Status of Fall Sports

Cape Ann League

Highlights

- CAL School Principals and Athletic Directors are meeting regularly to discuss
- Goal is for the CAL schools to have a unified decision
- The CAL will strictly adhere to EEA / DESE / MIAA guidelines with modifications specific to CAL schools

MIAA Fall Sports Structure

- Sports offered: Cross Country, Field Hockey, Golf, Soccer
 - Football and Cheer moved to Fall II (February 22nd April 25th)
- Regular Season: September 18th November 1st
- Post season: first two weeks of November
- No out of league games/matches/meets
- Schedule was made, as best as possible, to play the same school for each sport in the same week.

Scenarios Under Consideration

- All sports and all levels of play complete within the Cape Ann League (CAL)
- Varsity only competitions with sub varsity instructional program
- Golf/Cross Country during fall season and Soccer and Field Hockey play during
 Fall II
- Move all sports to Fall II, implement instructional/skills program during fall season

Challenges/Questions

- Rule Modifications/Practice Requirements
- Fall II Weather Challenges
- Available Field Space/Cross Country Courses/Golf Courses
- Fans vs. No Fans
- User Fees
- Venue Protocols
- Transportation/Budget

Important Links For More Information

- <u>EEA Guidance</u>
- Sport Activity Level Assessment Framework
- Covid-19 Community-Level Data Map
- <u>Cross Country Modifications</u>
- Field Hockey Modifications
- Golf Modifications
- <u>Soccer Modifications</u>
- MIAA/DESE Joint Guidance