Sharing the top award of 31 so honored were Paul Miller of Charter Oak and Larry Fisher of Los Altos. Both sported perfect 4.0 grade point averages and are also student body presidents of their respective schools.

The goal of the Association was to honor the students for their outstanding contributions on the athletic field, in the classroom, to their school and their community.

Emcee for the evening was television actor Ed Nelson — a fine program indeed.

### COMMISSIONER'S CORNER

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are more binding than those of the CIF-SS. The basic guideline is that you can't be more liberal.

For example, the Southern Section requires that in order for a student to be academically eligible, he or she must be passing in at least 20 semester periods of new work. A school **could** enact a rule requiring the passing of 25 semester periods or require a 2.0 grade average. These are more restrictive than the Southern Section and in no way are in conflict with the CIF-SS.

Another example might be that Southern Section athletes may compete at the varsity level one day and at the JV level the next. Leagues may, if they wish, prohibit such a change. School districts as another illustration, may enforce rules limiting athletic travel while such restrictions might not be imposed by the CIF-SS.

It should be noted, however, that the opportunity to impose more restrictive regulations than the parent organization does not extend to the area of playing rules, such as those of the National Federation or other such bodies.

The Southern Section, as a practical matter, finds it no easy task in making rules applicable and appropriate for all 466 of its member schools. Under the CIF-SS umbrella of basic rules, our schools, districts and leagues are using self-determination in the enactment and enforcement of their own rules and regulations that best fit their needs.

## CIF-SS BASKETBALL CHAMPS



**4A CHAMPION** — Ventura High School team and coach Chuck Shively (back row, left) all smiles after winning crown.



**3A WINNER** — El Dorado H.S. team with coach Linda Anderson (right) and Girls' athletic director Gail Rellstab (left).



**2A TITLIST** — Central H.S. squad, coach John Dormann (top, left) and Merry Lee Dormann (middle, left) new CIF champ.