TSLA/THSLL Board Meeting MINUTES

Meeting date | time 08/20/2019 | 7:00 PM | Meeting location Call

Meeting called by Joe Donoghue

Type of meeting Monthly Call

Facilitator Joe Donoghue

Note taker Kellie Schindel

Call to order 7:02 PM

Adjourn 8:44 PM

Voting Attendees Non-voting attendees

Joe Donoghue Nancy Powers John Edens Chris Shaffer Trey Harden

Mike Ormsby Jim Raney Jess Rest

Gary Dennington Kellie Schindel

AGENDA TOPICS

Agenda topic Meeting Minutes 07/30/2019 | Presenter Kellie Schindel

Discussion

Joe Donoghue moved to approve the minutes

John Edens seconded

Motion carried

Agenda topic Dates for District Meetings | Presenter Nancy Powers

Discussion

South DI & DII 9/10 @ St. Johns

North DI & DII 9/7 @ TBD

Central DI & DII 9/12 @ Anderson to be confirmed

San Antonio DII 9/12 @ St. Mary's Hall to be confirmed

Agenda topic State Meeting Location | Presenter Joe Donoghue

Discussion

The State Meeting is scheduled for 9/28/2019. Currently waiting for information from TAMU about availability and cost of meeting room. Back up plan would be to move meeting to Houston.

Agenda topic League Restructuring Plan | Presenter Joe Donoghue

Discussion

Board discussed proposed plan including feedback from the Coaches' Advisory Board. Joe and John are continuing to adjust the proposal based on feedback.

Agenda topic 2020 State Championship Location | Presenter Nancy Powers

Discussion

Several teams have indicated an interest in hosting- Kingwood and St. Thomas.

Conclusion

Email will be sent to South District teams requesting that interested teams contact Nancy Powers.

Due date for applications will be 9/20/2019

Board tentatively plans to review applications to host on the 9/24/2019 call.

Action items	Person responsible	Deadline
Send application to Kingwood and St. Thomas	Nancy Powers	ASAP
Send email to South District asking for applicants	Nancy Powers	ASAP

Agenda topic Prosper | Presenter Joe Donoghue

Discussion

A letter clarifying the Board's position was sent to both leadership groups. The League will only recognize one team from Prosper. If both groups are awarded club status at Prosper, member parents will need to decide which group will represent them in THSLL

Agenda topic Katy Lacrosse Program | Presenter Mike Ormsby

Discussion

Majority of players on the team now attend Tompkins. Board discussed whether or not team should move to Tompkins.

Conclusion

No decision was made. More information is needed. Will discuss again on next call.

Action items	Person responsible	Deadline
Request information from Program about Club Status at Tompkins and breakdown of roster.	Mike Ormsby	Next call

Agenda topic Tyler Cumberland | Presenter John Edens

Discussion

Currently there is a girl playing in their feeder pattern. Program is inquiring about whether or not she will be able to play in THSLL.

Conclusion

No action taken at this time. More information needed.

Action items	Person responsible	Deadline
Send email to program letting them know Board is exploring this.	John Edens	ASAP
Consult legal counsel	Joe Donoghue	ASAP

Agenda topic Hebron Lacrosse Program | Presenter John Edens

Discussion

Hebron coach resigned. Team is down to 13 players. Youth feeder predicts plenty of youth coming up in about a year or 2 to sustain program. Board discussed possibility of moving Hebron players to another program temporarily. John and Gary will have discussion in their District meeting. If players are moved, a detailed agreement between the League, Hebron and the receiving team would be put in place to define the parameters of the temporary transfer.

Conclusion

No action was taken. More information needed.

Action items	Person responsible	Deadline
Reach out to Hillcrest and Parish	John Edens	ASAP

Agenda topic Voting Items at State Meeting | Presenter Nancy Powers

Discussion

Documents to vote on need to be sent to member programs 15 days ahead of the State Meeting. Documents that are voted on are Appendix A, Timeline, Budget, Rule changes to the field of play and changes to the playoff structure.

Agenda topic LOA Contract | Presenter Mike Ormsby

Discussion

Mike is meeting with Tim Bodhan this week to review the edits that were discussed by the THSLL Board at the Annual Meeting in July.

Submitted by Kellie Schindel, THSLL Secretary

Approved on