

FBOA General Meeting

6:30 PM on Sept. 11, 2023 at Our Lady of the Lake Rose Center

1. Call to Order – at 6:30 by Pres. Waaso
 2. Reading of the FBOA purpose & objectives
 3. Secretary's Report - Dan Barz
 - a. Approve the minutes of the 3/13.23 General Meeting – sent out & on tables - moved, second & approved
 4. Treasurer's Report - Dave Buck
 - a. Approve the Web Hosting Invoice as presented - moved, second & approved
 - b. Approve the treasurer's report as presented - \$1786.90 Balance (list of those who have paid dues available. moved, second & approved
 5. Recruitment/Mentoring Report – Dave Waaso – looking for someone to take position. Number of officials is up
 6. Trainer's Reports
 - A. Football - Max & Steve: 3 meetings in person & virtual, with SMOA 1 more meeting planned.
 - B. Volleyball - Dan Barz: 4 Rules Meetings held, additional trainer(s), added several officials, will turn in recommendations
 - C. Wrestling - Brian Kuemin: early now, 2 new officials recruited
 - D. Basketball - Ian Bossert by Marc: meetings (5 + 2) scheduled at Our Lady, First meeting is Sun. Oct. 22
 - E. Baseball - Dale Yoder: first meeting in Nov., guys need to be registered, will do clinic, must come to meetings and clinics if they want post-season
 - F. Softball - Bret Damaske & Howard Jackson: First meeting on Sat. Oct. 14 at Lincoln Township Library at 11:00 AM; attended trainers meeting – general rules knowledge & mechanics
 7. Assigner's Report (need to be registered by the state) – short a few schools, BB is 80-85% done, just 6 MS
 8. New Business/New Members – Gabriella Cuthbert & Justin Berry - moved, second & approved
 9. Old Business – Resolution to reconsider 8-minute quarters for MS BB discussed & assigned to basketball
- Voting for Sportsmanship Awards – done on-line late spring
- A. Walt Lange Sportsmanship Award – Michigan Lutheran H.S.
 - B. Denny Kniola Sportsmanship Award – Tie Michigan Lutheran & Lakeshore M.S.

C. Herb Quade Coaches Award – Nominations: Tie Kevin Bartz (FB - Edwardsburg) & Miles Busby (Niles)

10. Good of the Association – Early discussion concerning meeting attendance – general meetings and sports specific meetings.

A. Honor Bruce Arter for 50 years

B. Honor Al Arend 50+ years as a sports reporter

C. Legacy program – Steve is working Rocket football with HS kids; track, wrestling officials also working with some HS kids

11. Adjourn – moved, second & approved