

ANNUAL COACHES, PARENTS, MEETING
OCTOBER 10, 2009

ATTENDEES:

Will Pittman, Darrell Hampton, Aliya Dibrell, Carl Bryant, Sylvia Jones, Yuko Hayashi, Lee Brewer, Diane Biswell, David Lawrence, Maura Kent, Alicia K Loung, Blanca Fonseca, Darius Strickland, Traevon , Lewis Pugh, Alexander, Brian, Lawanda Young, Roosevelt Kent, Coach Sylva, Dolton Simmons, Maria Castillo, Joanne Camargo, Pope Powell, Irene Herman, Dave Shrock, Charlie Sheppard, Authur Jones, Nadine Davis

Meeting was called to order at 10:02 am by Joanne Camargo. Minutes was approved from the January 24, meeting.

Maura Kent went over Athletic.net. the benefits of the free website, how it can be beneficial for your team and helpful as far as keeping track with the athletes progress. There is a fee for pictures which she will give us at a later date.

Pope Powell did roll call to determine who is eligible to vote.

Irene Herman-President /Membership Chair discussed that all sanctioned meets must have an EMT. Peter Tapia will be working with the EMT, he will be called to see if the EMT meets the USATF standards to work at the meets, he will try to be on site at the meets. Everything must first go to Hieke then it will go to Peter Tapia. His contact number is 415-722-8876.

Air Force/ Military has to be endorsed, the by laws was updated, Birthday verifications must be verified after 12 months.

Dave Shrock went over the youth level 1 clinics, the different times and locations and the needed hours he also discussed the scholarships how to apply and what they consist of.

Roosevelt Kent spoke on high school coaches to get mentors to help with the new coaches to work with the more experienced coaches to help them get their clubs started, also for them to attend track clinics and also give track clinics to help them prepare their teams from high school to youth track.

Coach Pittman went over the meaning for the Coaches Alliance why we have it and what it can do for your track team. The reason behind the Coaches Alliance is they will try to work out any club situation before they will have to bring the situation to the board.

Region 16 meet the dates are ok, the only issue is concession. The school has first priority for concession; if the school gets it we will get the track for free.

The PAC meet has been confirmed to be held at Natomas High School in Sacramento, we will be meeting with Efrim in January to go over everything to make sure we have everything that we need equipment.

We would like to find a way to get the home school athletes more involved with youth track.

Charlie would like to see the youth organization try and recruit more disabled athletes.

We will be looking to move the javelin on Friday for next year. The championship meet changes are as followed: Shot put and Javelin on Friday for the high school age group. Suggestion was made that all the clubs get together to put on a track meet on the days of a meet cancellation. The Track and Field Chair will call together the track clubs along with the board members and attempt to put together a track meet. There will be a 60 day minimum to work on getting a track meet together.

The 2010 track schedule was approved.

Operation Procedures changes that were voted on an approved are as followed:

1. Item #9-A: The term of office shall be for two years and start on October 1.
2. Item #12: Add to the records the athletes who has records that includes IAAf
3. Item #8 A-3: To bid for a meet a club must submit in advance of the meeting to the Track Chair.
4. Item #8 A-3: 1 Club per regional distance of 60 miles or more apart, which will allow more than one track meet can be hosted on the schedule for the same day.

The meeting was adjourned at 2:02 pm. By Joanne Camrigo