



MIDWEST ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION OF THE DEAF, INC.

MAAD Executive Board Wrap Up Minutes 49th Annual Men's, 26th Annual Women's and 9th Annual Co-ed's John L. Buckmaster Memorial Regional Softball Tournament

Saturday, July 21, 2007

Hosted by Greater St. Louis Association of the Deaf
St. Louis, MO

Commissioner, Wayne Morse report

- Welcomed Barbara Nacarelli to Executive Board as Vice President/Deputy Commissioner
- Discussed about prices and try to reduce for future hosts. Many fans felt the prices were too high that they cannot attend; it also hurts the attendance numbers of MAAD
- Pleased with the outcome of tournament

Deputy Commissioner, Barbara Nacarelli report

- Law committee consists of Ann Cooper, Jason Roberts and Wayne Morse. Will look for one more people.
- Will collect the bylaws and materials from Paige Thompson-Matzker

Secretary, Paige Thompson-Matzker report

- Received LAD's flyer
 - Cannot add childcare surcharge
 - Change wording – Saturday is finals, not semi-final
 - Encourage to reduce price

Treasurer, Jeff Eccles report

- Men - Denver SAC and Roosters go to NSAD
- Women – Midwest Runnin' Rebels go to NSAD; St. Louis Humblebees will not go to NSAD
- Coed – O.I.T and MinnePaul will not go to NSAD.

Past President, Jack Cooper report

- None

2007 GSLAD/MAAD Chair, Paige Thompson-Matzker report

- Bee stung accident; should expect a letter of complaint
- Received many complaints regarding hotel
- Otherwise tournament went well!

50th Anniversary Softball Tournament, Wayne Morse/Jeff Eccles report

- Jeff Eccles and Wayne Morse had a VP Conversation with Ray Kilhau about NSAD situation as Denver SAC is the host for next year's NSAD. Ray suggested we type a letter and send to Denver SAC for their next general meeting.
- Discussed about 50th Anniversary
 - Agreed on grey t-shirts; wear shirts to promote tournament
 - Agreed on lanyards with no pen clip
 - Agreed to drop coin idea
 - Barbara Nacarelli will follow up on scoreboard rental
 - Agreed to do backpack and towel for giveaways
 - Agreed to do pre-pay for polo shirts
 - Barbara Nacarelli will do a polo/t-shirt survey to all clubs

Due to time frame, it was agreed we would have a chat room meeting within 2 weeks.

*Respectively submitted,
Paige Thompson-Matzker,
MAAD Secretary*