

IHSGCA Association Meeting

March 17th, 2010



Members Present: Ben Anderson, Steve Foerch, Jason Pike, Steve Gale, Chris Stevens, Scott Hagel, Mike Costa, Patrick Cole, Keith Mukai, Scott Phillips, Curt Austin, Frank Novakowski, Doug Foerch, Blaise Blasko, Pete Kallend, Mike Farina, Jesse Piland, Ken Cysewski

Agenda Items: (Thanks to Mike Costa for hosting)

Ken Cysewski is the Senior Sales & Events Coordinator for AAI requested to address the Association regarding equipment for the State Meet. There are 3 dealerships in the area that offer competitive pricing. Used and new equipment is being sold. www.ihsgca.org

Current Balance: 30,184.72

Membership: \$15.00 for Associate, \$20 for Assistant Coach, \$25 for Head Coach; New members?

Philanthropy:

Two \$500 scholarships are available this year. Application is on the website. Steering Committee will select the recipients based on the application(s).

UIC Home Meet Dates: Coaches are strongly encouraged to bring their teams; great motivational and learning opportunity. Ask your AD to provide a bus. Group tickets (10 or more) are only \$3. Call UIC ticket office Brian Forth: **312-413-8199**. Remaining meet: vs. Stanford 3-26-10 at 7 p.m.

State Meet: Sectional Seed is due March 30 and List of Participants is due April 19. These dates are on the website.

Hall of Fame Banquet and Golf Outing

May 18, 2010—Gary Morava Center (6:30 p.m.), Old Orchard Golf Course (3:30 p.m. tee times)
Nominations for HOF are due tonight. This year's inductee: Skip Adamson

Judging: Blaise Blasko is interested in running 2 clinics next year:

Level 1 – For more beginner judges. They will go over ID-ing skills, values and requirements.

The goal of this clinic is to make sure judges are comfortable judging varsity level routines.

Level 2 – For certified and more experienced judges.

There has been an increase of girl judges that have done a very good job to date. Remember female judges are more likely to be comfortable judging overlapping events (floor, vault, high bar).

Rules: Committee Report (nothing to report currently)

*Lower-level rules proposals are due tonight (discuss in April and vote in May)

All-Star Meet: Committee: Greg Gebhardt (chairman), Frank Novakowski, Rick Meyer

*Nominations for All-Star Meet are due at the April Meeting

ASM Committee has a plan for sponsoring the meet (on the back of this agenda)

* Coaches must print out the form from the website and bring it (filled out) to the April meeting.

April Meeting Deadlines:

- John Brinkworth Scholarship-The deadline to apply is April 29. Application is available on the website.
- All-Star Team Applications due-Application can be printed off of the IHSGCA website

- Senior Gymnast Applications due-Apply Online on the IHSGCA website. This is an online form.
- Nominations for Secretary/Treasurer, Steering Committee, Rules Committee, Hall of Fame Committee
- Nominations for Sportswriter of the Year and State Meet Special Recognition Award

Job Openings/Coaches Seeking:

Ryan Dengel – Teaches Social Studies. Coaches Boys and Girls (all levels).

Lyons is looking for a Boys Head coach. Openings in PE, Math and Science are available.

Scott Headley is looking for teaching/coaching position. His teaching position is Physics/Science.

New Business:

*Reminder: Fill out participation survey and rate officials on the IHSA website

Meeting called to Adjourn by Steve Foerch

Seconded by Mike Galfi

Meeting Adjourned 8:10 PM