



Meeting of the Executive Committee

August 7, 2025

1:00 p.m.

CIF Southern Section Offices, Los Alamitos, CA

Agenda

1. OPENING BUSINESS	DISPOSITION	ITEM
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A. Call to order by Dr. Paula Hart Rodas, President of the Council

B. Pledge of Allegiance

C. Roll Call

D. Introduction of Guests

E. Adopt Agenda

Action

F. Approval of Minutes

1. Minutes of the May 13, 2025, Executive Committee Meeting

Action

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2. PUBLIC COMMENT

A. Recognition of anyone wishing to address the Executive Committee. Speakers must limit their remarks to three minutes.

3. NON-ACTION ITEMS	DISPOSITION	ITEM
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A. STATE FEDERATED COUNCIL NON-ACTION ITEMS

There are no State Federated Council non-action items.

B. SOUTHERN SECTION NON-ACTION ITEMS

There are no Southern Section Council non-action items.

<u>4. ACTION ITEMS</u>	<u>DISPOSITION</u>	<u>ITEM</u>
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A. STATE FEDERATED COUNCIL ACTION ITEMS

There are no State Federated Council action items.

B. SOUTHERN SECTION ACTION ITEMS

1. Releaguings Appeal Hearings

A. Orange County Area

1. Crean Lutheran	Action	3B1A1
2. Laguna Beach High School	Action	3B1A2
3. St. Margaret's High School	Action	3B1A3

5. NEW BUSINESS

A. 2025-2026 CIF Southern Section Goals	Non-Action	5A
B. Financial Report		Mitch Carty
C. Communications Report		Thom Simmons
D. Marketing Report		Jacquelyn Gibson

6. REPORTS

A. NFHS Summer Meeting Reports	Dr. Paula Hart Rodas Jim Perry Dr. Alexis Barile Anne Fitzgerald Dr. Reggie Thompkins
B. President's Report	Dr. Paula Hart Rodas
C. Treasurer's Report	Rich Imbriani
C. Commissioner's Report	Mike West
D. Executive Committee Member Reports	

7. ADVANCE PLANNING

A. DATES

1. September 18, 2025 – CIF Southern Section Executive Committee Meeting, CIF Southern Section Office, Los Alamitos, CA, 1:00 p.m.
2. September 22, 2025 – Champions for Character Awards Dinner, The Grand Conference Center, Long Beach, CA 6:00 p.m.
3. September 25, 2025 – CIF Southern Section Council Meeting, The Grand Conference Center, Long Beach, CA, 9:00 a.m.
4. October 6, 2025 – CIF Southern Section Athletic Administrators Symposium, Riverside Convention Center, Riverside, CA 8:00 a.m.
5. October 21, 2025 – CIF Southern Section Hall of Fame/Distinguished Service Awards Luncheon, The Grand Conference Center, Long Beach, CA 11:30 a.m.
6. January 16-18, 2026 – CIF Southern Section Executive Committee Meeting, The Mission Inn, Riverside, CA 9:30 a.m.

B. SUGGESTED AGENDA ITEMS

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2. _____
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8. ADJOURNMENT

A. Time of Adjournment _____



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May 13, 2025

1:00 p.m.

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Minutes

1. OPENING BUSINESS	DISPOSITION	ITEM
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A. Call to order by Dr. Paula Hart Rodas, President of the Council

The meeting was called to order at 1:01 p.m. President Hart Rodas welcomed everyone and thanked them for their attendance.

B. Pledge of Allegiance

C. Roll Call

All members were present except for Ann Fitzgerald, Mary Jane Hibbard, Dr. Erika Tejeda and Dr Reggie Thompkins.

D. Introduction of Guests

Commissioner Mike West introduced the guests from Arcadia Christian High School.

E. Adopt Agenda	Adopted
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There was a motion and a second to adopt the agenda as written. The motion carried 17-0-0.

F. Approval of Minutes	Approved
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There was a motion and a second to approve the minutes of March 20, 2025, Executive Committee Meeting as written. The motion carried 16-0-1.

2. PUBLIC COMMENT

A contingency from Arcadia Christian High School came to speak on behalf of their school's membership application for the 2025-2026 school year.

3. NON-ACTION ITEMS	DISPOSITION	ITEM
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A. STATE FEDERATED COUNCIL NON-ACTION ITEMS

There are no State Federated Council non-action items.

B. SOUTHERN SECTION NON-ACTION ITEMS

There are no Southern Section Council non-action items.

4. ACTION ITEMS

DISPOSITION

ITEM

A. STATE FEDERATED COUNCIL ACTION ITEMS

There are no State Federated Council action items.

B. SOUTHERN SECTION ACTION ITEMS

There are no State Federated Council non-action items.

5. NEW BUSINESS

A. Consideration of the Following Schools for Membership for the 2025-2026 School Year

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| 1. Arcadia Christian School | Probationary | 5A1 |
| Presented by David Parkes | | |

David Parkes presented Arcadia Christian School for consideration and recommended probationary membership at this time. A motion and second were made for probationary membership status for Arcadia Christian School. After discussion, which included a review of the New Member School Application, the motion carried 17-0-0.

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| 2. Mojave River Academy | Denied | 5A2 |
| Presented by Matt Maeda | | |

Matt Maeda presented Mojave River Academy for consideration and recommended probationary membership. Their athletic director, from Riverside Prep, has been granted the job at another school, and there is no longer an athletic director on-site. They have a district athletic director overseeing Mojave River and Riverside Prep. Multi-school was suggested but not well received by the school or its district. Independent study schools becoming members is not addressed in the Blue Book. This school has several campuses, and the Victorville campus is the one applying for membership. Concerns regarding curriculum, true attendance online and grades were voiced. A motion and second were made for probationary membership status for Mojave River Academy. After discussion, which included a review of the New Member School Application, the motion failed 3-14-0.

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| 3. Phase3 Lab | Denied | 5A3 |
| Presented by Rich Imbriani | | |

Rich Imbriani presented Phase3 Lab for consideration and recommended probationary membership. A motion and second were made for probationary membership status for Phase3 Lab. A review of the New Member School Application and discussion took place. They hope with membership to increase the wrestling program. Only enrollment of four students but with the membership, they feel that will grow. The motion failed 4-13-0.

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| 4. South Hills Academy | Probationary | 5A4 |
| Presented by Mitch Brunyer | | |

Mitch Brunyer presented South Hills Academy for consideration and recommended probationary membership. A motion and second were made for probationary membership status for South Hills Academy. A review of the New Member School Application took place. There was a discussion regarding an item on their website regarding tuition assistance. The motion carried 12-5-0.

5. NEW BUSINESS (Cont.)

B. Membership Status of New and Probationary Schools Admitted in 2023-2024

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| 1. Aveson Global Leadership Academy
Presented by Mitch Brunyer | Membership Dropped | 5B1 |
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Mitch Brunyer presented the evaluation of Aveson Global Leadership Academy for consideration and recommended dropping membership at this time. It is up to the Executive Committee to grant full, probationary, or deny membership. There was a motion and a second to drop membership. Because of displacement from the recent fires, it was difficult to set the evaluation meeting. The school is putting academics ahead of athletics since the fires and were only able to field one sport, boys basketball. Any other sport was considered an intermural sport with lower grade levels. What about probationary again because of the fires? School was non-responsive to calls, although Mitch reached out several times. School seems to be focused on basketball and no other sports, and only fielded boys' basketball. The fires were in January, so why were there no fall sports? Motion was approved 16-0-1.

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| 2. DNA Prep Academy | Membership Dropped | |
| Presented by Dr. Alexis Barile | | 5B2 |

Dr. Alexis Barile presented an evaluation of DNA Prep Academy for consideration and recommended dropping membership at this time. It is up to the Executive Committee to grant full, probationary, or deny membership. There was a motion and a second to drop membership. This school submitted no paperwork, and there was no communication from the school after many attempts. Motion was carried 17-0-0.

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| 3. Entrepreneur/Fontana
Presented by Kai Lyles | Membership Dropped | 5B3 |
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Kai Lyles presented the evaluation of Entrepreneur/Fontana for consideration and recommended probationary membership at this time. It is up to the Executive Committee to grant full, probationary, or deny membership. There was a motion and a second to approve probationary membership. This is the third time visiting this school and the third set of administration. They did not field a boys' sport in the fall. There is an Athletic Director who plans to remain in place, but this athletic director is also the same athletic director overseeing the sister school in Highland. Motion failed 7-9-1.

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| 4. First Baptist/Long Beach | Full Membership | 5B4 |
| Evaluated by Mary Jane Hibbard | | |
| Presented by Jim Perry | | |

Jim Perry presented the evaluation of First Baptist/Long Beach for Mary Jane Hibbard, who was not in attendance, for consideration and recommended full membership at this time. It is up to the Executive Committee to grant full, probationary, or deny membership. There was a motion and a second to approve full membership. This school met the sports requirement and are planning to add more sports. Motion was approved 16-1-0.

5. NEW BUSINESS (Cont.)

B. Membership Status of New and Probationary Schools Admitted in 2023-2024 (Cont.)

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| 5. Gorman LC/Antelope Valley | Probationary | 5B5 |
| Presented by Gil Gomez | | |

Gil Gomez presented the evaluation of Gorman LC/Antelope Valley for consideration and recommended full membership at this time. It is up to the Executive Committee to grant full, probationary, or deny membership. There was a motion and a second to approve full membership. They have grown since last year. The school attempted to start a girls' basketball team, but injuries kept them from fielding the sport. Thus, they did not meet the criteria for full membership. Still growing slowly with over 300 students. The first motion was rescinded, and a new motion and a second one were made to grant probationary membership. There is a concern regarding the numbers for cross country and track, with only a couple of students participating and the school not fielding full teams, but only individuals. Motion was approved 13-4-0.

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| 6. Legacy Christian Academy | Full Membership | 5B6 |
| Presented by Rob Dearborn | | |

Rob Dearborn presented the evaluation of Legacy Christian Academy for consideration and recommended full membership at this time. It is up to the Executive Committee to grant full, probationary, or denied membership. There was a motion and a second to approve full membership. The school fielded the required number of sports and anticipates 20% growth for next year. The motion was approved 17-0-0.

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| 7. Orange County Classical Academy | Probationary | 5B7 |
| Presented by Dr. Paula Hart Rodas | | |

Dr. Paula Hart Rodas presented the evaluation of Orange County Classical Academy for consideration and recommended probationary membership at this time. It is up to the Executive Committee to grant full, probationary, or deny membership. There was a motion and a second to approve probationary membership. This is a former member school that has seen changes in facilities. They barely missed the requirement of sports fields because of the loss of students due to the change in facilities. They will be hosting basketball and volleyball tournaments over the summer; however, they were unable to field a boys' sport in the fall. Motion was approved 16-0-1.

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| C. Financial Report | Mitch Carty |
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Chief Financial Officer Mitch Carty distributed a report, which is included at the end of these minutes, and highlighted various items in the handout.

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| D. Communications Report | Thom Simmons |
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Assistant Commissioner Thom Simmons shared with the Committee that we are hiring students to help with film coverage of championships to get the students involved. Teachers are shadowing others to gain experience and bring new ideas to their campuses. We are in the process of producing a history program that will feature Dr. John Dahlem and be released over the summer. The next CIFSS This Week (#6) is 100% student-produced.

5. NEW BUSINESS (Cont.)

E. Marketing Report

Jacquelyn Gibson

Director of Marketing and Corporate Partnerships Jacquelyn Gibson shared the success of the Academic Awards night at Angels Stadium last month. Marketing is extremely busy with multiple events every weekend.

President Dr. Paula Hart Rodas called the Closed Session, which began at 2:36 p.m.

6. CLOSED SESSION

A. Public Employee Evaluation of Performance – (Government Code 54957):

1. Commissioner's Evaluation

7. REPORT OF ACTION(S) TAKEN IN CLOSED SESSION

Closed Session concluded at 3:19 p.m. No action taken in closed session.

8. REPORTS

A. President's Report

Dr. Paula Hart Rodas

Thank you to all, the office, the Committee. There is a wealth of information in this room, and I appreciate the knowledge and perspective each person brings. It is a privilege to be here. I look forward to us continuing to grow and be the front runner in the state and the nation. Thank you, Rich, for your friendship and your work. You will be missed!

B. Treasurer's Report

Rich Imbriani

Rich Imbriani gave the Treasurer's Report, which is included at the end of these minutes.

C. Commissioner's Report

Mike West

Thank you for all the hard work this year. Looking forward to everyone on the Committee returning next year. Mike Middlebrook and Lisa McInerney did a great job running the beach volleyball championships. Swimming and diving are now complete thanks to Kristine Palle and Tamara Towgood. Looking forward to the rest of the Spring events. Unified track was phenomenal. Held a new event in the North and watched how competitive the South was once again. Unified swimming was also a tremendous success. An update on transgender – Both Division 1 and Division 3 Track and Field prelims had transgender athletes competing. There were no issues at the Division 1 event, and the athlete did not move on. At the Division 3 meet the athlete has advanced in three events and there was news coverage and protests. We worked closely with the Placencia/Yorba Linda School District and the CIF State Office to plan for event safety and will continue to as we move through the rest of the track events. May 29 will recognize state athletes of the year, both of whom are from the Southern Section. The Champions for Character golf tournament is June 16 at Skylinks, and we would love for you all to dust off those clubs and come out. Rich Shearer is retiring. In his 6 years, he has been very knowledgeable in the Blue Book and has run the championships under his umbrella with professionalism and integrity. He will be missed. The application is out and will close May 30. Screening will be on June 4, with the first interviews on June 17/18, the second interviews on June 23, and the announcement of the new Assistant Commissioner on June 26. Hope is to have someone on board by July 14.

8. REPORTS (cont.)

D. Executive Committee Member Reports

No reports

9. ADVANCE PLANNING

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B. SUGGESTED AGENDA ITEMS

There were no items suggested for the next agenda.

10. ADJOURNMENT

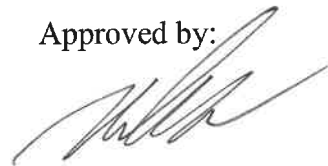
The meeting was adjourned at 3:31 p.m. by President Dr. Paula Hart Rodas.

Submitted by:



Sharon Hodge
Executive Assistant

Approved by:



Mike West
Commissioner of Athletics

Council Voting Report

			Adopt May 13, 2025 Agenda Vote	Approval of Minutes from March 20, 2025	Item 5A1 – Arcadia Christian	Item 5A2 – Mojave River Academy	Item 5A3 – Phase3 Lab	Item 5A4 – South Hills Academy	Item 5B1 – Aveson Global Leadership Academy	Item 5B2 – DNA Prep Academy	Item 5B3 – Entrepreneur/Fontana	Item 5B4 – First Baptist/Long Beach	Item 5B5 – Gorman LC/Antelope Valley	Item 5B6 – Legacy Christian Academy	Item 5B7 – Orange County Classical Academy
First Name	Last Name	Keypad	4	8	12	16	18	20	22	24	26	27	29	31	33
Jamal	Adams	1	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Dr. Alexis	Barile	2	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Terry	Barnum	3	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	Abstain	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Mitch	Brunyer	4	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Rob	Dearborn	5	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Ann	Fitzgerald	6													
Gil	Gomez	7	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Mary Jane	Hibbard	8													
Demetre	Howard	9	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Abstain	No	Yes	Yes	Yes
Rich	Imbriani	10	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes
Kai	Lyles	11	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes
Matt	Maeda	12	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	Abstain
David	Parkes	13	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Mary	Perez	14	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
James	Perry	15	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Dr. Paula Hart	Rodas	16	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Alicia	Seevers	17	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes
Cari	Strange	18	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Suzie	Swartz	19	Yes	Abstain	Yes	No	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Dr. Erika	Tejeda	20													
Reggie	Thompkins	21													
Total 1 = Yes			17	16	17	3	4	12	16	17	7	16	13	17	16
Total 2 = No			0	0	0	14	13	5	0	0	9	1	4	0	0
Total 3 = Abstain			0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1
Total Voters			17	17	17	17	17	17	17	17	17	17	17	17	17
Total Yes + No			17	16	17	17	17	17	16	17	16	17	17	17	16
% Yes			100.00%	100.00%	100.00%	17.65%	23.53%	70.59%	100.00%	100.00%	43.75%	94.12%	76.47%	100.00%	100.00%
% No			0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	82.35%	76.47%	29.41%	0.00%	0.00%	56.25%	5.88%	23.53%	0.00%	0.00%
Pass Threshold			50.00%	50.00%	50.00%	50.00%	50.00%	50.00%	50.00%	50.00%	50.00%	50.00%	50.00%	50.00%	50.00%
Pass/Fail			Pass	Pass	Pass	Fail	Fail	Pass	Pass	Pass	Fail	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass

C.I.F. SOUTHERN SECTION
Sports Revenue Performance
Budget vs. Actual 2024-25
Executive Committee Meeting
May 13, 2025

	Revenue ~Actual~	Revenue ~Budget~	+ / -
BASEBALL	0.00	58,500.00	-58,500.00
BASKETBALL	1,192,317.00	1,151,000.00	41,317.00
CHEER	65,786.00	44,000.00	21,786.00
CROSS COUNTRY	112,055.00	104,000.00	8,055.00
FOOTBALL	2,005,409.00	2,212,700.00	-207,291.00
GOLF	59,950.00	98,000.00	-38,050.00
LACROSSE	0.00	24,000.00	-24,000.00
SOCCER	161,014.00	91,000.00	70,014.00
SOFTBALL	0.00	37,000.00	-37,000.00
SWIMMING & DIVING	72,058.00	58,000.00	14,058.00
TENNIS	6,980.00	16,000.00	-9,020.00
TRACK & FIELD	22,800.00	127,500.00	-104,700.00
VOLLEYBALL	528,351.00	529,000.00	-649.00
WATER POLO	53,893.00	62,000.00	-8,107.00
WRESTLING	205,714.00	159,000.00	46,714.00
	4,486,327.00	4,771,700.00	-285,373.00

COLUMN 1: Revenue Actual	This is the SPORTS REVENUE earned via ticket sales and entry fees.
COLUMN 2: Revenue Budget	This is SPORTS REVENUE target for the fiscal year.
COLUMN 3: + / -	Difference between ACTUALS against the BUDGET = Revenue performance versus projections.

SPORTS IN YELLOW ARE PENDING COMPLETION.

C. I. F. SOUTHERN SECTION
Treasurer's Report
Executive Committee Meeting
May 13, 2025

I. AUDIT & TAXES FROM FISCAL 2023-24:

- A. Prior year audit **COMPLETE** and approved last meeting.
- B. Annual tax return (990) filed and **COMPLETE**.

II. INVESTMENTS FISCAL 2024-25:

- A. Balance at May 12, 2025 = **\$4,005,350**
- B. Up \$189,917 this fiscal year** (May and June left to go).
- C. How are we currently invested? As per CIF-SS investment policy...
 - 1. 78% Mutual Funds
 - 2. 14% Cash, Money Funds and Bank Deposits
 - 3. 8% Exchange-Traded Products

III. CIF-SS CAPITAL PROJECTS FISCAL 2024-25:

- A. SMALL CONFERENCE ROOM TECHNOLOGY.
- B. BUILDING MONITORING SYSTEM.
- C. ROOFING PROJECT.
- D. HEATING & AIR CONDITIONING PROJECT.
- E. SOLAR PANEL REMOVAL AND RE-INSTALL.
- F. TOTAL OUTLAY = close to \$200,000 (all will be depreciated over time).

IV. FINAL FISCAL YEAR (2024-25) FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE:

- A. To be presented at first Executive Committee meeting in August.

Prepared by:
MITCH CARTY, Chief Financial Officer



Date: July 22, 2025
To: CIF Southern Section Principals & Athletic Directors
From: Mike West, Commissioner of Athletics
Subject: 2026 – 2030 Releaguings Update

This information is designed to update you on the current situation related to the 2026-2030 Releaguings Cycle. Attached to this communication are the completed Releaguings Plans, as approved by each of the nine areas within our section. Here are the processes and timelines moving forward...

- June 19, 2025 – Area Releaguings plans due to the CIF Southern Section Office by 4:00 pm (Already submitted by all areas, see attached)
- July 31, 2025 – Schools wishing to appeal their placement into a particular league must send written notice of appeal to the CIF Southern Section Office by 4:00 pm

NOTE: Schools wishing to appeal their placement into a particular league or conference must confine their appeal to their own school's placement. Appeals will not be heard regarding the placement of another school into the league or conference to which the appellant school has been placed. Schools who are appealing must also offer an alternative placement for their school into another league as part of their appeal.

- August 7, 2025 – The CIF Southern Section Executive Committee will hear all initial appeals regarding Releaguings criteria and process. The Executive Committee may accept the appeal, in which case the Releaguings Chair for the respective area will re-convene the area schools to consider suggestions from the Executive Committee and possibly make changes to the original plan. The Executive Committee shall make no recommendations or approve alternative appeal configurations. (Releaguings Appeals Procedures #1, 2025-2026 CIF Southern Section Blue Book, page 40.)

If a Releaguings Plan is remanded back to its area, the area must reconsider and vote on a configuration. The configuration will be forwarded to all member schools in that area. (Releaguings Appeals Procedures #2, 2025-2026 CIF Southern Section Blue Book, page 40.)

- September 18, 2025 – CIF Southern Section Executive Committee meeting. The Executive Committee will review any changes to Area Releaguings Plans made by said areas as a result of appeals upheld in August. It will move those affected plans forward to the CIF Southern Section Council.
- September 25, 2025 – CIF Southern Section Council approves Releaguings Plans and hears final appeals relative to process. The 2026-2030 Releaguings process will be concluded.

Relevant Blue Book Section

Article 32.5 – Area Placement and Releaguings

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact our office.

Citrus Belt Area Releaguings 2026-2028 (2yr)

Arrowhead Conf.

Arroyo Valley
Bloomington
Carter
Colton
Eisenhower
Fontana
Grand Terrace
Indian Springs
Jurupa Hills
Kaiser
Rialto
Rim of the World
San Geronio
Summit

Big VIII

Centennial/Corona
Corona
Martin Luther King
Norco
Roosevelt
Santiago/Corona

Desert Sky

Adelanto
Barstow
Granite Hills
Silverado
Victor Valley

Citrus Belt

Beaumont
Cajon
Citrus Valley
Redlands
Redlands East Valley
Yucaipa

Mojave River

Apple Valley
Burroughs/Ridgecrest
Hesperia
Oak Hills
Serrano
Sultana

Desert Athletic Conference

Banning
Cathedral City
Coachella Valley
Desert Hot Springs
Desert Mirage
Indio
La Quinta/La Quinta
Palm Desert
Palm Springs
Rancho Mirage
Shadow Hills
Twentynine Palms
Xavier Prep
Yucca Valley

Mountain Pass

Elsinore
San Jacinto
Tahquitz
Temescal Canyon
West Valley

Raincross Conference

Arlington
Canyon Springs
Citrus Hill
Hemet
Heritage
Hillcrest
Lakeside
Liberty
Moreno Valley
North, JW
Orange Vista
Paloma Valley
Perris
Poly/Riverside
Rancho Christian
Rancho Verde
Valley View
Vista Del Lago

Valley Conference

Big Bear
Jurupa Valley
La Sierra
Miller, AB
Norte Vista
Pacific
Patriot
Ramona
Rubidoux
San Bernardino

Southwestern

Chaparral
Great Oak
Murrieta Mesa
Murrieta Valley
Temecula Valley
Vista Murrieta

Football Only Conf.

Centennial/Corona
Chaparral
Corona
Great Oak
Martin Luther King
Murrieta Mesa
Murrieta Valley
Norco
Roosevelt
Santiago/Corona
Temecula Valley
Vista Murrieta

Coast Area Releaguings 2026-2028 (2yr)

South Bay AA North

Beverly Hills
Culver City
Hawthorne
Inglewood
Lawndale
Leuzinger
Santa Monica

South Bay AA South

El Segundo
Mira Costa
North Torrance
Palos Verdes
Peninsula
Redondo Union
South Torrance
Torrance
West Torrance
Wiseburn Da Vinci

SoCal Legacy Association

Cabrillo/Long Beach
Centennial/Compton
Compton
Compton Early College
Dominguez
Jordan
Lakewood
Millikan
Poly/Long Beach
Wilson/Long Beach

Desert Area Releaguings 2026-2030

Golden Conference

Antelope Valley

Eastside

Highland

Knight

Lancaster

Little Rock

Palmdale

Quartz Hill

Foothill Area Releaguings 2026-2030

Conference A

Arcadia
Blair
Burbank
Burroughs/Burbank
Crescenta Valley
Gabrielino
Glendale
Hoover
La Canada
Marshall
Monrovia
Muir
Pasadena
San Marino
South Pasadena
Temple City

Conference B

Alhambra
Arroyo
Bell Gardens
El Monte
El Rancho
Mark Keppel
Montebello
Mountain View
Rosemead
San Gabriel
Schurr
South El Monte

Conference C

Artesia
Bellflower
California
Cerritos
Downey
Firebaugh
Gahr
Glenn
La Mirada
La Serna
Lynwood
Mayfair
Norwalk
Oxford Academy
Paramount
Pioneer
Santa Fe
Warren
Whitney
Whittier

Conference D

Canyon/Canyon Country
Castaic
Golden Valley
Hart
Saugus
Valencia/Valencia
West Ranch

Mt. SAC Area Releaguig 2026-2028 (2yr)

Baseline

Chino Hills
Damien
Etiwanda
Los Osos
Rancho Cucamonga
St. Lucy's
Upland

Hacienda

Alta Loma
Colony
Los Altos
San Dimas
South Hills

Miramonte

Bassett
Edgewood
Ganesha
La Puente
Pomona
Workman

Montview

Azusa
Baldwin Park
Duarte
Garey
Nogales
Sierra Vista

Mt. Baldy

Chaffey
Chino
Diamond Ranch
Don Lugo
Montclair
Ontario

Palomares

Ayala
Bonita
Claremont
Diamond Bar
Glendora
Walnut

Valle Vista

Charter Oak
Covina
Northview
Rowland
West Covina
Wilson/Hacienda Heights

Mt. SAC Football Only Leagues

Baseline

Chino Hills
Damien
Etiwanda
Rancho Cucamonga
Upland

Gano

Chaffey
Don Lugo
Montclair
Nogales
Rowland
Walnut

Hacienda

Baldwin Park
Covina
Diamond Bar
Los Altos
South Hills
West Covina

Miramonte

Bassett
Ganesha
Garey
Pomona
Workman

Montview

Azusa
Duarte
La Puente
Ontario
Sierra Vista
Wilson/Hacienda Heights

Sierra

Ayala Bonita
Charter Oak
Colony
Glendora
Northview

Valle Vista

Alta Loma
Chino
Claremont
Diamond Ranch
Los Osos
San Dimas

Northern Area Releaguig 2026-2028 (2yr)

Citrus Coast

Carpinteria
Fillmore
Hueneme
Nordhoff
Santa Paula

Coast Valley

Coast Union
Coastal Chritian
Cuyama Valley
Maricopa
San Luis Obispo Classical
Shandon
Valley Christian/Santa Maria

Coastal Canyon

Camarillo
Moorpark
Oak Park
Royal
Simi Valley

Condor

Anacapa
Besant Hill
Midland
Oak Grove

Marmonte

Agoura
Calabasas
Newbury Park
Oaks Christian
Thousand Oaks
Westlake

Channel Association

Buena
Channel Islands
Del Sol
Dos Pueblos
Oxnard
Pacifica/Oxnard
Rio Mesa
San Marcos
Santa Barbara
Ventura

Tri-County Athl. Assoc.

Bishop Diego
Cate
Dunn
Foothill Tech
Grace
Laguna Blanca
Malibu
Providence/Santa Barbara
Santa Clara
St. Bonaventure
Thacher
Villanova Prep

Northern Area Football Only

League A

Bishop Diego
Newbury Park
Oaks Christian
Pacifica/Oxnard
Simi Valley
St. Bonaventure

League B

Westlake
Moorpark
Rio Mesa
Santa Barbara
Thousand Oaks
Ventura

League C

Agoura
Buena
Calabasas
Camarillo
Oak Park
Oxnard

League D

Dos Pueblos
Fillmore
Heneme
Royal
San Marcos
Santa Paula

League E

Carpinteria
Channel Islands
Del Sol
Grace
Nordhoff
Santa Clara

Orange County Area Releaguings 2026-2028 (2yr)

Century Conference

Brea Olinda
Canyon/Anaheim
Laguna Beach
Cypress
El Dorado
El Modena
Esperanza
Foothill
La Habra
Pacifica/Garden Grove
Sonora
Sunny Hills
Troy
Villa Park
Yorba Linda

Coast View Conference

Aliso Niguel
Beckman
Capistrano Valley
Dana Hills
El Toro
Irvine
Mission Viejo
Northwood
Portola
San Clemente
San Juan Hills
Tesoro
Trabuco Hills
University
Woodbridge

Golden Empire Conference

Buena Park
Calvary Chapel/Santa Ana
Costa Mesa
Fullerton
Garden Grove
Godinez
Katella
Kennedy
Laguna Hills
Ocean View
Santa Ana
Seegerstrom
Tustin
Valencia/Placentia
Westminster

Orange Grove Conference

Anaheim
Bolsa Grande
Century
Estancia
La Quinta/Westminster
Loara
Los Amigos
Magnolia
Orange
Rancho Alamitos
Saddleback
Santa Ana Valley
Santiago/Garden Grove
Savanna
Western

Sunset

Corona Del Mar
Edison
Fountain Valley
Huntington Beach
Los Alamitos
Marina
Newport Harbor

Trinity Conference

Crean Lutheran
JSerra
Lutheran/Orange
Mater Dei
Pacifica Christian/Orange County
Rosary Academy
Sage Hill
Santa Margarita
Servite
St. John Bosco
St. Margaret's

Orange County Area Releaguings 2026-2028 (2yr)

Football Only

Trinity

JSerra
Lutheran/Orange
Mater Dei
Santa Margarita
Servite
St. John Bosco

Aliso Niguel
Anaheim
Beckman
Bolsa Grande
Brea Olinda
Buena Park
Calvary Chp/Santa Ana
Canyon/Anaheim
Capistrano Valley
Century
Corona del Mar
Costa Mesa
Crean Lutheran
Cypress
Dana Hills
Edison
El Dorado
El Modena
El Toro
Esperanza
Estancia
Foothill
Fountain Valley
Fullerton

Orange County Football Conference

Garden Gove
Godinez
Huntington Beach
Irvine
Katella
Kennedy
La Habra
La Quinta/Garden Grove
Laguna Beach
Laguna Hills
Loara
Los Alamitos
Los Amigos
Magnolia
Marina
Mission Viejo
Newport Harbor
Northwood
Ocean View
Orange
Pacifica/Garden Grove
Portola
Rancho Alamitos
Saddleback

San Clemente
San Juan Hills
Santa Ana
Santa Ana Valley
Santiago/Garden Grove
Savanna
Seegerstrom
Sonora
St. Margaret's
Sunny Hills
Tesoro
Trabuco Hills
Troy
Tustin
University
Valencia/Placentia
Villa Park
Western
Westminster
Woodbridge
Yorba Linda

Parochial Area Releaguings 2026-2030

Association A

Aleman
Chaminade
Crespi
Flintridge Sacred Heart
Harvard-Westlake
Immaculate Heart
Louisville
Loyola
Marlborough
Marymount
Notre Dame Academy
Notre Dame/Sherman Oaks
Sierra Canyon
St. Francis

Association B

Bishop Amat
Bishop Conaty-Loretto
Bishop Montgomery
Cantwell Sacred Heart
Cathedral
Don Bosco Tech
La Salle
Mary Star of the Sea
Paraclete
Pomona Catholic
Ramona Convent
Sacred Heart of Jesus
Salesian
San Gabriel Mission
Serra
St. Anthony
St. Bernard
St. Genevieve
St. Joseph/Lakewood
St. Mary's Academy
St. Monica Catholic
St. Paul
St. Pius X-St. Matthias
Verbum Dei Jesuit

Parochial Area Football Only

Angelus

Bishop Montgomery
Cathedral
Paraclete
St. Francis
St. Paul
St. Pius X/Matthias

Camino Real

Cantwell Sacred Heart
Don Bosco Tech
Mary Star of the Sea
St. Bernard
St. Genevieve
St. Monica Catholic
Verbum Dei Jesuit

Del Rey

Aleman
Crespi
Harvard-Westlake
La Salle
Salesian
St. Anthony

Mission

Bishop Amat
Chaminade
Loyola
Notre Dame/SO
Serra
Sierra Canyon

Small Schools Area Releaguig 2026-2030

Agape/Cross Valley

Academy Career/Explor.
Academy/Acad Excell.
Cobalt Institute
Excelsior Charter
Hesperia Christian
Lakeview Leadership Acad
Lucerne Valley
PAL Charter
Riverside Prep
Summit Leadership
Silver Valley
University Careers/Sports
University Prep
Victor Valley Christian

Ambassador

Aquinas
Arrowhead Christian
Linfield Christian
Notre Dame/Riverside
Ontario Christian
Woodcrest Christian

Arrowhead

California Lutheran
CSDR
Hamilton
La Sierra Academy
Sherman Indian

Coastal

CAMS
Geffen Academy
Hawthorne MSA
Lennox Academy
New Roads
Rolling Hills Prep
Vistamar
Wildwood

Gold Coast

Brentwood
Campbell Hall
Crossroads
The Archer School for Girls
Viewpoint
Windward

Heritage

Desert Christian/Lancaster
Faith Baptist
Lancaster Baptist
Palmdale Acad Charter
Palmdale Aerospace
Santa Clarita Christian
St. Monica Academy
Trinity Classical
Valley Torah
Vasquea

Legacy Conference

Bethel Chr/Riverside
Calvary Baptist
Cornerstone Chr/Wildomar
Crossroads Christian
Grove
Loma Linda Acad
Mesa Grande Acad
Norton Academy
Packinghouse Christian
Public Safety Acad
Redlands Advent. Acad.
River Springs Magnolia
River Springs/Hemet
River Springs/Temecula
United Christian Acad.

Liberty/Independence

AGBU/Canoga Park
Buckley
de Toledo
Holy Martyrs
International School of LA
Le Lycee
Milken Community
Pacific Chr/Santa Monica
Pilibos
Providence/Burbank
Yeshiva (YULA)

Mulholland

Ambassador
Animo City of Champions
Animo Leadership
Environmental Charter
Pacific Lutheran
Price
Shalhevet
Summit View West

National/International

Mesrobian
New Covenant Academy
New Harvest Christian
Southwestern Academy
Waverly

Olympic

Heritage Christian
Maranatha
Valley Christian/Cerritos
Village Christian
Whittier Christian

Omega

Beacon Hill
Glendale Academy
Gorman Learning Center
Highland Hall
Hillcrest Chr/TO
Lighthouse Christian
Newbury Park Advent.
Ojai Valley
Pilgrim
San Fernando Vly Acad
Santa Clarita Vly Inter.
Squoyah
Summit View
Westmark

Prep

Chadwick
EF Academy
Flintridge Prep
Mayfield
Oakwood
Poly/Pasadena
Rio Hondo Prep
Westridge

South Valley

California Military
Desert Christian Academy
Nuview Bridge
San Jacinto Leadership Acad
San Jacinto Vly Academy
Santa Rosa Academy
St. Jeanne de Lestonnac
Temecula Prep

Small Schools Area Releaguig 2026-2030 (Cont)

Victory

Desert Chapel
Joshua Springs
Noli Indian
Palm Valley
Weaver, Jack

Western Athletic Conf.

Acaciawood Academy
Anaheim Discovery Christian
Avalon
Bethel Baptist
Calvary Chapel/Downey
Capistrano Valley Christian
Cristo Rey/OC
Eastside Christian
Fairmont Prep
Legacy College Prep
Liberty Christian
Magnolia Science Acad
Newport Christian
NOVA Academy
Orange County Christian
Orange County Classicial Acad
Samueli Academy
San Gabriel Academy
Southland Christian
Tarbut V'Torah
Vista Meridian Golbal Acad
Waldorf
Webb
Western Christian

Football Only Conf.

Aquinas
Arrowhead Christian
California Militiry Institute
Capistrano Vly Christian
Desert Chapel
Desert Christian Acad
Hamilton
Heritage Christian
Linfield Christian
Maranatha
Notre Dame/Riverside
Nuview Bridge
Ontario Christian
Riverside Prep
San Jacinto Vly
Santa Rosa Academy
Silver Valley
St. Jeanne de Lestonnac
Temecula Prep
Trinity Classicial Acad
Valley Chr/Cerritos
Vasquez
Village Christian
Webb
Western Christian
Whittier Christian

Freelance Schools 2026-2030

Arcadia Christian
Bridges Academy
Delphi Academy

Entrepreneur/Highland
First Baptist/Long Beach
Legacy Christian Academy

Lifeline Education Charter
Orion International Academy

South Hills Academy
The SEED School of LA



Date: July 21, 2025
To: Daniel Moyer, Principal, Crean Lutheran High School
From: Mike West, Commissioner of Athletics
Subject: 2026 – 2030 Releaguings Appeal – Thursday, August 7, 2025

The following information is provided to help you prepare for your Releaguings Appeal scheduled for the CIF Southern Section Executive Committee meeting on Thursday, August 7, 2025. We will be sending you an agenda soon for that day's meeting, which will begin at 1:00 pm. The agenda will include your Releaguings Appeal, which will be heard that day.

In preparation for your appeal hearing, here is some information to assist you:

- 1) Your appeal hearing is scheduled for a maximum of 20 minutes. That will include the presentations, questions from the Executive Committee, open deliberation by the Executive Committee, and the vote to accept or not accept the appeal.

Note: If you wish to have PowerPoint as part of your presentation, we have the capability to present it in our conference room. You are welcome to bring your laptop if you wish, or we have one available here for your use if you prefer. Please let me know what you would like to do.

- 2) In terms of format for the appeal hearings, here are the guidelines:

- A) As the appellant, you will make your presentation first and present the rationale behind your appeal of your area's decision to place your school into the conference you have been placed into for the 2026-2030 Releaguings Cycle. Your presentation must focus on the three criteria of competitive equity, school enrollment, geography, and how those criteria were not applied in placing your school as described in the 2025-2026 CIF Southern Section Blue Book on page 40.

NOTE: Schools wishing to appeal their placement into a particular league or conference must confine their appeal to their own school's placement. Appeals will not be heard regarding placement of another school into the league or conference the appellant school has been placed into.

- B) A representative from your area will follow your presentation, focusing on the processes followed by your area and the criteria from the Blue Book referenced above. After both presentations, the Executive Committee will have the opportunity to ask questions and/or seek more clarification.
- C) After all presentations are finished and all questions answered, a member of the Executive Committee will make a motion to accept the appeal. That motion will be seconded, and then a discussion will follow.
- D) After discussion is concluded, there will be a vote on the motion. The vote to accept or not accept the appeal will be taken, and the result of that vote will be final.
- E) The entire appeal hearing, from beginning to end, including the deliberation and vote of the

Executive Committee, will be open to you and the decision will be made in your presence.

Here are the relevant timelines moving forward:

- July 25, 2025 – Appeal letters should be received by this office, the Releaguings Chairperson in your area, and all Principals in your area.
- August 7, 2025 – The CIF Southern Section Executive Committee will hear all initial appeals regarding Releaguings criteria and process. The Executive Committee may accept the appeal, in which case the Releaguings Chair for the respective area will reconvene the area schools to consider suggestions from the Executive Committee and possibly make changes to the original Releaguings Plan or may not accept the appeal. The Executive Committee shall make no recommendations or approve alternative appeal configurations. (Releaguings Appeals Procedures #1, 2025-2026, CIF Southern Section Blue Book, page 40.)

If a Releaguings Plan is remanded back to its area, the area must reconsider and vote on a configuration. The configuration will be forwarded to all member schools in that area. (Releaguings Appeals Procedures #2, 2025-2026 CIF Southern Section Blue Book, page 40.)

- September 18, 2025 – CIF Southern Section Executive Committee meeting. The Executive Committee will review any changes to Area Releaguings Plans made by said areas as a result of appeals upheld on August 7, 2025. It will move those affected proposals forward to the CIF Southern Section Council.
- September 25, 2025 – CIF Southern Section Council approves Releaguings Plans and hears final appeals relative to process. The 2026-2030 Releaguings process will be concluded.

Relevant Blue Book Section

Article 32.5 – Area Placement and Releaguings

I hope this information will be helpful to you as we move forward. If you have any further questions or I can help you in any way at all, do not hesitate to contact me. I will look forward to seeing you on August 7.



CREAN LUTHERAN HIGH SCHOOL

BEFORE THE CALIFORNIA INTERSCHOLASTIC FEDERATION-SOUTHERN SECTION ON RELEAGUING COMMENCING 2026-2027 SCHOOL YEAR

In the matter of CIF-SS Orange County
Area Releaguings and Crean Lutheran High
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APPEAL - CREAN LUTHERAN
HIGH SCHOOL, Irvine, CA

July 24, 2025

I. INTRODUCTION

Christ's grace and peace to you and yours as we progress through these weeks of summer!

I submit this appeal on behalf of Crean Lutheran High School, pursuant to CIF Southern Section Blue Book guidelines (*Southern Section Constitution, Section 32.5, Subsection D*). As required by the aforementioned *Subsection D*, this appeal is being shared with the CIF Southern Section, Principal Paul Lopez, who serves as Area Releaguings Chairperson, and all Orange County Area Principals and Athletic Directors.

Crean Lutheran's concerns stem from misalignment between the CIF principles of competitive equity (*Southern Section Constitution, Section 32.5, Subsections B and C*) and fairness (*Constitution of the California Interscholastic Federation, Section 12, Subsection A*), and the decision to remove Crean Lutheran from the Century Conference without applying those principles. We request immediate intervention to ensure Crean Lutheran's continued placement in the Century Conference.

II. BACKGROUND AND BASIS FOR APPEAL

Crean Lutheran, a private school in Irvine with an enrollment of 1,121 students for the 2024-2025 academic year, is currently a member of the Century Conference, which offers exceptional competitive equity for all student-athletes ([Century Conference Ratings and Rankings, OC Register](#)). Notably, no school in the Century Conference has requested relief due to concerns related to competitive equity, enrollment, or geography. The decision to remove Crean Lutheran from the Century Conference and place it in the Trinity Conference disregards CIF's principles of competitive equity and fairness, and is the basis for this appeal.

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III. COMPETITIVE EQUITY

On the morning of the releguing meeting, May 15, 2025, Dr. Moyer shared [an email](#) with all Orange County Area Principals and Athletic Directors. Attached to that email was a [Google Slides](#) presentation containing data compiled from CIF and [hsratings.com](#). **This was the only data presented that day -- by any party -- addressing competitive equity and enrollment in relation to Crean Lutheran's proposed removal from the Century Conference and placement in the Trinity Conference.**

CIF's bylaws require a releguing process that honors and promotes competitive equity (*Southern Section Constitution, Section 32.5, Subsection B*) and fairness (*Constitution of the California Interscholastic Federation, Section 12, Subsection A*). Crean Lutheran's placement in the Trinity Conference, absent any data or reasoning linked to promoting competitive equity, is wrong, contrary to the guidelines established by CIF, and detrimental to the student-athletes of Crean Lutheran.

All proposals removing Crean Lutheran from the Century Conference and placing the school in the Trinity Conference rejected the CIF principles of competitive equity (*Southern Section Constitution, Section 32.5, Subsection B*) and fairness (*Constitution of the California Interscholastic Federation, Section 12, Subsection A*). No examples of competitive equity existing for Crean Lutheran through participation in the Trinity Conference were shared by school, league, or conference representatives during the releguing process. Examples of competitive equity existing in the Century Conference and absent from the Trinity Conference were shared throughout the releguing process by Dr. Moyer, yet were not taken into account. Examples are included below.

Well-Balanced Placement ([Century Conference \[Link\]](#)): Crean Lutheran's athletic teams are well-balanced within the three levels of the Century Conference.

In the 2024-2025 academic year, Crean Lutheran had nine teams in the top league (Crestview), nine teams in the middle league (Freeway), and four teams in the lower league (North Hills).

	School	Crestview	Freeway	North Hills	Total Sports
1	Canyon	19	5	0	24
2	El Dorado	16	8	1	25
3	Foothill	14	3	8	25
4	Yorba Linda	12	8	5	25
5	Cypress	11	8	3	22
6	Villa Park	10	12	0	22
7	Esperanza	10	10	4	24
8	Crean Lutheran	9	9	4	22
9	Sunny Hills	7	6	9	22
10	Troy	4	10	6	20
11	Brea Olinda	4	7	11	22
12	El Modena	4	4	16	24
13	Pacifica	3	5	13	21
14	La Habra	2	9	11	22
15	Sonora	2	5	15	22



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Ranking Averages (Century Conference [\[Link\]](#)): There is **greater competitive equity** across sports and far less disparity in the rankings of athletic programs and athletic teams in the **Century Conference** than in the Trinity Conference.

School	Overall Average Rank	School	Boys Sports Average Rank	School	Girls Sports Average Rank
Canyon	49	Foothill	47	Canyon	44
El Dorado	75	Canyon	55	Yorba Linda	59
Crean Lutheran	76	Crean Lutheran	71	Sunny Hills	66
Foothill	76	El Dorado	85	El Dorado	67
Yorba Linda	84	Villa Park	92	Cypress	75
Sunny Hills	86	Troy	106	Crean Lutheran	80
Cypress	91	Brea Olinda	107	Troy	85
Troy	95	Cypress	108	Esperanza	87
Villa Park	108	Sunny Hills	109	Foothill	101
Esperanza	114	Yorba Linda	111	Sonora	121
Brea Olinda	116	La Habra	143	Villa Park	123
La Habra	135	Esperanza	144	Brea Olinda	125
Sonora	147	Pacifica	175	La Habra	127
Pacifica	166	Sonora	177	Pacifica	157
El Modena	190	El Modena	178	El Modena	202

Ranking Averages (Trinity Conference [\[Link\]](#)): There is **limited competitive equity** across sports and far more disparity in the rankings of athletic programs and athletic teams in the **Trinity Conference** than in the Century Conference.

School	Overall Average Rank	School	Boys Sports Average Rank	School	Girls Sports Average Rank
JSerra	18	JSerra	15	Orange Lutheran	13
Mater Dei	18	Mater Dei	17	Mater Dei	17
Santa Margarita	22	Santa Margarita	18	JSerra	20
Orange Lutheran	28	Servite	37	Santa Margarita	22
Servite	37	Orange Lutheran	42	Sage Hill	63
Rosary	71	Crean Lutheran	71	Rosary	71
St. John Bosco	74	St. John Bosco	74	Crean Lutheran	80
Crean Lutheran	76	Sage Hill	122	St. Margarets	91
Sage Hill	92	St. Margarets	127	Pacifica Christian	136
St. Margarets	111	Pacifica Christian	188		
Pacifica Christian	160				



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Vast Ranking Disparities (Trinity Conference [Link]): The majority of Crean Lutheran's athletic teams are competitively incomparable to those within the Trinity Conference. This raises substantial concerns related to student safety, athlete well-being, and CIF's requirement for competitive equity. Examples are included in the tables below.

Female Sport Ranking Disparities (Trinity Conference)

	RANK			
	Female			
	First School	Second School	Third School	Crean Lutheran
Basketball	3	14	21	24**
Beach Volleyball	2	5	21	17
Flag Football	1	4	5	28
Golf	1	2	9	36
Lacrosse	5	7	9	NA
Soccer	3	9	10	85
Softball	3	6	25	301
Tennis	3	13	22	29
Volleyball	2	15	16	103
Water Polo	1	2	13	101

**Six seniors on Varsity, graduating in 2025

Male Sport Ranking Disparities (Trinity Conference)

	RANK			
	Male			
Sport	First School	Second School	Third School	Crean Lutheran
Baseball	4	6	19	64
Basketball	3	4	8	19
Golf	2	9	21	68
Lacrosse	2	3	6	18
Soccer	1	2	18	246
Tennis	6	34	54	44
Volleyball	9	10	12	84
Water Polo	2	6	8	24

15-Team Conference Model: The 15-team conference model has proven to provide a great deal of competitive equity for member schools, leading to the majority of proposals shared and discussed before and during the May 15, 2025, releguing meeting including a minimum of four 15-team conferences. With placement in the Trinity Conference, Crean Lutheran does not benefit from the 15-team conference model, which significantly reduces opportunities and access for our student-athletes.

Maximized Playoff Opportunities (Century Conference [Link]): 60% of Teams to Playoffs for 16 Sports at all levels within the conference (i.e., Girls Volleyball, Girls Tennis, Flag Football, Boys Water Polo, Boys Basketball, Girls Basketball, Boys Soccer, Girls Soccer, Girls Water Polo, Baseball, Boys Volleyball, Softball, Boys Tennis, Boys Golf, Boys Swim, Girls Swim).

Limited Playoff Opportunities (Trinity Conference [Link]): 60% of Teams to Playoffs for only 6 Sports at all levels within the conference (i.e., Baseball, Basketball, Boys Golf, Boys Soccer, Boys Tennis, Boys Volleyball).

Sport	Male		Sport	Female	
	Top League	Bottom League		Top League	Bottom League
Baseball	60%	60%	Basketball	60%	50%
Basketball	60%	60%	Beach Volleyball	50%	50%
Cross Country	NA	NA	Cross Country	NA	NA
Golf	60%	60%	Flag Football	57%	NA
Lacrosse	50%	50%	Golf	60%	50%
Soccer	60%	60%	Soccer	60%	50%
Tennis	60%	60%	Softball	50%	NA
Volleyball	60%	60%	Tennis	60%	50%
Water Polo	50%	50%	Volleyball	60%	50%
			Water Polo	57%	NA



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IV. SECONDARY CONCERN: ENROLLMENT

Enrollment Disparities: Crean Lutheran High School is smaller than the existing Trinity League schools. Crean Lutheran's student body is only 61% of Mater Dei's, the largest school in the Trinity Conference. Crean Lutheran's enrollment as of today is 1121 students compared to Mater Dei (1851), Santa Margarita (1821), Orange Lutheran (1515), JSerra (1285), St. John Bosco (756 [males]), and Servite (751 [males]). Crean Lutheran can objectively display that it cannot significantly increase enrollment, given a Conditional Use Permit that limits enrollment to 1,200 students and ongoing parking limitations. Crean Lutheran is far larger than the remaining schools in the Trinity Conference, including Rosary (465 [females]), Sage Hill (590), St. Margaret's (458), and Pacifica Christian (343).

Enrollment Disparities (Trinity Conference)

Mater Dei	1851	100%
Santa Margarita	1821	98.4%
St. John Bosco (Male)	856* (Males)	92.5%* (Doubled)
Orange Lutheran	1515	81.8%
Servite (Male)	751* (Males)	81.1%* (Doubled)
JSerra	1285	69.4%
Crean Lutheran	1125	60.8%
Rosary (Female)	465* (Females)	50.2%* (Doubled)
Sage Hill	590	31.9%
St. Margaret's	458	24.7%
Pacifica Christian	343	18.5%



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V. REQUESTED REMEDY

We respectfully request:

- **Retention in the Century Conference:** Absent a data-driven justification for change, affirm Crean Lutheran's placement in the Century Conference, consistent with the CIF Southern Section's emphasis on competitive equity, fairness, and the welfare of student-athletes.

VI. CONCLUSION

Over the past two relegating cycles, Crean Lutheran High School has consistently advocated for placements aligned with CIF Southern Section standards for competitive equity and fairness. Despite our good-faith participation in the process, the proposals affecting our school have not reflected those standards and have now placed our student-athletes in an environment that compromises their well-being and denies them equitable competition.

It is fundamentally unfair to move a school that did not seek relief -- particularly from a conference where no member requested relief or raised concerns related to competitive equity -- without a compelling, data-driven reason.

We remain confident in CIF's commitment to fairness and respectfully request your intervention. Thank you for your time and thoughtful consideration.

Respectfully submitted,

Daniel E. Moyer, Ed.D.
Principal



Date: July 21, 2025
To: Dr. Jason Allemann, Principal, Laguna Beach High School
From: Mike West, Commissioner of Athletics
Subject: 2026 – 2030 Releguing Appeal – Thursday, August 7, 2025

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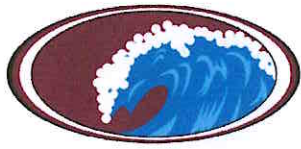
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July 22, 2025

Southern Section Office
California Interscholastic Federation
10932 Pine Street
Los Alamitos, CA 90720

Dear Mike West & the CIF-Southern Section Executive Committee,

On behalf of Laguna Beach High School, I am writing to respectfully appeal the league placement determination made during the most recent releguing cycle. Our school acknowledges the challenge in creating league alignments that are fair and balanced across the Southern Section, and we appreciate the time and effort that CIF-SS puts into this process. However, we believe that the placement of Laguna Beach High School into the newly assigned league does not align with CIF-SS's stated criteria of **competitive equity**, **school enrollment**, and most urgently, **geography**.

Geography: Our Greatest Concern

The most significant issue impacting our students and programs is geography. The travel distances required in this new league far exceed reasonable expectations for regular league competition. Our student-athletes, most of whom are involved in multiple extracurricular and academic obligations, will now face considerable travel times that often exceed 90 minutes one way for league contests. These extended travel requirements come at a cost to instructional time, student wellness, and family commitments. Essentially, LBHS, one of the southern most high schools in the CIF-SS area would be obligated to commute and compete in league play with some of the northern most high schools within the region. While not as significant, it is also an unfair burden for the other student-athletes within the proposed league to travel to LBHS for the same reason of geographic location and commute time.

It is important to emphasize that **Laguna Beach High School was not seeking relief from our current league**. We have not expressed concerns about our existing placement and have operated in good faith within our league framework. Unfortunately, our inclusion in this newly formed league appears to be a result of adjustments made to accommodate the preferences of a few other schools, leaving us to bear the unintended consequences of that realignment.

School Enrollment

Laguna Beach High School is a small public high school with a current enrollment of just over 800 students (this is anticipated to continue to decline). This number is significantly

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below that of many schools in our new league assignment. As a smaller area high school, competing regularly against larger schools is something that we have consistently navigated. While it can, at times, place some strain on our programs, especially those that rely on broad student participation rather than specialized depth, it is exacerbated by the distances we would have to travel.

Competitive Equity

Our competitive history demonstrates that Laguna Beach competes honorably and with parity in our current league. We are neither dominant nor underperforming in the current athletic environment, and we believe our student-athletes are appropriately challenged across sports. The new league alignment places us in a competitive environment that lacks this balance, putting some programs at a disadvantage while others may be asked to compete at a level beyond their current development.

Conclusion

We are proud of the commitment our students make to athletics, academics, and the community. Decisions about league placement should prioritize student balance, safety, and equitable opportunity. We feel that our current placement undermines those priorities, especially in light of the geographic burden it imposes. It is disappointing to find ourselves placed in a position we did not request, **a byproduct of other schools' requests, without sufficient consideration for the consequences to our students and programs.**

We respectfully request that CIF-Southern Section reconsider Laguna Beach High School's league assignment and explore alternatives that more appropriately reflect our enrollment, competitive standing, and—most critically—our geographic location.

Thank you for your time, leadership, and consideration.

Sincerely,

Jason Altemann

Principal

Laguna Beach High School

CC: Paul Lopez

Area Principals



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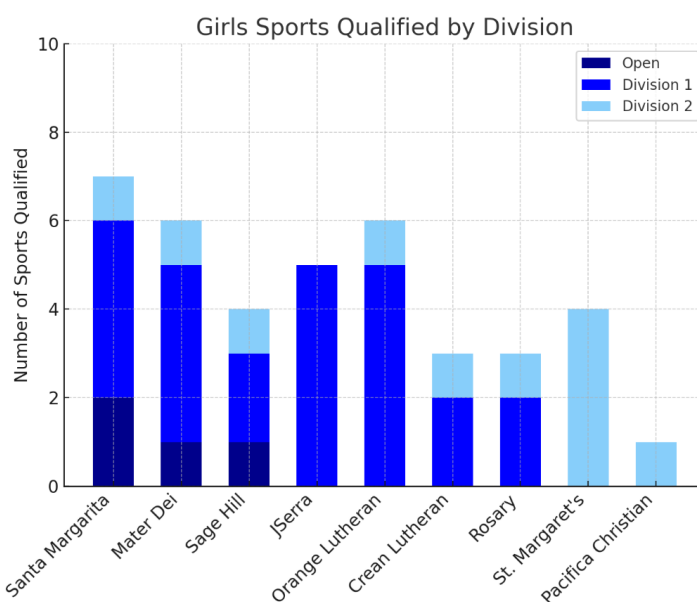
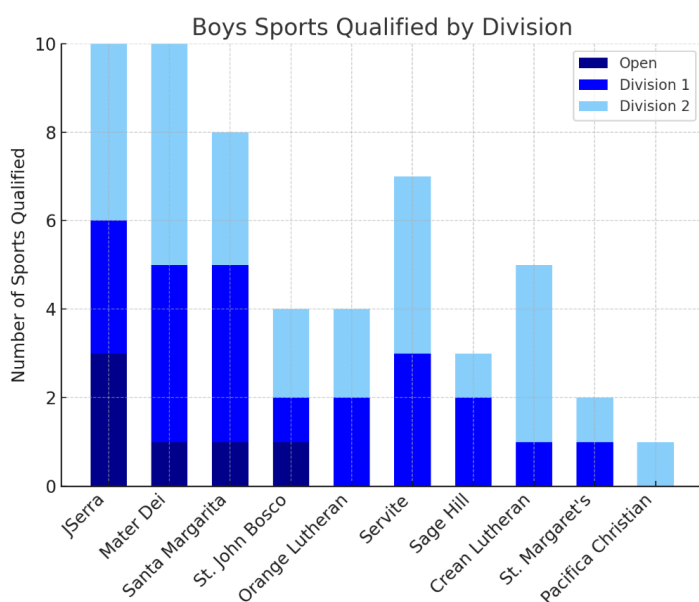
LEAGUE PLACEMENT APPEAL



GOAL: To be moved from the Trinity Conference to the Golden Empire Conference for the 2026–28 cycle. This request is based on the competitive equity profile outlined below, the school's prior league placement alongside several Golden Empire Conference teams that reflected appropriate competitive balance over multiple years, and the inclusion of another private school in that league, which they deemed an appropriate fit.

RATIONALE FOR APPEAL:

- 1) **Competitive Equity:** The data below brings to light a noticeable difference in our school's competitive level compared to the other teams in the proposed new Trinity Conference. CIF has gone to great lengths, with the support of this Council, to develop playoff structures in every sport based on competitive equity. This league placement appears to run counter to the years of effort invested in building the current system.
- 2) **Precedent:** On multiple occasions, the CIF Southern Section has granted appeals for schools whose league placements did not align with competitive equity. In 2021, St. Margaret's received relief from the Coast View Conference on this basis, and current section data indicates that the Trinity Conference competes at an even higher level.
- 3) **CIF Blue Book:** Article 3 of the CIF Southern Section Blue Book mandates that "league configurations within a Conference must be based on competitive equity," yet it lacks specific criteria for determining equity and offers no clear process or timeline for schools to appeal placements when competitive balance is not prioritized. This ambiguity is particularly problematic in the context of newly formed conferences, where league structures and placement criteria remain undefined. While appeals must be filed by August, finalized league configurations are not due until May 15 of the following year—leaving schools without meaningful recourse if material changes occur in the interim. This is further complicated by the fact that leagues are configured and submitted to CIF by sport, thus multiplying the potential for competitive inequity.



SUPPORTING DATA — *2024-25 League Comparison

Trinity League

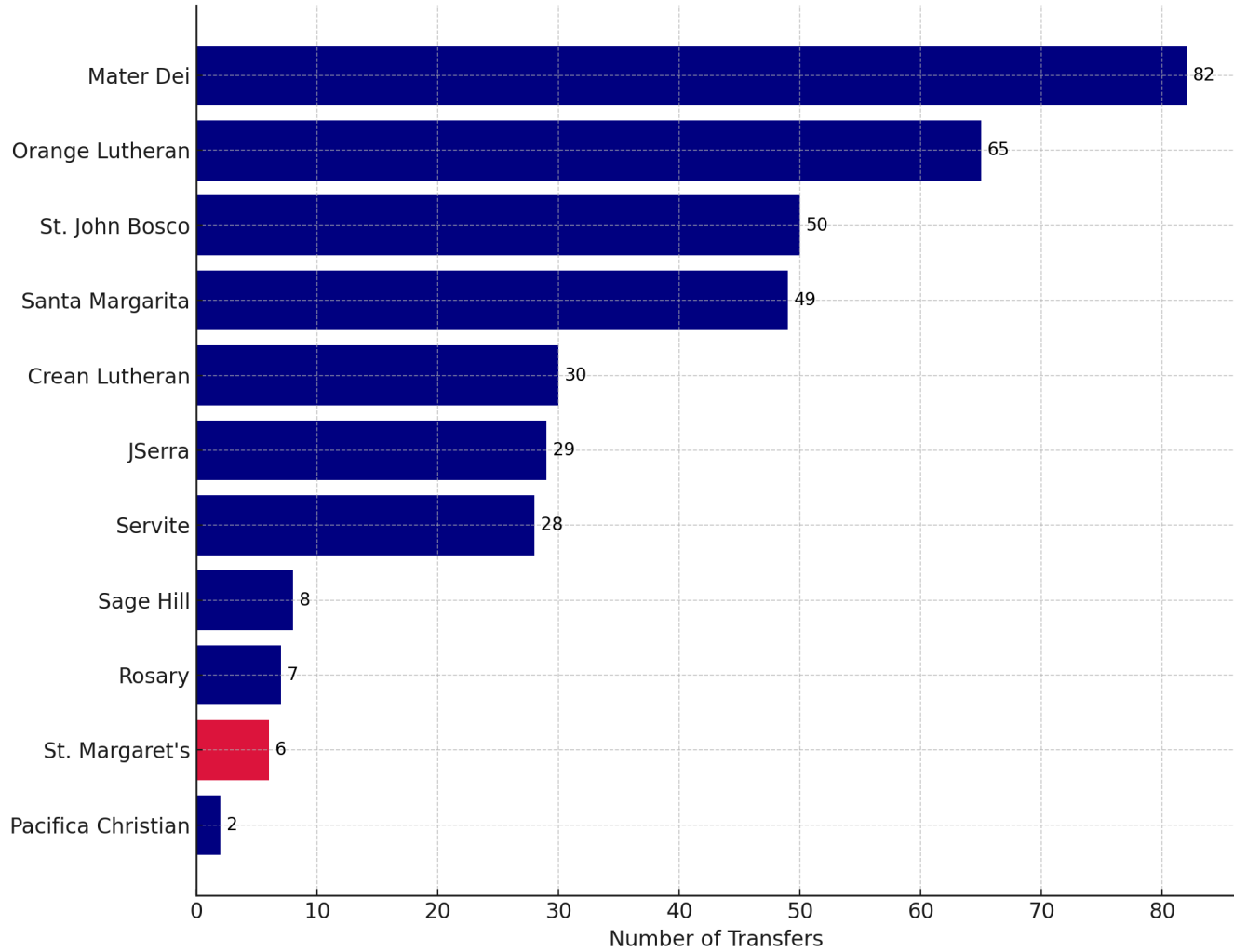
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Boys Basketball	Division Open: JSerra, Santa Margarita, St. John Bosco Division 1: Crean Lutheran, Mater Dei, Orange Lutheran, Servite Division 2AA: Pacifica Christian Division 3AA: Sage Hill Division 4AA: St. Margarets
Boys Golf	Division 1: Orange Lutheran, Sage Hill, Santa Margarita, Servite Division 2: JSerra, Mater Dei Division 3: St. Margaret's Division 4: Crean Lutheran Division 5: Pacifica Christian, St. John Bosco
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Boys Volleyball	Division 2: JSerra, Mater Dei, Santa Margarita, Servite, St. John Bosco, St. Margaret's Division 3: Orange Lutheran Division 4: Crean Lutheran, Sage Hill Division 6: Pacifica Christian
Boys Swimming	Division 1: JSerra, Mater Dei, Santa Margarita Division 2: Crean Lutheran, Orange Lutheran, Sage Hill, Servite, St. John Bosco Division 4: St. Margaret's
Boys Tennis	Division Open: JSerra Division 1: Sage Hill Division 2: Crean Lutheran, Mater Dei, Santa Margarita Division 3: St. Margaret's Division 4: Servite Division 5: Orange Lutheran, St. John Bosco Division 6: Pacifica Christian
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Golden Empire Conference

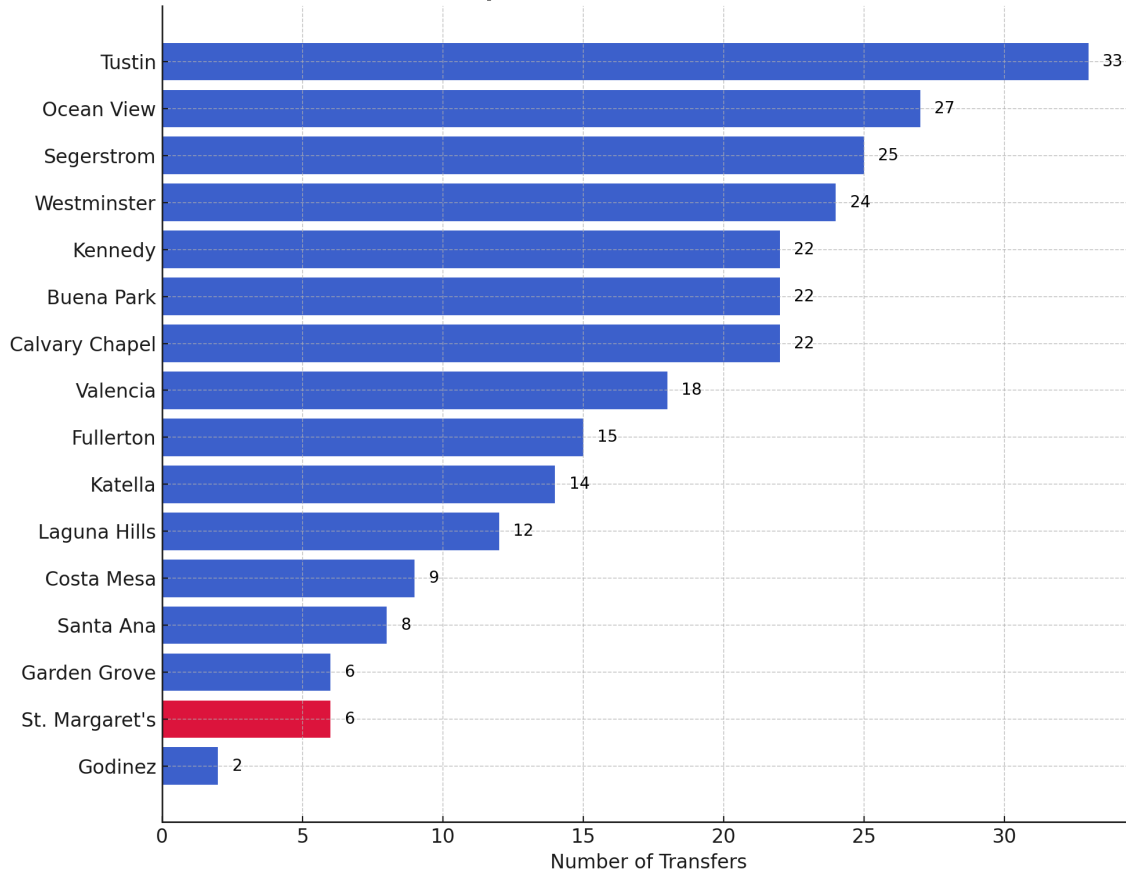
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Cross Country	Division 2: Mater Dei Division 3: St. John Bosco, Orange Lutheran, Santa Margarita, Servite Division 4: JSerra, Rosary, Crean Lutheran Division 5: Sage Hill, Pacifica Christian, St. Margaret's	Division 1: Katella, Santa Ana, Segerstrom, Valencia, Westminster Division 2: Garden Grove, Kennedy Division 3: Buena Park, Fullerton, Godinez, Tustin Division 4: Costa Mesa, Laguna Hills, Ocean View Division 5: Calvary Chapel, St. Margaret's
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Girls Soccer	Division Open: Santa Margarita Division 1: JSerra, Mater Dei, Orange Lutheran, Rosary Division 3: Crean Lutheran Division 4: Pacifica Christian, Sage Hill Division 6: St. Margaret's	Division 3: Fullerton, Kennedy Division 4: Costa Mesa, Garden Grove, Katella, Valencia Division 5: Santa Ana, Tustin Division 6: Calvary Chapel, Godinez, Segerstrom, St. Margaret's , Westminster Division 7: Buena Park, Ocean View
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Beach Volleyball	Division 1: JSerra, Santa Margarita Division 2: Crean Lutheran, Mater Dei, Orange Lutheran, St. Margaret's Division 3: Pacifica Christian, Rosary, Sage Hill	Division 2: St. Margaret's Division 3: Buena Park, Calvary Chapel, Costa Mesa, Estancia, Laguna Hills, Ocean View, Westminster
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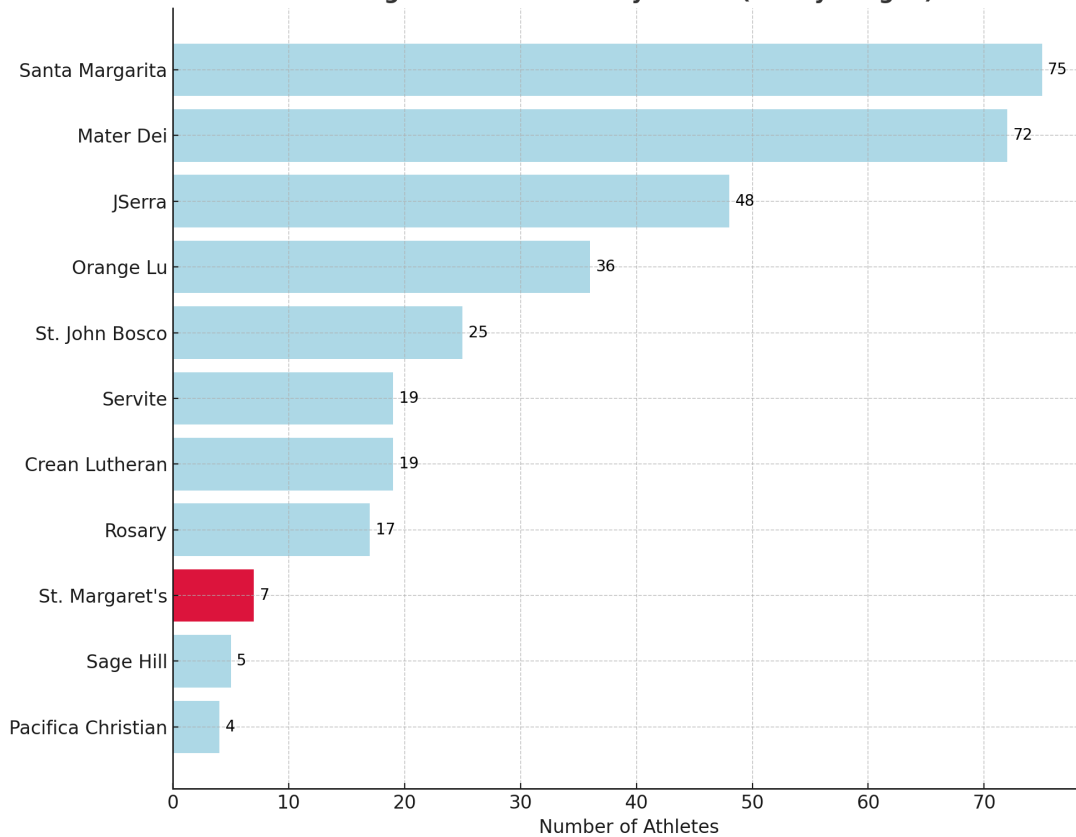
****Trinity League Transfers (2024-25)****



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****College Bound Athletes by School (Trinity League)****





2025-2026 CIF Southern Section Goals

Mike West, Commissioner of Athletics

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 - a. Provide examples of how divisions are developed.
 - b. Continue to promote score and schedule updates by schools throughout each season.
 - c. Continue to collect and publish data showing system efficacy
 - d. Evaluate the efficacy of the system by comparing the sum of the score differentials in each playoff division for each sport from this year to last year.
2. Improve communication and connection with small school membership
 - a. Hold virtual meetings for small school leadership.
 - b. Perform a needs assessment on what small school leaders need/want from the CIF Southern Section office
 - c. Establish a Small Schools Leadership Committee
 - d. Attend small school league meetings
3. Re-negotiate all ball contracts for every eligible sport.
 - a. All established contracts with ball manufacturers come to term at the end of the 2025-2026 school year.
 - b. New agreements will be solicited and negotiated with ball manufacturers.
 - c. Satisfaction with the ball and company based on the Ball Survey to schools will be a priority.
4. Revise and update the CIF Southern Section - Financial Policy
 - a. Playoff revenue splits to be paid based upon gross revenue.
 - b. Revenue disbursement to schools will be much quicker and efficient.
 - c. The proposed percentage sharing of the gross revenue to the host and visiting schools will be calculated based upon comparison to the existing expenses reported, plus a 20% profit split from the net income distribution over the past 3 years.
5. Establish and enhance a CIF Southern Section Student Athlete Advisory Council.
 - a. Solicit Representation from all areas of the Southern Section
 - b. Provide formalized opportunities for student-athletes to share their voices on CIF Southern Section issues.
 - c. Provide opportunities for students to be involved in CIF Southern Section Projects and Championships.

The following are ongoing initiatives, projects, or programs that the CIF Southern Section will continue to address, maintain, or monitor.

1. Continue to Enhance Communication Between the CIF Southern Section Office, Member Schools, and the Executive Committee
2. Maintain and/or Enhance the CIF Southern Section Title Sponsorship/Media Rights/Linear Television agreements
3. Maintain and/or Enhance the CIFSSHome 2.0 Platform for CIF Southern Section Member Schools
4. Implement/Ratify New Rules Changes
5. Provide Professional Growth Opportunities for Member Schools
6. Maintain Fiscal Responsibility as it Relates to the Member Schools and the Section Office
7. Examine and Explore Issues Involving Public and Private Schools
8. Promote and support officials' recruitment, retention, and recognition.
9. Examine and Explore Opportunities for Student Participation in a Variety of Settings
10. Work Cooperatively with the CIF State Office and the Other 9 Sections
11. Expand Relationships with the National Federation of State High School Associations