

FBOA General Meeting Agenda

September 20, 2021

1. Call to Order by Pres. Dave Waasso
2. Reading of the FBOA purpose and objectives
3. Secretary's Report – Dan Barz – March meeting as presented & sent - Dale Y. & Tim K.
4. Treasurer's Report – Dave Buck – as presented & sent
5. Recruitment/Mentoring Report – Ken Schmaltz – Legacy: 1 young man from Coloma has registered. Needs to get connected, but has work out of town. A few recommendations from AD's. Public Service announcements on radio broadcasts? Whatever we can do to encourage young athletes. SWMC reopening athletics as a new location. Marc - working with the YMCA. Plant seeds. Offer an officiating class at local colleges.
6. Trainer's Reports
 - a. Football – Steve Petlick – is working JV game tonight (Ken S. having to reschedule across sports to get officials)
 - b. Volleyball – Dan Barz – Summer meetings, 4 passed exam & put in schedules. Seem to have officials we need.
 - c. **Wrestling – Brian Kuemin** – numbers are down. Are picking up some with KOA. Possible shortage. Trying to get more. Waiting for assignments. Don't know about times & tournaments.
 - d. **Basketball – Marc Kenyon/Dave Buck** – working on meetings at Bridgman. Single day a week on Sunday nights. Possible Zoom attendance. Need to split up duties. Dave wants to be facilitator. Members of all experience needed to lead meetings. A. What do you want to discuss? B. Who would you like to lead? Showed schedule. Training session at St. Joe Thanksgiving Saturday.
 - e. **Baseball – Dale Yoder** – Last spring with lots of COVID, meant lots of games. Gave chances for post season. Meeting planned for Steve P's. Will also schedule clinic. Hoping for more officials returning.
 - f. Softball – Bret Damaske - none
7. **Assigner's Report – Dave:** BB has been working since spring. Lots of opportunities. Added Lutheran League – young athletes. Just got 1 school's schedules. Keeping availability updated, a great help. If help is needed with

Arbiter, let him know. Self-Assign is opening. Has necessary restrictions.

Marc: BB Make sure we do our business. Block what is needed.

8. Update from MHSAA – Officials need to put in availability for post-season. They will not consider if not marked. MIG – need to have dues paid. Check on deadlines. Need to have on-line meeting done in order to work HS games.
9. Student scholarship – Scholarship given by Dave W. to last year's winner, Summer Court. [whole family is moving to Hawaii] How do we get more applications? Remind coaches & AD's. Dave B can help send out reminders – Dec. 1, Jan. 1, Feb. 1. Bruce A. Encourage sending to guidance counselors who puss the scholarships.
10. New Business/New Members – Ian ?? moving from Illinois can help w/ BB training.
11. Old Business – none
12. Good of the Association – Coach Knapp [sp?] from Brandywine suffer heart attack during open gym. Dale Y: reminder of need to do rules test before working any HS sports. 14% of officials lost last year. Pass names of good candidates
13. Adjourn – moved & second to adjourn. Passed

Post meeting: Lakeshore not available for evening meetings. Rich will check