

# THE SOUTH CAROLINA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL ASSOCIATION

## 2009 - 2010 ATHLETIC COMMITTEE

**Committee Chairman: Robert Jenkins (2010)**

**Vice-Chairman: Stacy Ard (2011)**

Randy McGee (2010)      Franny Slay (2011)      Johnny Waller (2010)  
Glen Cowlshaw (2011)      Art Andrews (2011)      Bob Patel (2012)      Dennis Gibson (2012)

*Ex Officio Members:*

SCISA Coaches Association  
Representative - Officer(s)

SCISA Officials Association  
Representative – **Steve Cook**

Article VI, Section 3, of the SCISA Constitution states that: the Athletic Committee shall be responsible for the Athletic Activities of the Association. The Committee shall develop operating procedures for Board approval under which the athletic program shall operate. The Committee shall be composed of nine members appointed by the President and approved by the Board of Directors. Members shall serve for terms of three years and until their successors are named and approved. A member may return to the committee after the lapse of one year. Any member may be removed from the Committee by a 2/3's vote of those present at any valid meeting of the Board of Directors. The President may remove a member after three consecutive absences from meetings without satisfactory reasons. The President may appoint new members between Board of Directors meetings to fill vacancies. All rulings by the Committee are final unless appealed as outlined in the Athletic Association Constitution and Regulations.

### **Athletic Committee Procedures:**

The Athletic Committee is charged to formulate and maintain policies that will safeguard the educational values of interscholastic competition, to cultivate high ideals of sportsmanship, to develop and direct a program which will promote, protect, and conserve the health and physical welfare of all participants, and to promote uniformity of standards (*level playing field*) in all interscholastic competition.

1. Any school may submit information for Committee review. This information shall be in the form a complete, written brief, submitted through the office of the school Headmaster or Athletic Director to the SCISA Athletic Director. This brief is due, no later than five (5) days prior to a scheduled meeting.
2. A school may request to appear before the Athletic Committee. The request shall be made in a complete written brief which contains all information that the Committee will need to make a decision. The presentation shall be limited to 15 minutes in length. The written request must be submitted to the SCISA Office at least ten (10) days before a scheduled meeting. An Athletic Committee member cannot appear before the Committee on behalf of his/her school.
3. Waiver requests, including Eight Semester waivers, must be submitted in writing, in its entirety, at least ten (10) days prior to a scheduled Athletic Committee meeting. The written brief shall be submitted through the office of the school Headmaster to the SCISA Athletic Office. The brief must contain all medical and academic documentation so that a decision may be reached without any further investigation. Presentations to the Athletic Committee will be limited to 15 minutes in length. Notice to appeal an Athletic Committee decision must be made within ten (10) days of the published decision. The appeal shall be made to a Committee appointed by the SCISA President and/or Executive Director using only the information which was presented to the Athletic Committee.
4. INTERIM RULINGS AND APPEALS - The Athletic Director and the Chairman of the Athletic Committee may make such rulings as are necessary between Athletic Committee Meetings, subject to final approval by the Athletic Committee at its regular meeting. A ruling by the Athletic Committee is subject to appeal to an Appeals Committee appointed by the President and/or Executive Director.
5. 2009-2010 Meeting Schedule. The Committee shall meet on or about: August 18, October 14, November 9, January 13, and March 3.