AGENDA

National Collegiate Athletic Association
Division III Football Committee

NCAA James Frank Room
Indianapolis, Indiana

March 26-28, 2018

1. Welcome and introductions.

2. Financials.

3. Governance update. (Louise McCleary/Jeff Myers)

4. Overview/update on 150th anniversary of college football. (Oliver Luck)

5. Findings during the C.A.R.E. Consortium. (Brian Hainline)

6. Travel update. (Juanita Sheely)


8. Preliminary round items.
   a. Is host maintaining neutrality needed? [Home team in-game advantages (i.e., Cannons, special music by PA, horns, videoboard pictures)].
   b. Remind host schools to use NCAA provided videos and promos for scoreboards.
   c. Coaches' press boxes.
   d. Conference call and administrative meeting agenda. [Supplement Nos. 1, 2 and 3]
   e. Host seating.
   f. Reserved seating for visiting teams.
   g. Drug testing.
   h. Site rep training.
   i. Attendance.
j. Game duration. [Supplement No. 4]

k. Bench size.

l. Inclement weather contingency plans.

m. Game programs – quality/quantity/sales.

n. Film exchange procedure.
   • Penalty if not posted.

o. Home team is required to upload (win or loss).

p. 2017 bracket. [Supplement No. 5]

q. Game times and time zone.

   • Cooling off period.

s. Credentials.


a. Review schedule of events.

b. Game operations staff.
   (1) Ball crew vests/first down sticks.
   (2) Security.

c. Game day walkthrough.

d. Locker room access.

e. Uniforms option/patches/helmet stickers.
f. ESPN.
   - Game time.

g. Field markings.

h. Committee responsibilities.

i. Value of videoboard.

j. Officials – alternate.

k. Banquet.

l. Gagliardi presentation.

m. Media interviews.

n. Community service.

o. Special Olympics.

p. Award ceremony.

q. Signage.

r. Lodging.

s. Improvements/enhancements.

10. Television ratings. [Supplement No. 6]

11. Committee operations.
   a. Regional advisory committee. [Supplement No. 7]
   b. Review of manuals.
   c. 2018-19 nominees.
   d. Survey results. [Supplement No. 8]
12. Sports sponsorship and alignments. [Supplement No. 9]
   a. Automatic qualifying conferences/conference realignments.
   b. Pools A, B and C.
   c. Regional alignments.

13. Selection and pairing procedures.
   a. Selection process and voting. [Supplement No. 10]
      - Selection criteria.
         o S.O.S.
         o Conference RPI.
         o In region.
   b. Timetable on selection weekend.
   c. Bracketing software.
   d. Seeding.

   - Mount Union.

15. Officiating
   a. Assignment history/procedure. (Mark Baltz)
      (1) Crew selection procedure. [Supplement No. 11]
      (2) Overall evaluation.
      (3) Officials' assignments 2012-2017. [Supplement No. 12]
b. Officiating evaluations.

c. Instant Replay/DVSport [Supplement No. 13]

d. Targeting procedure – semifinals/championship game vs. other rounds.


17. Dates and sites of future meetings.

18. Other items.

19. Adjournment.

NOTE: Please be sure to bring with you to the meeting your copies of:

- 2017-18 Division III Football Pre-Championship Manual
- 2017-18 Division III Football Committee Operations Manual