

**Empire 8 Golf Spring Meeting**  
**Meeting Minutes**  
**March 1, 2013**  
**Prepared by Bill Dundon**

The Empire 8 golf coach's spring meeting was conducted on Friday, March 1, 2013 via conference call.

In attendance: Janelle Feuzl(Empire 8),

Bill Dundon (Utica College), Joe Stahley (Stevens Institute of Technology)

Bob Simms (St. John Fisher College), Marty Coddington (Nazareth College)

Ed Karpovich (University of Scranton), Kevin Edwards (Moravian College),

Buddy Yarger (Susquehanna University) Richard Halberg (Houghton College)

Absent: Dean Jackson (Elmira College)

The following items were discussed:

**A New chair Person selection**

- **Kevin Edwards 2013 - 15**

**B Split Season Championship**

- It was discussed and agreed on the to keep the current tournament format.

The vote was 6 in favor 2 opposed 1 absent

**C Keeping the venue at the neutral Sites for 2013 - 15**

- The vote was 8 in favor 1 absent

**D Future Championship Dates and Hosts**

- Spring 2013 April 20, 21 Nazareth College
- Fall 2013 September 21, 22 Elmira
- Spring 2014 April 19, 20 Susquehanna
- Fall 2014 September 20, 21 Utica College
- Spring 2015 April 18, 19 Moravian
- Fall 2015 Houghton
- Spring 2016 St. John Fisher
- Fall 2016 Stevens
- Spring 2017 Scranton

**Empire 8 Golf Championship Rules and Legislation**

**Tournament Format**

- Participating institutions can change their roster from Fall to Spring
- Participating institutions are permitted to complete a roster of 6 players
- Team scores will be conducted by recording 4 of 6 scores

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- Team tie break at the completion of the 72 hole championship will be conducted by comparing the 5<sup>th</sup> player score. If the scores remain to be tied, the tournament committee will continue to match cards of the 4<sup>th</sup> player and will continue to the 1<sup>st</sup> player if necessary
- Tournament groups will be played in threesomes to speed up time of play
- Agreed there will be an effort to bundle teams so teams are not spread out on the course
- Tournament fees should include: Greens fees, coaches cart range balls prior to each round, banquet (spring only)
- Home course for championship site is permitted
- The host institution must provide rules committee
- Acceptable rules committee members are:
  - 1 Rules officials
  - 2 Course Head Professional
  - 3 Host institution's coach
  - 4 Participating institutions coach's
- Host school must provide information to participating institutions players and coaches
- Participating institutions coaches are permitted to make rulings on the course during play