



MINUTES ATHLETIC DIRECTORS MEETING

Facilitator: Mark Tran

Date: Thursday Jan 22, 2026

Location: Alhambra HS

Time: 8:45am Principals and ADs

150 E Street, Martinez, CA 94553

11:00am ADs ONLY

DAL MEETING NORMS; (1) The meeting will start ON TIME. (2) Minimize side bars; (3) Only one person speaks at a time; (4) There will be time limits on the agenda; (5) A vote on a motion stops discussion on that item; (6) Robert's Rules of Order will be followed.

D=Discussion, P=Participation, A=Action, I=Information only, R=Review/prior topic, C=Consent

ITEM # / AGENDA TOPIC	A	P	LEAD	NOTES	ACTION
1. Introduction and roll call (11:00-11:05) ✓Acalanes Randy Takahashi ✓Alhambra Anthony Ertola ✓Benicia Katie Caderao ✓Berean Christian LaShawn Wells M Lyle ✓Campolindo Ray Meadows ✓Clayton Valley Charter Eric Bamberger ✓College Park Hurtado/Bautista ✓Concord Matt Harrod ✓Las Lomas Tim Kruger ✓Miramonte Sean Hennessey ✓Mt. Diablo Fetuao Mua ✓Northgate Ben Ballard ✓Ygnacio Valley Briana Zielinski ✓DAL: Mark Tran / Jonathan McGonagle		I	Tran	Call to order 11.20a	
2. Approval of Agenda (11:05-11:10)		RDA	Tran		CV/Aca PASSED 13-0
3. Approval of minutes from previous meeting: Dec 11, 2025 (11:10-11:15)	A	C(DA)	Tran	https://docs.google.com/document/d/1aw_IH48W9nD1caaFp0_NE4I6mSi-fzm03lw5F26x7s/edit?usp=sharing	Con/Aca PASSED 13-0
4. Public Comment (11:15-11:20) Pursuant to Ed Code 33353.2(C), any person wishing to speak on any item on the agenda, or comment on the policies and practices of the DAL will be heard at this time.		ID	Tran	None	
5. Diversity, Equity and Inclusion committee (11:20-11:25)		ID	Takahashi	None	
6. CIF Information/Discussion/Action Items ()			Tran	N/A	
7. NCS Information/Discussion/Action Items ()			Tran	Benicia is hosting NCS Individual Wrestling Championships on Feb 13 and 14. Event expected to last from 10a-10p with over a thousand athletes. DAL is hosting this Championship. Benicia is asking for	

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				volunteers.	
8. DAL Information/Discussion/ Action Items (11:25-12:25)					
A. DAL Spring Sports Preseason Meetings		IDA	Tran	<p>Looking for ADs to help run meetings on Weds January 28. All meetings at YVHS</p> <p>6:00p - G LAX Takahashi B LAX Bamberger Swim/Diving Meadows B Volleyball Zielinski B Golf Mua</p> <p>7:00p - STUNT Bamberger Boys Tennis Ballard Track McGonagle Baseball Harrod Softball Zielinski Beach Tran</p>	
B. DAL Winter Sports Postseason Meetings		IDA	Tran	<p>Looking for ADs to help run meetings</p> <p>7:00p Thurs Feb 5 Wrestling Takahashi @ Aca PE Office 6pm</p> <p>7:00p Mon Feb 23 B Basketball Tran G Basketball Ertola B Soccer (2) Weber, McGonagle G Soccer (2) Ballard Hennessy</p>	
C. DAL Basketball Championships		ID	Tran	<p>Same setup as last year. DAL will communicate with schools involved ASAP. Tournament brackets will be posted and updated on the league website.</p> <p>-Rounds 1 and 2 will be played at higher seed</p> <p>-Finals for both boys and girls will be played at Alhambra HS on Sat Feb 14.</p> <p>+DAL will pay all bills and keep all gate throughout the DAL Basketball Playoffs</p> <p>+DAL will provide stipend to host sites</p> <p>+For DAL Finals at Alhambra HS</p> <p>-NO DAL Passes Accepted</p> <p>-NCS Passes OK</p> <p>-Gate list for all Varsity Head Coaches + 1</p> <p>-Game Times: 1:00 Girls; 3:30 Boys</p>	
D. DAL Wrestling Championships at Acalanes HS on February 7		I	Tran		Takahashi will confirm financials with DAL
E. 2026 DAL STUNT Schedule	B	IDA	Tran	<p>Schedule changes include:</p> <p>+Campolindo/College Park switch host night</p> <p>+Host team moved to last spot</p> <p>+NCS Championship moved one week later than originally published</p>	

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				Not an action item.	
F. DAL STUNT Championships at Alhambra HS on ??			Tran	Alhambra host last year. Alphabetically, Campo facilities not available. CVC will host Site - CVC Time - TBA Tournament Director - Bamberger	
G. 2026 Sand Volleyball Schedule	C	IDA	Tran	Michelle Full volunteered to organize the schedule based on responses she has received. +IF there is NCS playoffs, we should consider renting SMC and make it more meaningful for the kids	
H. 2026 DAL Spring Sports Levels Offered		I	Tran	https://docs.google.com/document/d/15QJrRkPRThayQlI8cw8Xwz8mF9dW4hXUJ9_S03SbtBc/edit?usp=sharing ADs have edit access until MONDAY FEBRUARY 23rd. Access will be shut off after that date and all changes will need to be sent to the league.	Tran will open edit function ASAP
I. MAC POLO Contract Proposal	D	IDA	Tran	MAC POLO Contract Proposal for 2026-2028	Aca/CVC PASSED 13-0
9. Future Agenda Items(12:25-12:28) A. Preseason Winter coaches meetings B. Postseason Fall coaches meetings C. Summary of DAL Winter Sports		I	Tran		
10. Upcoming Meetings (12:28-12:30) A. NCS BOM Fri, Jan 23 @AUSD 8:45a (Bamberger/Mackinnon/Tran) B. DAL AD Th Feb 19 @YVHS 8:45a C. NCS Eligibility Committee Weds Nov 25 @ NCS Office 9:30a (Hennessy) D. SAC Mon Mar 9 @ NUSD 8:30a (Kleinschmidt/Tran) E. BOG Thurs Apr 16 @ Alhambra Principals/ADs 8:45a, ADs 10:45a		I	Tran		
11. Announcements (12:30-12:40) ___ Acalanes ___ Alhambra ___ Benicia ___ Berean Christian ___ Campolindo ___ Clayton Valley Charter ___ College Park ___ Concord ___ Las Lomas ___ Miramonte ___ Mt. Diablo ___ Northgate ___ Ygnacio Valley		ID	Tran	Alhambra needs a boys tennis coach Benicia needs a swim coach and another track coach Las Lomas hoping to bring back Frosh Football Miramonte approved pool renovation with deck and lights starting in May and being done in September. Mt D looking for a track and swim coach Northgate has a diver, going to connect with	

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				Randy about stipend to DAL diving coach.	
12. Adjournment (12:40)		A	Tran	Adjourned at 12.03p	