

**Board of Education Special Meeting**  
Saline County School District 76-0068  
501 Main Street  
Friend, NE 68359-0067  
Monday, September 26, 2022 7:30 PM

1. Call to Order and Roll Call
2. Notice of Open Meeting Act - Posted
3. Motion to excuse absent board members
4. Approval of All Sport, Speech and One Act Cooperative Agreement with Exeter-Milligan.

Motion to approve. Passed with a motion by Scott Spohn and a second by Jamie Tuttle.  
Tyler Bartels: Yea, Tiffany Shonerd: Yea, Scott Spohn: Yea, Jamie Tuttle: Yea, Nancy  
Vossler: Yea, Megan Weber: Yea  
Yea: 6, Nay: 0

5. Adjournment

Motion to adjourn at 7:39 pm Passed with a motion by Scott Spohn and a second by Jamie  
Tuttle.  
Tyler Bartels: Yea, Tiffany Shonerd: Yea, Scott Spohn: Yea, Jamie Tuttle: Yea, Nancy  
Vossler: Yea, Megan Weber: Yea  
Yea: 6, Nay: 0

Posted Locations:

Friend Sentinel (published)  
Post Office - Friend  
Citizens State Bank - Friend  
First Bank Utica - Friend  
Qwik6 Convenience Store

Posted Date: 9/21/2022

**Exeter-Milligan and Friend Public Schools  
NSAA Activities Cooperative Sponsorship  
For 2023/24 and 2024/25 School Years**

**Purpose:**

The philosophy of Exeter-Milligan and Friend Public Schools is to provide an opportunity for students to participate in a variety of activities. Through cooperative sponsorship, the opportunity for student participation is to be maintained or increased. The cooperative agreement may be voided or modified at any time by mutual agreement of both schools and approval by majority vote of the Boards of Education of both school districts. No other cooperative agreement in the same activity may be made with another school during the terms of this cooperative agreement.

**GENERAL GUIDELINES**

- Conference Affiliation
  - Preference is the Crossroads Conference
  
- Head and assistant coach/sponsor selection process
  - Complete an application
  - Chosen by the administrators from both schools
  
- Identity
  - EMF (Exeter-Milligan/Friend)
  - Colors – Black and Silver (as determined by student vote on Friday, Nov 3, 2017)
  - Mascot – Bobcats (as determined by student vote on Friday, Nov 3, 2017)
  
- Each individual school district will be responsible for the following:
  - Transportation to practice and games for their respective athletes
    - Other arrangements may be made for game day transportation (ride together, etc)
  - Individual coaching salaries and contracts (as described above)
  - Insurance costs/coverage
  
- All receipts shall be shared equally.
- All expenses (besides those listed above) shall be shared equally.
- Other activities may be added if approved by both school boards

## ACTIVITY SPECIFIC GUIDELINES

### Volleyball

- NSAA District in Charge - Exeter-Milligan
- Practice - in Friend unless otherwise decided upon by the coaches in consultation with the administration
- Home Triangular varsity contests played in Friend (based on EM schedule of more triangulars than duals)
- Possibly play some dual varsity contests in Exeter
- Off night JV games played in Exeter

### JH Volleyball

- Practice - determined by the administration
  - based on numbers each year for transportation
- Contests - split between Friend and Exeter
  - If same day as a JHFB or JVFB game, play in same site
- AD's and coaches decide schedule

### Football

- NSAA District in Charge - Exeter-Milligan
- Practices - as denoted below unless otherwise decided upon by administration and coaches
  - HS in Exeter
  - JH in Friend
- all home varsity games to be evenly shared between Friend and Milligan
- Playoff contest sites will be hosted on an alternating basis.
- JH and JV game site and schedule to be decided upon by coaches/AD's

### Softball

- Continue as it currently stands
- NSAA District in Charge - Fillmore Central
- All practices and games in Geneva

### Basketball

- NSAA District in Charge - Friend
- Practices in Friend -
  - Unless coaches in consultation with administration need to change site
- All home varsity contests to be played in Friend
- Off night home JV games played in Exeter

## JH Basketball

- Practices - site determined by the administration
- JH Girls season - before christmas break
- JH Boys season - after Christmas break - opposite JH wrestling
- Home contest site determined each year by the administration - shared between Exeter and Friend

## JH Wrestling

- All practices and home contests in Friend
- Season is before Christmas break so boys may also participate in JHBB

## HS Wrestling –

- NSAA District in Charge - Friend
- all practices and home contests to be held in Friend

## JH and HS Track

- NSAA District in Charge - Friend
- Site of HS track practices, when feasible, will be held in Friend. However, home sites may be used due to inclement weather and/or coaches discretion (after consulting administration).
- JH practice site determined by administration
- Site for “home” track meets will be in Friend

## Girls and Boys Golf

- NSAA District in Charge - Friend
- The EMF Coop will utilize an agreement with the Friend Country Club for all practices.

## Speech

- NSAA District in Charge - Exeter-Milligan
- Practice site and times will be determined by each sponsor
- Meets/Competitions: determined by AD’s and coaches depending on conference affiliation

## Play Production (One-Act Play)

- NSAA District in Charge - Friend
- Practice site and times will be determined by the coaches/sponsors
- Competitions: determined by AD’s and coaches depending on conference affiliation
- Performance:
  - Presented in Exeter, Milligan and Friend
    - If feasible depending upon calendar, scheduling, etc
  - Conference or district site - Friend

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