

Minutes for OHSET Southern District Meeting

Via Zoom

Sunday, February 25, 2024, 7:30 PM

In Attendance: Kim Ries – Co-District Chair and Coach, Klamath Schools, Korey Hamilton – Vice Chair, Treasurer, Registrar, Coach Rogue River, Samantha Henricks, Co-District Chair, Coach Grants Pass, Deena Tippin - Secretary, Points Chair, Lexi James, Coach North Medford, Jessica Debrick, Coach Eagle Point, Makenna Jones, Crater, Anna Kruse, Coach Hidden Valley, North Valley, Gabriele Laitinen, Coach South Medford, athletes, Taylor Gorden, Henley
Vote Count – 10 - not a quorum

Meeting commenced at 7:36 - Roll taken from Zoom screen

Minutes -

Quorum not reached - tabled for next meeting.

Comments or suggestions from Meet 1-

Jessica with Eagle Point made a suggestion to add an Outstanding Athlete award, or the like, to the Coach and Sportsmanship Awards as she often sees an athlete going above and beyond during the Meets. Sam shared that she had seen at other Meets a "Kid Kudo" recognition, given during the Athlete Meeting. These were anonymous. Something we could do and announce at Athlete games, perhaps.

Banquet -

Sam presented that she believes there are plenty of auction items but is concerned about the low number of tickets sold. Only 50 tickets have sold so far. A majority of tickets were purchased last week before Auction last year. She suggested each athlete sell at least 2 tickets. Need to have coaches communicate with athletes to sell tickets to friends of the family, grandparents, etc. Sam and Taylor Gorden made another video that will be posted on Facebook Monday about the banquet and some of the auction items. Food has been confirmed. Korey was able to get the preparation of Tri-tip and sides prepared through a donation. Sam has plenty of athletes signed up to work the event but would like more for the 11am-4pm slot for set up. Mr. Gorden asked what the goal for the number of tickets sold is. Sam shared that last year 115 were sold, so 100 would be good. Have seating for 150 but could seat as many as 200. He also mentioned that last year the athletes thought they were not invited unless working the event. Athletes and parents are invited to purchase tickets and come. The goal was to have more community awareness and support. Sam shared that

most teams have proved auction items, only a few have not but some will be brought the day of. Sam will be at the venue all day. Drop off any items at the event venue. Because of other events being held, concern over parking was mentioned. Sam will ask Expo about coning off some spots. event.

Training -

The Board would like to add to our rules that Assistant Coaches are required to take the online training. Voting tabled since no quorum.

Raffle tickets -

Korey said she may have about half of the tickets turned in. She has been in touch with some coaches. Tickets are due to State 4/1. Korey will be reaching out. There are extra books if anyone wants more.

Meet 2 -

Event changes -

Deena let the coaches know that the deadline for changes is Friday, March 22nd, one because of Spring Break, and to allow time for Sam to create the matrix and get distributed the week of the Meet. Does not want changes to Google sheets but email any changes to Jordan. Deena will post Jordan's email on coaches' page.

Stalls -

Stall costs have been lowered to \$75 for the weekend and \$30 for Thursday. Many folks hauled in for Meet 1 so not covering cost of stalls rented. Hopefully lowering costs will at least break even on the monies spent. Issue with new stalls getting wet, some flooded. Sam believes they figured out the problems. The rental company will be bringing some new roofs and fixing other issues. Some stalls will be moved away from drain areas.

Eligibility -

Coaches were reminded that week before Meet is Spring Break. Need to get eligibility from schools week before as no one will be at school to provide. Sam will post a link to upload to Google Drive on FB page.

Additional items -

Sam asked coaches if split between am and pm drill practices worked for everyone last time and would like to do it again. Possibly move 1 from pm to am to make time for Athlete games. The only scheduling conflict from Meet 1 was Driving and Versatility. Coaches to have athletes make Versatility the priority then go to Driving.

Next meeting is scheduled for Sunday, March 24th. If nothing pressing, will have the next meeting Friday morning of Meet 2 on March 29th.

Meeting adjourned 8:13pm