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USA TRACK & FIELD

Ohio Association Board Meeting

Patriot Center – 6660 Clough Pike, Cincinnati, Oh

Sunday, February 15, 2015

ATTENDANCE: Randy Hopkins, Fritz Spielman, Linda Melzer, Scott Rose, Len Krsak, Ulysses Rozelle, Paige Biglin, Karen Krsak, Phil Wright Jr., Duane Shaul, Duane Gosa

PRESIDENT: Randy Hopkins called the Board Meeting to order at 9:40am
A National Catalog along with a \$500.00 budget from Associations Committee, was sent to the Ohio Association. Items decided from the catalog were—
\$300.00 for 1000 Athlete Bracelets, \$50.00 for 1000 athlete tatto's
\$140.00 Finish Line Tape.
Randy, is responding to the incorrect Ohio Association, Accreditation Report from the National Office.

SECRETARY: Linda Melzer minutes from previous meeting are posted on-line.
Minutes were approved as presented.
A motion to destroy all Annual Meeting Reports – with the exception of the previous year – was approved.

YOUTH: Fritz Spielman: USATF & HERSHEY teamed up to create Run, Jump, Throw, a hands on learning program for kids 7-12. Purpose -- to introduce basic skills through track & field. There are three versions of the program. 1) One day event
2) 6 week plan 3) Addendum plan for physical educator's supports PE majors, Coaches by providing a deeper understanding of the program.
USATF FUTURE STARS competition – USATF membership NOT required to participate.
A new program designed to provide significant support to community-based, mid-level competitive track meets nationwide to foster participation.
Competition age groups are: 7-8, 9-10, 11-12, and 13-14. Organizers of community-based meets will receive support, including insurance, sanctioning, equipment, branding, meet manual and assistance in local sponsorship. Thirty (30) meets will be selected as elite meets and will receive funding assistance.

MEMBERSHIP: Brenda Martin (report sent to Randy) Request for new computer was discussed. It was decided to table the discussion until further review.

NEW BUSINESS: Next Ohio Association Board Meeting --- Sunday, April 19th , Chillicothe

Respectfully submitted,
Linda Melzer, Secretary
USATF Ohio