

POCATELLO/CHUBBUCK SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 25
BOARD OF TRUSTEES
SPECIAL MEETING FOR THE PURPOSE OF DISCUSSION REGARDING THE MEMORANDUM FROM
IHSAA REGARDING CLASSIFICATIONS FOR 2012-2014 AND TO PROVIDE DIRECTION ON A
CLASSIFICATION CHANGE

Superintendent's Office at the Education Service Center
3115 Pole Line Road
Pocatello, ID 83201
12:00 p.m.

Wednesday, September 7, 2011

AGENDA

The Board of Trustees for the Pocatello/Chubbuck School District No. 25 will hold a Special Meeting in the Superintendent's Office at the Education Service Center, 3115 Pole Line Road, Pocatello, ID 83201 for the Purpose of discussion of the following:

- 1. Welcome, Call to Order and Statement of Purpose**
- 2. Discuss the Memorandum from the IHSAA Regarding Classifications for 2012-2014**
- 3. Public Comment**
Board Protocols for Public Comment will be followed at all Board Meetings. Patrons wishing to address the Board will fill out Form AD 2 – Request to Appear before the Board and present it to the Board Chair or Board Secretary prior to the meeting.
Board Operating Principles No. 22 & 23:
22) The Board will follow the chain of command referring others to present their issues, problems, or proposals to the person who can properly and expeditiously address the issues; **23)** Board members will refrain from communications which create conditions of bias should a problem or complaint become the subject matter of a hearing before the Board.
- 4. Take Action to Provide Direction Relative to a Classification Change**
- 5. Adjourn**

Rena Johnson

From: IHSAA <admin@idhsaa.org>
Sent: Tuesday, August 30, 2011 9:15 AM
Subject: 2012-14 Classification
Attachments: Schools by FINAL SDE #'s.xls.pdf; 2012-14 General.pdf

Categories: Follow Up

2012-14 Classification

Aug. 30, 2011

Superintendents, Principals, and Athletic Directors:

The IHSAA has received the March enrollment numbers from the Idaho State Dept. of Education (SDE). We are attaching two documents. The first attachment has the November and March numbers from the SDE. The second attachment is the 2012-2014 General Classification and Alignment. Please take time to review both attachments, but especially the General Classification and Alignment to see what classification your school will participate in.

Initially, we were going to list those schools changing classifications, but it was getting a little confusing especially with schools that petitioned to move during the 2010-2011 classification cycle. So with that being said, make sure you check and see what classification you will be participating in during the 2012-2014 classification cycle.

Schools wishing to petition either up or down a classification need to review IHSAA Rule 2-3-1. You will need to submit a petition to the IHSAA office by September 10, 2011. This requires a vote from all superintendents of the classification you are requesting to move to.

Schools can also petition under IHSAA Rule 2-3-2. This petition must be submitted during the 2011 September IHSAA Board of Directors meeting.

If you have any questions please contact the IHSAA office.

John Billetz

SDE figures					2012-2014 Classification				
Figures are based on average of two reporting periods of 9-12 enrollment figures provided by the State Dept. of Education									
"Other" = Out-of state, home-schooled and alternative students									
Current Classifications: 5A: 1280 & Over 4A: 1279-640 3A: 639-320									
5A/4A SCHOOLS	Nov. 2010	March 2011	Other	2 Per Avg.	3A SCHOOLS	Nov. 2010	March 2011	Other	2 Per Avg.
Bishop Kelly	645	644	0	644.5	St. Maries	322	341	0	331.5
Preston	666	689	4	681.5	Parma	330	323	0	326.5
Emmett	680	686	8	691	Renaissance	336	376	0	356
Moscow	779	802	4	794.5	Gooding	330	337	0	333.5
Lakeland	804	808	6	812	Homedale	366	364	0	365
Wood River	820	846	12	845	Bear Lake	338	334	20	356
Burley	904	887	2	897.5	Marsh Valley	390	405	5	402.5
Jerome	911	960	4	939.5	Buhl	397	398	6	403.5
Middleton	956	969	4	966.5	Kellogg	428	454	4	445
Sandpoint	1020	983	29	1030.5	Filer	418	419	2	420.5
Mountain Home	1064	1066	4	1069	Sugar-Salem	428	440	0	434
Twin Falls	1105	1039	1	1073	Priest River	419	369	5	399
Canyon Ridge	1101	1063	3	1085	Kimberly	435	437	1	437
Minico	1104	1073	3	1091.5	American Falls	459	450	2	456.5
Blackfoot	1093	1105	2	1101	Payette	503	430	1	467.5
Pocatello	1088	1153	0	1120.5	South Fremont	480	481	0	480.5
Rigby	1157	1175	6	1172	Teton	415	427	37	458
Century	1150	1218	0	1184	Fruitland	494	489	6	497.5
Bonneville	1211	1250	4	1234.5	Bonnors Ferry	496	488	11	503
Caldwell	1284	1236	2	1262	Snake River	530	526	0	528
Highland	1299	1259	0	1279	Weiser	500	469	18	502.5
Skyview	1245	1311	3	1281	Timberlake	555	540	6	553.5
Kuna	1291	1285	2	1290	Shelley	626	628	0	627
Nampa	1308	1269	4	1292.5					
Hillcrest	1303	1323	1	1314					
Madison	1315	1342	2	1330.5					
Columbia	1332	1319	6	1331.5					
Skyline	1381	1345	3	1366					
Lewiston	1423	1429	2	1428					
Coeur d'Alene	1403	1429	16	1432					
Meridian	1463	1427	19	1464					
Post Falls	1556	1521	12	1550.5					
Eagle	1556	1510	22	1555					
Timberline	1589	1540	6	1570.5					
Idaho Falls	1577	1586	3	1584.5					
Lake City	1573	1636	5	1609.5					
Vallivue	1672	1669	4	1674.5					
Capital	1814	1784	6	1805					
Centennial	1758	1765	49	1810.5					
Borah	1865	1896	7	1887.5					
Boise	1895	1886	6	1896.5					
Rocky Mountain	1971	2021	7	2003					
Mountain View	2129	2115	25	2147					

2012-2014 GENERAL CLASSIFICATION AND ALIGNMENT

District	5A 1280 & Over	4A 1279-640	3A 639-320	2A 319-160	1A Div. I 159 - 100	1A Div. II 99 & below
I (16)	Coeur d'Alene Lake City Post Falls	Lakeland Sandpoint	Bonnars Ferry Kellogg Priest River St. Maries Timberlake	CdA Charter	Clark Fork Lakeside Wallace	Kootenai Mullan
II (18)	Lewiston	Moscow		Grangeville Kamiah Orofino	Clearwater Valley Deary Lapwai Potlatch Prairie Troy	Culdesac Genesee Highland-C Kendrick Nezperce Summit Academy Timberline-W
III (51)	Boise Borah Capital Centennial Columbia Eagle Kuna Meridian Mountain View Nampa Rocky Mountain Skyview Timberline-B Vallivue	Bishop Kelly Caldwell Emmett Middleton Mountain Home	Fruitland Homedale Parma Payette Renaissance Weiser	Cole Valley Christian Idaho Arts Charter Marsing McCall-Donnelly Melba Nampa Christian New Plymouth North Star Charter	Gem State Academy Horseshoe Bend Idaho City Liberty Charter Notus Rimrock Riverstone Int'l Victory Charter	Cambridge Cascade Compass Charter <small>(VB, BB, TR)</small> Council Garden Valley Greenleaf Friends Meadows Valley Midvale Salmon River Wilder
IV (32)		Burley Canyon Ridge Jerome Minico Twin Falls Wood River	Buhl Filer Gooding Kimberly	Declo Valley Wendell	Glenns Ferry Hagerman Hansen Magic Valley Alt. <small>(Drama only)</small> Oakley Raft River Shoshone	Bliss Camas County Carey Castleford Community School Dietrich ISDB Jackpot, NV <small>(FB only)</small> Lighthouse Christian Murtaugh No. Valley Charter Richfield
V (16)		Century Highland Pocatello Preston	American Falls Bear Lake Marsh Valley Snake River	Aberdeen Malad Soda Springs West Side	Grace	North Gem Rockland Sho-Ban
VI (21)	Hillcrest Idaho Falls Madison Skyline	Blackfoot Bonneville Rigby	Shelley South Fremont Sugar-Salem Teton	Firth North Fremont Ririe Salmon West Jefferson	Butte County Challis	Clark County Leadore Mackay
(154)	(22)	(21)	(23)	(24)	(27)	(37)

2-2-1 Classifications for the current school year:

Sports / Spirit		Speech /Drama	
5A	1280 and over	Class A	800 and over
4A	640-1279	Class B	799 and under
3A	639-320	Debate	
2A	319-160	Class A	1250 and over
1A	159 and under	Class B	1249 and under
1A will use the following classification in the sports of Football, Basketball, and Volleyball			
1A DI	159-100		
1A DII	99 and under		

2-2-2 All proposals for reclassification shall be reviewed by the IHSAA Classification Committee before being considered by the Board of Directors.

- a. The proposal must be submitted to the Classification Committee by February 15 of the enrollment year.
- b. The proposal must be submitted as outlined on the IHSAA Classification Proposal Form.

2-3 Schools may petition to move from one classification to another. All petitions will be approved for a two-year classification cycle.

2-3-1 Schools that do not meet the criteria for moving from one classification to another by using enrollment figures, may petition to move up or down in classification through the following procedure:

- a. Submit a petition to the IHSAA by September 10 of the grace year.
- b. Receive a simple majority vote from all voting superintendents of the classification in which the school wishes to be placed.

2-3-2 Schools that presently exceed enrollment limits for the classification in which they compete, but will not exceed those limits during the “classification period”, may bypass the regular petitioning process (see 2-3-1) and petition directly to the IHSAA Board of Directors through the following procedure:

- a. The petition must be submitted at the September Board of Directors Meeting during the “grace period” year. *No petitions may be submitted mid-cycle.*
- b. Provide documented S.D.E. enrollment figures that show their school enrollment will fall within the limits of their classification during the classification cycle.
- c. Board of Directors must approve the petition.

2-4 When school attendance boundaries change, causing an alteration in the enrollment and classification status of member schools within that school district, the following procedure will be used to determine the classification for the next school year:

- a. The Board of Directors, at their December meeting, will review the fall enrollment figures obtained from the State Department of Education of each school in question.
- b. The Board will place each school in their proper classification beginning at the start of the next school year.

2-5 REPRESENTATION

2-5-1 State tournament representation in volleyball, soccer, football, basketball, wrestling, track, softball and tennis will be determined for a two-year period based on a percentage of schools in that classification. Note: Representation may be altered periodically to reflect the historical representation of each classification.

- a. Representation to state competition will be determined by the percentage of the number of teams from a district or region that qualify for state tournament competition.
- b. State play-in games should be used when the percentage of the representation between districts or regions can be more equitable.
- c. When there are three or more schools within a region or district, representation should be at least 1.5 if possible.
- d. When state play-in games are used, they should be played at neutral sites and between regions or districts of the state that would not cause unrealistic travel requirements. Note: It is considered unrealistic travel if a team cannot travel to a play-in site, compete and return to their own school in one day.

2-5-2 State tournament representation cross country, golf, speech, debate and drama will be determined yearly by the total number of team and/or individual finishers at a district/regional qualifying competition.

RULE 3 - COACHES

3-1 The head coach of any IHSAA sport or activity must be certified to teach in Idaho or have completed a coaching fundamentals course. Authorized courses are: NFHS Fundamentals of Coaching and ASEP Coaching Principles.

3-1-1 Assistant and sub-varsity coaches need not be certified teachers as long as they have been officially approved by their local Board of Trustees. Assistant and sub-varsity coaches are strongly encouraged to complete a coaching principles course.

3-2 All coaches of IHSAA activities must complete a First Aid course with a CPR component from a school district-recognized provider. A “recognized provider” is one whose curriculum is similar to the American Red Cross and American Heart Association. New coaches must complete the course during his/her first year of coaching. At no time may a team practice, travel or compete without at least one adult present who has met this requirement.

All coaches (includes head, volunteer and assistant coaches of all IHSAA activities) must take the NFHS online concussion course prior to the first day of practice.