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Dear Members,

For those who are not aware, Mike Rosselli has recently resigned as President of the BCSSWA. The Association would like to acknowledge his years of service and contributions to high school wrestling in British Columbia. He will be sorely missed.

The remaining members of the executive have been working to fill the position and would like to announce that Mr. James Messenger from Port Alberni has graciously accepted his nomination and appointment to the position of interim President. BC School Sports has accepted this decision. If he wishes to continue as President, James will have to be ratified by vote by the assembled members of the BCSSWA at the next AGM (time and date still TBD).

Finally, the sport of wrestling continues to face a number of challenges due to the ongoing Covid-19 pandemic. While the Executive and Championship Committee have been working in partnership with BCSS, BCWA and the Langley Events Centre to continue planning, we must prepare for the strong possibility there will be neither a high school wrestling season or a 2021 Championship Tournament. The BCSS Board of Directors will advise us regarding the fate of these events and we will communicate them to the membership as soon as any definitive decision is made.

In the interim we encourage you to stay safe and connect with your athletes and coaches as appropriate. BC Wrestling has created some great at home training resources available to members. Rest assured we will wrestle again!

Sincerely, The Executive of Your BC Secondary School Wrestling Association



