

## REPORT OF 1/8/2020 SCBOA DIRECTOR'S MEETING

Conference Call – 6:00 PM – 8:30 PM

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| 1. Rico Williams | 5. Richie Jeffcoat | 9. Eric McKnight   |
| 2. Len Scruggs   | 6. Marc Tindal     | 10. Rosco Campbell |
| 3. Paul Behr     | 7. Leon Myers      | 11. Jake Rosiek    |
| 4. David Pitts   | 8.                 | 12. David Fauth    |

Assistant Commissioner: Skip Lax

Officials Representative: Sam Jones (Not in attendance)

### I. CALL TO ORDER

Meeting was called to order at 6:02 pm by Rosco Campbell (SCBOA President)

### II. INVOCATION

Prayer by Rosco Campbell

### III. READING OF MINUTES (September 24, 2019)

Minutes were read silently by all SCBOA Directors who were present.

Motion made by Kyle Boczkowski and second by Paul Behr to accept the minutes as information with corrections.

### Old Business

### IV. TBA

### New Business

### V. SCBOA Business Meeting (Richie Jeffcoat)

- a. Proposed Bylaws and Constitution changes - Vote Summary  
Each of the proposed Constitution and Bylaw changes passed based on voting. See attached summary of votes.  
**Action Item: Richie Jeffcoat to send summary of votes to the SCBOA membership**
- b. SCBOA Financial Report – Good level of detail and summary. Transparency of financial information.
- c. Feedback - Good summary and delivery of content
- d. Any additional comments or suggestions? Continue to use 2019 SCBOA Business meeting format as the template going forward.

**VI. SCBOA Focus Group Recommendations (Rosco Campbell)**

The SCBOA Directors will review and discuss the Focus Group recommendations in the planned all day meeting in July 2020. Also, the suggestion regarding regional game scheduling by local Directors will be included on the agenda.

Derrill Dilworth provided a detailed summary of the SCBOA Focus group and its recommendations to District 1.

**VII. SCBOA Camps Update (Richie Jeffcoat)**

Reminder all camps being hosted in 2020 must be submitted to the SCBAO Camp Committee by 4/15/20 using the defined SCBOA Camp Guidelines. The dates, number of games, format of the camp, video courts, written evaluations must be included. The following indicated potentially hosting a camp.

- 1) Myrtle Beach
- 2) Charleston
- 3) Columbia - USC
- 4) Greenville
- 5) Anderson
- 6) Rock Hill
- 7) Wofford

Reminder – All clinicians are required to attend a camp as well.

**VIII. Registration fee structure for non-varsity officials. (Rosco Campbell)**

Discussion held regarding having a separate registration fee structure to allow for the usage of retired or persons who are interested only in working sub varsity basketball games. District 4 was the largest district that uses retired veteran officials to assist with their sub-varsity game assignments. This separate registration structure may be making it entice to get persons to work sub varsity games only. On the flip side a concern was brought up regarding first, second, third, fourth year officials who primarily work sub-varsity games the first few years.

More discussion to be held regarding this topic in the July 2020 all day meeting.

<b>SCBOA Registration 2019-2020</b>		
<b>Expense</b>	<b>Cost</b>	
NFOA Insurance	\$17.00	
NFHS Books	\$15.00	Rule, Case, Officials Manuals
Arbiter Email	\$4.00	
Central Hub	\$2.00	
Online Registration	\$1.75	
Arbiter Pay	\$2.25	
Background Checks	\$5.00	*Effective with the 2019-2020 season
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>\$47.00</b>	
SCBOA Registration	<b>\$75.00</b>	
SCBOA Expenses	\$47.00	
SCBOA Hall of Fame	\$5.00	
SCBOA Contribution*	23.00	

### **IX. SCBOA Hall Of Fame Update (Richie Jeffcoat)**

The SCBOA Hall Of Fame will be held on Wednesday March 18,2020 @ Seawells 6pm - 10pm.

Currently have 9 nominations sent in by the 12/1/19 deadline. SCBOA Hall of Fame Committee reviewing and will contact District Director and officials selected for inclusion into the Hall of Fame.

SCBOA Hall of Fame Budget - \$7,500

### **X. Committee Reports**

- a. SCBOA Camp Committee – See comments above.
- b. SCBOA Hall of Fame - See comments above
- c. SCBOA Constitution - See comments and action item above
- d. SCBOA Recruitment and Retention

The SCBOA Board of Directors will continue to work to retain officials and recruit new officials. One area of concern is fan behavior. This has become increasingly worse over the last several years and has resulted in officials leaving officiating. In addition, persons interested in becoming an official are reluctant to pursue due to the low pay and the fan behavior. This issue is faced across the nation.

## **XI. Upper/Lower State Semi Finals (Rosco Campbell /Skip Lax)**

Discussion held regarding the 60 officials who qualify for the Upper/Lower semi-finals to potentially alternate locations where they are assigned. Districts 3,5,12 currently have officials who are selected to work in both the upper/lower state semi-finals. The SCHSL office will ensure officials who qualify and asked to work in an alternate location may be put together so they can travel to the upstate or lower state together. More details to be provided by the SCHSL office as we get closer to the 2020 State semi-finals.

## **XII. Commissioner Comments (Skip Lax)**

- a. 2019 SCHSL Exam Appeal Discussion - Skip Lax (Question #23)  
Skip has received an appeal for this question. Next step Skip will review and provide an update by the March 7,2020 meeting.
- b. 2020 NC/SC (Districts 3,4,11) - Game to be played in Wilmington NC March 28,2020  
NC/SC- Phillip Elliott (3), Cason Mabry (4), Ron McInnis (11)
- c. 2020 North/South All Star games. Games to be played at Lexington High March 21 @ 1pm and 3 pm

North/South Boys - Joe Richardson (1), Kris Fahey (2), Derek Allison (5)

North/South Girls – Don Wright (3), Ron Bryant (10), Patrick Guy (12)

More details to be provided by Coach Shula by the end of January 2020

- d. Directors are asked to review key game in the area to ensure the best officials are on those games.
- e. Directors are encouraged to report to Skip any officials who cannot get up and down the court or any issues with fans/schools as soon as possible.

Motion was made to adjourn made by Leon Myers at 7:28 pm. Second by Marc Tindal.

Next scheduled meeting will be held **March 7,2020** 8:30 am Colonial Life Arena.