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SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION OF BASKETBALL OFFICIALS
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Regular Season Minutes of January 12, 2011
Schultz Center

Greg Bing, President called the meeting to order at 6:30pm. There were 72 persons in attendance.

Reading of the minutes was waived.

The meeting dates for the 2009/10 season are posted on the www.sabo.cc website. All meetings will begin at 6:30 p.m. at the Schultz Center.

Committee Reports:

Evaluation: No Report

Recommendations: Pete Weaver reported the Recommendations Committee Crew lists for 2010 State Playoffs. The list was submitted to the membership for approval. The list was approved by the membership. Chuck Propes thanked the committee for all their hard work.

The criteria for the eligibility list are Rank 1 or 2; Attendance of a FHSAA Field Clinic since 2007/08; and a closed book exam score of 80 or above. To be considered for a crew, each official must be available for all playoff game dates and notify the committee of any unavailable dates. Clarence Mack Withdrew his name from the list.

Nominations: George Brown reported that the following members were nominated for Executive Board Office for the 20/12 season. Nominations from the floor will be accepted at the February 9, 2011 meeting. Elections for officers will be held at the January 23, 2011 meeting. Those nominated are as follows:

President: Terrence Mitchell, John Woodbury
Vice President: Jerry Williams
Secretary: Steve Naso
Treasurer: Gary Gier
Member at Large: Lawrence Starling
Sgt at Arms: Ray Wagner
Commissioner: Nile Dixon; James Williams

Assignment: No Report

Audit: No Report

Grievance: No Report

Vice President's Report: No Report

Commissioner's Report:

Rule books and case books are in the Commissioner's Car if anyone has not yet picked up their books. Please bring address labels and W-9's to all games. Some officials either

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do not bring their labels, or do not fill out a W-9 form.

Old Business: None

New Business: John Woodbury submitted a suggestion for improving the Recommendations Committee process of crew selection. The suggestion is attached. Greg Bing suggested that this suggestion be written with definitive processes and be presented as a constitutional amendment at the next meeting.

James Williams discussed a peer rating system for next year. Greg Bing suggested that this suggestion be written with definitive processes and be presented as a constitutional amendment at the next meeting.

Garry Albertie made a motion to give an award to Jay Petty to help cover training expenses for the 2010/11 season. Last year the award was \$1,500. The motion was seconded by Levan Poller and Pete Weaver. Lloyd Trent opposed the motion to give the award to Jay Petty. Talmage Ford wants people who can teach on the training committee. This should be a pre-requisite. There is approximately \$8,000 in carryover to next season. Charlie Dellinger called for the question. The motion was approved by the membership.

Earl Sappenfield is assigning games for the AAU National Senior Men's Tournament on January 21 to 23, 2011. Games will be played from 9am to 5pm each day. If interested in working these games please call Earl at 725-8895.

George Brown made a motion to give each member a turkey or ham for Christmas. The motion failed.

Lloyd Trent reported that Beryl Napoleon is at home recovering from bypass surgery. Visitors are welcome.

Game Review: None

Next Regular Season Meeting: Wednesday February 9, 2011 at the Schultz Center 6:30 pm.

Nothing further, meeting adjourned at 7:42 pm.
Steve Naso, Secretary

SABO Playoff Crew List 2010/11

2010/11 GIRLS REGIONAL Playoff Crew List				2010/11 BOYS REGIONAL Playoff Crew List			
CREW	Referee	Umpire 1	Umpire 2	CREW	Referee	Umpire 1	Umpire 2
#1	Margaret Busbee	David Ditota	Greg Sullivan	#1	Jerry Williams	Erroll Byrd	Levan Poller
#2	Maurice Wilson	Roz Farley	David Livesay	#2	McKennis Allen	Chuck Forcier	Jay Petty
#3	Ray Wagner	Pete Martinez	John Woodbury	#3	James Williams	Pete Weaver	Don Hodges
#4	Nile Dixon	Henry King	Garry Albertie	#4	Ronald Jones	James Lapitsky	Michelangelo Duggins
#5	Mark Miller	Benard Bayless	Dwayne Reddick	#5	Sandy Lyle	Eric Walker	Jesse Hughes
#6	Lawrence Starling	Charles Owens, Sr.	Don Fennell	#6	Pat Green	Henry Snyder	Kevin Tincher
#7	Steve Naso	Mike Drayton	Willie Lattimore	#7	Charles Propes	Jerry Lavelle	John Walsh
#8	Charlie Dellinger	Michael Brock	Ned Lane	#8	Daryl Martin	Vernard Mims	Jerry Cannon
Alternate	Ken Difiore	Tom Lobello		Alternate	Bruce Hunte		

Approved 1/12/11

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To ~~SABO~~ Association:

This is a suggestion we should implement which will help us assign games and crews for the playoffs. This system will be a video recording/evaluation committee. Their job will consist of recording and evaluating officials doing rivalry games, high profile games and gateway conference; and district games. The evaluations would consist of not your opinions, but of rules and regulations, mechanics and advantages and disadvantages call; obtaining the right position, and game management. By recording these games it will allow us to evaluate each official's performance.

This system would be a 3 point kick system. Meaning if you kick 3 to 5 major calls per season you would be rotated to the bottom of the unwritten 25 elite officials. That I was told the association has. This system will give the new official the option to move up and also officials that have complaints or may believe they aren't given an opportunity to move up. They can file a grievance with the video record/evaluation committee.

I know this sounds like a lot but in order for us to be better we have to implement guidelines and procedures to improve our association.

The question would be who would be doing the recording of these games? It would be a mixer of evaluation committee along with the J.V officials. Everyone would have to help make the system work. So if the J.V officials would stay and record the varsity games that would help the association to improve.

I think this idea is a start of having a system that will help improve and bring forth the desperate change that we need.