

OGDENSBURG CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT
OGDENSBURG, NEW YORK

SUBJECT: Sports Merger for the 2016-2017 School Year with Lisbon Central School District (Boys Modified Lacrosse)

DATE: February 27, 2017

REASON FOR BOARD CONSIDERATION:

In support of the Ogdensburg City School District's decision to share services, the Lisbon Central School District has requested consideration for a sports merger in Boys Modified Lacrosse. The coaches, Athletic Director and Superintendent of Schools support this request.

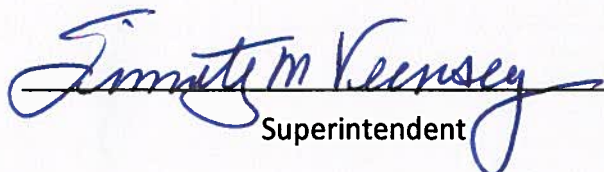
FACTS AND ANALYSIS:

Lisbon Central School District has requested the Ogdensburg City School District consider a merger in Boys Modified Lacrosse for the 2016-2017 school year. If approved, the Ogdensburg City School District would file the proper forms with Section X.

RECOMMENDED ACTION:

Moved by _____ and supported by _____ that, having the approval of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education of the Ogdensburg City School District does hereby approve the sports merger with the Lisbon Central School District in Boys Modified Lacrosse for the 2016-2017 school year, on this 27th day of February, 2017.

APPROVED FOR PRESENTATION TO THE BOARD:


Superintendent

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Attachment

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January 19, 2017

Mr. Timothy M. Vernsey
Superintendent of Schools
1100 State Street
Ogdensburg, New York 13669

Re: Boys Modified Lacrosse Merger

Dear Superintendent Vernsey:

At a regular Board of Education meeting held at 7:00 p.m. on June 9, 2016, the Lisbon Board of Education approved a resolution to petition the Ogdensburg City School District Board of Education to allow Lisbon Central School boys to participate in interscholastic boys' lacrosse at the modified level for the 2016-2017 season.

The merger resolution was moved by Blake Gendebien, seconded by Nancy Addison, and carried with six (6) yes votes and one (1) absent (Davison).

If this petition is approved, then all participating Lisbon Central School athletes will be required to abide by all Lisbon Central School academic eligibility rules and all rules and regulations covered in the student handbook for Lisbon Central School students.

We anticipate that the Ogdensburg City School District will support this merger that benefits our student athletes.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Patrick J. Farrand', written over a horizontal line.

Patrick J. Farrand
Superintendent of Schools

Section 10 Athletics

COMBINED TEAMS APPLICATION

1. Describe the reason(s) for this request and any history that will help demonstrate need:
Lisbon Central School does not offer lacrosse.

2. List all schools considered: Indicate their anticipated number of participants and league record for the previous year.

HOST SCHOOL	BEDs # (9-11 only)	Current # of Players	Total # of Players Last Season
Ogdensburg Free Academy	338	Unknown	Unknown
REQUESTING SCHOOL	BEDs # (9-11 only)	Current # of Players	Total # of Players Last Season
Lisbon Central School	108	2	0

Original Team Classification/Division

Class C

Classification/Division With Combined School(s)

Class C

3. What name will the team use? OFA
4. Which Athletic Director is responsible for the team? Tony Bjork
- What, if any, are the financial obligations to the host school? No additional cost
- What, if any, are the financial obligations of the requesting school? Fees based on Merger Fee Schedule (\$300/student)
- NOTE:** Financial obligations, if any, will be paid directly by the school or a school organization.*
5. Which school will be responsible for awards? OFA
- Which school will be responsible for practice and game transportation? OFA for games only
- Which school will be responsible for the coach? OFA
6. Which facility will be used for practices and contests? OFA
7. Do the schools involved participate in the Advanced Placement Process? If one or more do not, please explain procedure to be used. (use back of form) Yes

The following schools: 1. Lisbon Central School 2. Ogdensburg Free Academy
 3. _____ 4. _____

have agreed, with the Board of Education approval, to combine in the sport of:
Boys only at the modified Level, during the 2016-17 school year.
 (Boys only, Girls only) (Both) (MOD, JV, VAR)

Signature of the Requesting Superintendent*

Signature of the Host Superintendent

Date

Date