

N C W C A
Minutes of Meeting
12/13/10

1. Motion to approve minutes from Meeting on November 17, 2010 - approved.
2. Reports ...
 - Laura Maddock/Finance ...
 - * NCWCA sent something to Bob Wigand family.
 - * Dues paid (\$1,000) to Friends of L. I. Wrestling. This includes all coaches, Head, Assistants and J. V. The annual program AD will be different and we do not have to pay.
 - * Laura spoke about remaining scholarships from last year.
 - * It was stated that there was a problem with Adrienne LaVacca (Head Assessor) in getting certain payment from BOCES last year. Motion made to give Adrienne \$500 from the coaches assoc. Motion: Mike Emmert / 2nd and approved.
 - * Laura also spoke about expense of wrestling gear for end of season tournaments champions.
3. Questions about when wrestlers names will be on-line. Should be very soon.
4. Weight Certification ... a number of concerns and suggestions were discussed.
 - * Approx. cost of certification for all schools was \$12,000 plus Buses.
 - * Suggestions that we look into purchasing the certification scales.
 - Three suggestions ...
 - 1. Purchased by Boces/Schools - in the long run it could be cost saving as well was a more effective process.
 - 2. NCWCA could possible be involved in purchase as well .
 - 3. That we should see if we can get one of these scales on loan to see the effectiveness before buying. Trial test of scale vs. pinching process.
 - ** Someone needs to investigate the possibility to do this.
 - * Suggestion of changing the date of certification away from Thanksgiving weekend.
 - * Discussion regarding cheating, apparent cheating, those accused of cheating and how to prevent future cheating and problems relating.
 - Mike Leonard stated he was open to anything that would improve the situation.
5. Meeting Date : There will be no meeting on January 11th as listed on the calendar. The next meeting date will be January 20th. At that time the rankings will be completed for the Dual Meet Playoffs & Qualifying Tournaments.
6. Mike Ferrugari spoke about a situation in which he filed a protest with Section 8. It involved a Head Official at a tournament over ruling a match referee's decision. The Head Official did not see or was involved in the match. Mike concern was the process that occurred. He wanted to make sure that this did not happen to anyone else.
 - It was also stated that problems could occur at the Qualifiers. All Qualifiers are on Saturday.
 - Not enough quality officials. Suggestion made to see if we can move some qualifiers to a different day again.
7. There is an opening in the Valley Stream Central tournament on January 22nd.
8. Question about East Meadow/Rispoli status. It was stated that he is not wrestling now due to a injury. But when he returns to wrestling he will have his own private official. (This information was not confirmed).

Submitted by Doug Axman - 12/16/10