

**MINUTES OF THE CO-CURRICULAR COMMITTEE MEETING OF SENECA TOWNSHIP HIGH SCHOOL,  
DISTRICT 160, SENECA, ILLINOIS**

A meeting of the Co-Curricular Committee was held on January 10, 2024, at 4:30 p.m. The meeting was called to order with the following members present Ron Frye and Sara Olson.

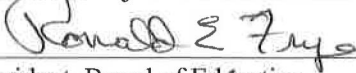
Also present: Dan Stecken.


Absent: Cory Yandell


The Meeting began at 4:30 PM.


- A. No Public Comment.
- B. Football Update – Mr. O’Boyle updated the committee on the lack of IHSA District vote passage. This would have been helpful for scheduling purposes for SHS, but the IHSA didn’t lead the charge. Rather, the ambiguity and unknowns seem to make many districts vote against it. It would have really helped us in scheduling. Currently, we have non-conference opponents in weeks 1-2 and 8-9. At present, we have a home and away game against Marquette in week 3 and 8 because of this problem of finding a good solution in week 8 (most other conferences are playing conference games then).
- C. Fall Sports Numbers – Mr. O’Boyle shared that fall sports numbers were solid in all sports, however numbers at the freshman and sophomore level are a bit lower than in the past, as they were last year. Overall, participation at SHS remains high in fall sports. Fall numbers all look really good again. Football 50+, Volleyball 30+, Cross Country 16, Golf 22. Morris soccer Co-Op SHS 2.
- D. Winter Sports Update – Mr. O’Boyle shared that winter sports numbers are down quite a bit. While basketball and wrestling are demanding sports, we seem to have fewer athletes playing those. For Boys Basketball we have 24 and Girls Basketball only 21. Wrestling has 27 wrestlers, which is consistent from prior years.
- E. Balcony Construction Update – Dr. Stecken shared some estimates and timelines, as well as pictures, with the committee as we near completion of the balcony project.
- F. New Gymnasium Update – Mr. O’Boyle discussed the anticipated Christmas 2024 basketball tournament that we will be hosting and how that impacts the girls tournaments, the Thanksgiving Turkey tournament, as well as the need for a committee and help at the new Christmas Tournament. He also discussed future plans in the gym, including tournaments, events, and other matters.
- G. Other – None

Committee adjourned at 5:02 PM.

  
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