



GOLF

ADVISORY COMMITTEE

MEETING AGENDA

October 9, 2019

The following members were present for the meeting: Greg Walker-Director of Golf, Peoria Park District; Isaac Steidinger-Administrator, Lexington; Mike Wallace-Administrator, East Peoria Central; Craig Toler-Coach, Sullivan; Chuck Westendorf-Coach, Peoria Christian; Greg Duncan-Coach, Macomb; Randall Browning-Coach, Greenview and Kyle Meger-Head Golf Professional, Kellogg

The IESA Golf Advisory Committee makes the following recommendations to the IESA Board of Directors for their January 31, 2020 meeting.

Recommendation: At the sectional, ties will be broken for 2-9th place using the USGA scorecard playoff. If there are any ties for 10th place, one golfer will get the medal and the other ties for 10th will receive their medal at state.

Current: We do not break ties for any place except for 1st place. If there are ties, one golfer gets the medal. The host course is asked to complete the tie form we provide and send it to us along with any unused medals. We then bring the medals for ties to state to give to the golfers.

Proposed: Break ties for 2-9th place using the USGA scorecard playoff format.

(The method of matching cards should be announced in advance and should also provide what will happen if this procedure does not produce a winner. Matching cards will be used to break a tie using the last nine holes. If the tying players have the same score for the last nine, we will determine the winner on the basis of the last six holes, last three holes and finally the 18th hole. If there is still a tie, then the last six holes, three holes and final hole of the first nine holes will be used.)

Rationale: This will make it easier on the host courses. Courses now only have to tell us the names of the ties for 10th place. This will also makes it more cost effective for the IESA when ordering medals.

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Discussion Topics

- Thank you to Peoria Park District and sectional hosts
- State series competition in golf for teams and team awards.
- Discussed possibly moving the initial registration deadline
- Adding golfers to the field at state after golfers drop. If there is a full field (144 golfers), we will not add golfers to the field.
- Pace of play was discussed at state but the committee feels that slow play is unavoidable with this level of play. PPD was on the course at state multiple times to help with slow play.
- Discussed requiring host courses to designate observer or volunteer coordinators to help coaches not have to observe.
- Discussed start times for sectionals.

Thanked Greg Duncan of Macomb and Chuck Westendorf of Peoria Christian for the service on the advisory committee.

Next Meeting: October 14, 2020