The following items were APPROVED at the October 20th Executive Committee meeting:

**SPORTS**

- **Wrestling** - Procedures for seeding the NYSPHSAA championship.
- **Girls Basketball** - A waiver of the requirement of the home team to wear a light colored uniform. A waiver of the requirement for officials to request a physicians note when an athlete wears a “sleeve” on the arms or legs.
- **Cross Country** - Waiver of the Jewelry Rule to allow wrist watches worn on the wrist. Follows NFHS rule.

**MODIFIED ATHLETICS**

- **Volleyball** - Permission to use the Libero player and waiver of the uniform requirement.
- **Wrestling** - Reduce the time between bouts to 45 minutes. If a wrestler competes in 2 or 3 bouts the time period of the bouts may be either - 3 one minute periods or Program II which is Period 1 (1 minute) and Periods 2 & 3 (1 1/2 minutes).
- **Boys Track & Field** - Pilot experiment to raise the hurdle in the 55m from 30” to 33”

**HANDBOOK COMMITTEE**

- **Thunder and Lightning** - Approval to remove the word “approximately” from the policy.
- **Senior All Star Contests** - Approval to remove the last paragraph, “A student who participates in any unapproved all-star contest shall be ineligible to compete in interschool athletics in all sports for a period of one year from the date of such participation.”
- **Practice** - Schools that have made arrangements with another member school to share the use of a practice facility may do so without violating the Scrimmage Regulation as long as the athletes/teams do not scrimmage before the required number of practices have been completed.

**SPORTSMANSHIP**

The Good Sports Program will now be called the Sportsmanship Promotion Program

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**DISCUSSION & ITEMS for FUTURE CONSIDERATION**

**FISCAL CONCERNS** - An Ad Hoc Committee will be formed to consider a moratorium on any changes that would have a fiscal impact to schools, leagues, sections and NYSPHSAA. A report will be presented at the January Executive Committee meeting.

**SCRIMMAGE** - Re-defining a scrimmage to be a practice competition.

**SAFETY** - The use of helmets in girls lacrosse and the establishment of a Heat Index Policy.

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**ANNOUNCEMENTS & REMINDERS**

**NYSPHSAA HALL OF FAME**

Applications due December 15th

**NYSPHSAA SCHOLAR ATHLETE TEAM AWARD**

Deadline - December 5th Friday

**RECORDS SUBMISSION**

Forms are available on line

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