



SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION OF BASKETBALL OFFICIALS
SERVING **NORTHEAST FLORIDA**

Special Membership Meeting Minutes of April 25, 2007
Schultz Center

President called the meeting to order at 6:30pm. The Purpose of the special meeting is to announce plans for the June 22 UNF Girls Camp and to update the membership on preparations for the upcoming training for the 2007/08 season. There were 47 members in attendance.

The meeting schedule for 2007/08 is as follows:

- April 25, 2007 Special Meeting
- Saturday June 23, 2007 Training Meetings #1 & #2 at UNF Camp Lunch Break
- Wednesday July 25, 2007 Organizational Meeting/ Training Meeting #3
- Wednesday August 8, 2007 Training Meeting #4
- Wednesday August 22, 2007 Training Meeting #5
- Wednesday September 5, 2007 Training Meeting #6
- Wednesday September 19, 2007 Training Meetings #7 & #8
- Wednesday October 5, 2007 Training Meeting #9
- Wednesday October 17, 2007 Training Meeting #10

- Wednesday November 7, 2007 Regular Meeting
- Wednesday December 5, 2007 Regular Meeting
- Wednesday January 2, 2008 Regular Meeting
- Wednesday February 6, 2008 Regular Meeting
- Wednesday February 20, 2008 Election Meeting

Committee assignments for 2007/08 are:

Training / Education: Jay Petty (Chair); Chuck Forcier; Sandy Lyle; Jerry Kersey; Henry King; Terrence Mitchell; Lynne Murphy

Recommendations: Greg Bing (Chair) Charlie Dellinger; Roselyn Farley; Don Hodges; Ronnie Jones; Jim Lapitsky; Ray Wagner

Evaluation: Lloyd Trent (Chair) Michelangelo Duggins; David Harrill; Garrett James; Clarence Mack; Beryl Napoleon; Chuck Propes

Assignment: Kevin Spencer (Chair); Jack Jones; Charles Owens;

Grievance: Mike Wedner (Chair) Kirk Goodman; Willie Lattimore

Audit Committee: Gary Gier; Lou Collins; Ernest Stephens; Jerry Lavelle

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Two Constitutional amendments submitted by Nile Dixon and Margaret Busbee were read (attached)

Margaret Busbee asked for more member involvement in the UNF Camps. The Executive Board charged the Training and Evaluation Committees with responsibility for implementing the UNF Girls Camp scheduled for June 22 to 24, 2007. Members were encouraged to contact the Committee Chairs for more information. More information will be posted on the SABO Website as it becomes available.

SABO has made application to host a FHSAA Field Clinic for 2007.

Both the FHSAA Rules Clinic and exam will be on-line for the 2007/08 season.

The President named Kevin Spencer (Chair) and Roselyn Farley to establish a Recruiting Committee.

The President reported that the FHSAA wants the Recommendations Committee List earlier in the year. This means that Evaluations will have to be completed sooner. The FHSAA is requiring the List to be submitted by the first week in January. This means that the List must be presented to the membership no later than the First Meeting in December.

Nile Dixon reported that Summer Girls Basketball games will begin in St. Augustine on June 18 on Monday & Thursday evenings and run through July 19.

Nothing further, meeting adjourned at 7:40pm.
Steve Naso, Secretary

Article III

Membership

A. Prospective new members of SABO may qualify for admission to the organization upon the following conditions:

1 to 2 and 2 to 3 New 1 reads as follows:

1. Pass the Level Two Background Check as stated in the Jessica Lunsford Law.

Change wording of 3 to the following:

The individual must be duly registered as a basketball official with FHSAA. Any FHSAA registered official, in good standing and who has met the above criteria is entitled to membership in SABO. SABO and all of its members shall comply with all of the registration, clinic, test and all other procedures required by FHSAA.

Article IV C Delete in August, to allow for earlier or later dates of the Organizational Meeting.

Same Article D Delete following the Organizational Meeting.

Same Article Change F to G change G to H change H to I and I to J to allow for new amendment to become F.

Article V

A Change the Title of Vice President to Vice President/ Assistant Commissioner.

Same Article

Section B. Candidates for offices of the Executive Board must have been a member in good standing with SABO for the previous 3 consecutive years/ waiver of this rule will be considered upon petition to the Executive Board The term of office shall be for one (1) year.

Article VI

Duties of Officers

B. The duties of the Vice President shall be.

2. To be given the title of Assistant Commissioner with the following duties:

A. Assign all Duval County Middle School Girls games.

B. Assign all St. Johns County Middle School Girls & Boys games

C. Duval County Middle School Boys games

D. Assist the Commissioner with cancellations as needed.

E. Compensation for the Assistant Commissioners shall be \$1,000.00 paid under the same conditions as the Commissioner.

E. Under the duties of Commissioner shall be:

2. To assign all varsity & JV games booked by SABO, at the senior and junior high/middle school levels, boys and girls. And also to supervise the Assistant Commissioner and coordinate the assigning of games in an orderly manner.

Article VIII

I Add or she to cover all genders, and in their discretion to put correct grammar in place.

Article XI Dues and Compensation

B, change annual fee of Commissioner to \$5600.00 for the season deleting 2003-2004, and add annual fee for Assistant Commissioner to \$1,000.00 for season,.

C Same Article Delete for the 2003-2004 season.

AMEND ARTICLE IV, ADDING A NEW SECTION F

Since assignments are now sent out electronically through the Arbiter, it is mandatory that each SABO Member maintain and updated profile on this site. This will include availability: blocked dates, schools scratched, sites unavailable due to time constraints based upon work hours and partners scratched. This profile must be updated periodically, at least at the first of each month during the season. Given this updated information, the commissioner and/or assistant commissioner will send out the assignments, and any assignments which is not accepted/confirmed in accordance with the section now designated section G will result in a fine of \$5 per assignment which is not accepted/confirmed.