



Texas Southmost Volleyball Officials' Association
8th – General Association Meeting
Wednesday, October 28th, 2020 – Via ZOOM



MINUTES



The Eighth TSVOA Chapter Meeting for the 2020 Volleyball Season was called to order at 6:05 p.m. by Chapter President Anita Pineda. The meeting was conducted Via Zoom due to CoViD-19 pandemic guidelines and recommendations. All Executive Board Members were in Attendance.

- I. Thirty-Three [33] Members were in ATTENDANCE:** Tommy Bermudez, Mario Blanco, Raul Cano, Beatris Carranza, Gary Clemons, Debbie Esparza, Manny Galindo, Luis Garcia, Clarissa Gomez, Javier Gomez, Marco Gonzalez, Agnelia Hernandez, Jose M. Herrera, Melisa Herrera, Pedro Hinojosa, David Margenau, Anthony Morales, Mychelle D. Moran, Salvador Olivares, Anita Pineda, Rey Pineda, Uvaldo Presas, Luis Ramirez, Julio Rodriguez, Bonnie Salazar, Jose Sandoval, Astrid Santoyo, Ricardo Santoyo, Jose Villafranca and Benny Villarreal.

Eleven [11] Members were ABSENT: Pedro Arevalo, Myra Flores, Rolando Flores, Jose Gamez, Juan Garza, Juan A. Gonzalez, Carlos Martinez, Esteban Martinez, Yadira Reyes, Elizabeth Salazar and Mindy Taylor.

President – Anita Pineda: Welcomed everyone to the eighth chapter meeting. She mentioned that there has been a couple of CoViD incidents and just asked everyone to take care and keep safe. Anita also reminded everyone that this season RIO Sports has been recording Varsity matches and that everyone needs to represent the chapter well. There was a situation in which a couple of officials were wearing black jackets; Black Jackets are not part of the uniform; Only White Jackets and White Long Sleeve shirts with TASO logo are allowed. First violation is a warning followed by fines for second and subsequent violations. Anita turned over the floor to Bonnie (Elections Committee) to cover the elections for the season.

- II. Secretary's Report** – Mychelle D. Moran prepared and presented the 7th meeting minutes. Minutes were posted on the website and projected on screen during the meeting. Debbie Esparza motioned to approve the minutes, Manny Galindo seconded the motion, All agreed – Motion Passed.
- III. Treasurer's Report** – Beatris Carranza – No Treasurer's Report since it remains the same as last meeting.
- IV. Vice-President** – Bonnie A. Salazar thanked everyone that took the time to email in nominations to the committee (Bonnie Salazar, Bea Carranza and Juan Gonzalez); Bonnie reminded everyone that the nominations closed on Sunday, October 25, 2020 at 12:00 Midnight, the set deadline. Bonnie informed the membership that only the incumbents were nominated and there were no other nominees. Committee member, Beatris Carranza motioned to close nominations, Bonnie seconded it and committee members were all in agreement; motion to cease nominations passed. Bonnie informed everyone that since only the incumbents were nominated, the President – Anita Pineda, Recording Secretary – Mychelle Moran, Assigning Secretary – Jose Herrera, and Sergeant-at-Arms – Anthony "Doc" Morales. Since there were no other nominees, there will be no need to send out the Survey Monkey for voting – Bonnie congratulated all four board members.

Assigning Secretary's – Jose Herrera mentioned that a couple of officials have contacted him asking about assigning fee balances but mentioned that he has not had time to work on that; his main concern at the moment is to accommodate schools, coaches, officials and all changes happening due to the CoViD situation. He added that he will take some time and provide balances within the next couple of weeks to all officials. Joe thanked everyone for their patience and mentioned that he has received some payments via mail and CashApp. Joe then reiterated what Anita had mentioned regarding RIO Sports recording varsity matches. He mentioned that he has seen some situations that are not in alignment with what we need to be doing and asked everyone to re-visit our rule books and procedures. Debbie – mentioned that there has been some confusion regarding the pre-match conference since some coaches are opting not to have one. Joe said that he has experienced those situations at middle school level and that he still went ahead and conferred with both coaches to discuss game format with them – specially third game guidelines. Debbie asked if we are enforcing it for Varsity – Joe said yes, especially at the Varsity level we need to enforce the pre-match conference. Joe mentioned that the season is winding down to its end and that play-off will be happening within the next two weeks.

Anita reiterated that our season is almost over as Joe mentioned. Our last meeting will be Wednesday, November 11, 2020. BISD Middle School games are still up in the air for the Spring; nothing has been finalized yet. We will reach out and contact everyone once any other information becomes available.

Anita announced that our next meeting will be on Wednesday, November 11th, 2020.

Manny Galindo motioned to adjourn the meeting at 6:17 p.m. and Benny Villarreal second it. All agreed – motion passed. Meeting was Adjourned at 6:17 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Mychelle D. Moran - TSVOA-Secretary