

Executive Committee Meeting Summary
April 28, 2021

1. Chairman Craig Hammer called the meeting to order and reviewed important dates found in the UHSAA Ready Reference Calendars (see www.uhsaa.org).
2. The UHSAA staff reviewed music, theatre/drama and speech/debate activities.
3. Mr. Jon Oglesby reviewed and discussed the 2021-2022 calendar (www.uhsaa.org). Dates and sites for next year's UHSAA activities were approved by the Executive Committee. Refer to website for dates and sites.
4. Mr. Oglesby discussed the growth of unified sports and the soccer and track and field championships that will take place in May.
5. The Executive Committee approved the addition of Unified Basketball as a sport that schools can choose for the 2021-2022 school year.
6. Mr. Brennan Jackson discussed coaches' certification. He reminded members that head coaches and assistant coaches need to complete the certification prior to coaching. Districts and schools shoulder the responsibility of training coaches and complying with RegisterMyCoach for tracking those who have certified.
7. Ms. Jan Whittaker discussed the UHSAA sportsmanship initiative and encouraged all schools and regions to support the initiative by increasing the awareness of good sportsmanship. Forms will be available on the UHSAA website for schools to apply for their 2020-2021 sportsmanship star to include on their sportsmanship banner. Some schools will earn their 11th star this school year. The applications are due to UHSAA by May 31, 2021.
8. The *Dare2Lead* Student Leadership Conference was discussed. The Conference will be held in the fall on a region level. Multiple regions can also join to have the Conference. Sportsmanship representatives from each region will be trained by the UHSAA staff in preparation for the fall Conferences.
9. Mr. Jackson discussed wrestling and the pros and cons to having a 1 day or 2 day wrestling state tournament. Committee members were asked to discuss in regions.
10. Mr. Jeff Cluff discussed coaches' credentials and provided an update on officiating.
11. The Grand County Girls' Basketball request for independent status for the next two years was approved by the Committee.

12. Mr. Marc Hunter, UIAAA Executive Director, reported on the UIAAA Conference held recently in St. George. There were many training sessions, breakout sessions and workshops for participants.
13. The Constitution/By-Laws Committee report was discussed items regarding private school boundaries, transfer rule and diversity representation. Items will be forwarded to the Board of Trustees for their consideration.
14. Mr. Rob Cuff provided articles from NFHS Today supporting the importance of education-based activities.