

Nassau County Volleyball Officials' Association, Inc.
Girls/Boys Divisions
General Membership Meeting Minutes
September 26, 2013
South Side HS

Meeting called to order: 8:05

1. A Motion to accept Minutes from 9/9/2013 meeting by Frank Nugnes, seconded by MaryAnne Collins. Unanimously approved.
2. A Proposed Budget that was discussed and approved by the Executive Board was presented to the Membership by Linda Long. A Line Item explanation was given from the available printed NVOA Budget 2013 to members.
 - a. Dues-changing dues structure to make it less costly to belong to both Boys and Girls Assoc.
 - b. Gifts, such as Rulebooks or PAVO Handbook affect Expenses every other year when printed.
 - c. Dinner-estimating 100 members will attend with much of the cost covered by the Assoc.
 - d. Awards-Eliminating plaques for Playoffs and certain Longevity milestones (5&15yr).
 - e. Summer Clinic Expense- corrected amount should be \$1300 for Clinician and Materials.
 - f. Insurance Deductible-amount of money needed on hand for each incident of possibly being sued. (\$2,500 x 2)
The goal is to have \$10,000 -\$12,000 on hand at all times. Budget what you take in against what you pay out. An actual Budget needs to be established.
Bobbi Schamel Thanked the Board for its work on the Budget.
3. Web site- Thank you to Sal Franco, the Web Master, for his work on the site.
www.nassauvboffials.org user name: nassau, password: vboffials
The Contract and Operating Code and other pertinent information posted for Members to utilize site more often.
4. Old Business-none
5. New Business-
 - a. Turn back fee of \$10 was put into the contract to make it even across the board. Games are assigned in 2 hr. blocks; you should plan for 3 hrs. to cover all circumstances. In future if assigned a Saturday game and you may have plans for later in the day, closeout the late afternoon.
 - b. Athletic Council Meeting- The number of games for Playoff eligibility is set by the Executive Director: Boys 10 games, Girls 12.
Tournament games do not count (as written in the Contract), only if 3-5 Match format.
 - c. Rating Cards: Girls card to be returned to Jim Stuart, Boys to Scott Saperstein. Cards should include 4 ratings as R1, and 4 as R2. This is for Varsity Officials who have been on the Varsity list for 4 or more years.
6. Test Review- by Loretta Dressler of test questions and answers. Members to correct and indicate rule or interpretation on answer sheet.

- a. **Points of Emphasis: Must indicate captains for each set.**

Libero may be a court captain.

Signal for ball crossing plane under the net—Point to center line with index finger.

Rule 15- with Pursuit rule in effect-ball crossing outside antenna and making contact with overhead obstruction can still be legally played, provided the return path of the ball is over and outside the antenna

- b. **Reminders: required equipment-net chain, ball gauge and pump**

Check court prior to each match-especially padding on posts.

Lineups must be handed out and collected by R 2 between sets

Completion of set R-2 only gives end of set signal

5th set R-2 indicates which team will serve but does not whistle R-2 do not blow whistle to end early unless both teams are on the court

Line Judges - L J may be a team player and remain on same side

R-1 may replace a L J

NYS score sheets must be used

Do not engage in communication with coaches

- c. **Permission for Special Accommodations: if religious article is worn, the school should contact NYS office with request accompanied with a photo and as much information as possible for decision to be made**
7. **Red Card issued to coaches should be indicated on score sheet and Unsportsmanlike sheet completed. Referee giving Red card sends the form to BOCES within 24 hrs and a copy of the form is sent to Chairperson Boys/Girls.**

Motion to close meeting at 9:20

Respectfully submitted,

Nadia Ferrand, Boys Recording Secretary