

**BRIDGEMONT COMMUNITY AND TECHNICAL COLLEGE
BOARD OF GOVERNORS**

POLICY A-8

SPORTS PROGRAMS AT COMMUNITY AND TECHNICAL COLLEGES

Section 1. General.

- 1.1. Scope – This rule governs sports at BridgeValley Community and Technical College (BridgeValley).
- 1.2. Authority – W. Va. Code §18B-1-6, 18B-1-8; West Virginia Council for Community and Technical College Education Series 36
- 1.3. Effective Date – July 12, 2013

Section 2. Policy.

- 2.1. The primary vehicle for student participation in sports activities at BridgeValley will normally be the institutional intramural program and physical education classes. Any competitive activities beyond those provided through these programs shall be of a recreational or sports club nature. Should competition occur between public community and technical colleges located in the state or with other institutions of higher education, activities must be conducted so as to exclude the following:
 - 2.1.1. Tackle football;
 - 2.1.2. Intercollegiate conference affiliations;
 - 2.1.3. Scholarships awarded on the basis of athletic ability;
 - 2.1.4. State appropriations to defray operating or personnel costs; and
 - 2.1.5. Addition of physical facilities constructed for the primary purpose of supporting intercollegiate sports.