



East Coast Basketball Officials Association (ECBOA) Board of Directors Meeting Minutes

5/18/2023

- I) Call to Order at 7:05pm.
Leon Lipsick, Dorian Hawkins, Mike Smith, Joe Erwin, Jose Feliberty, Al Alferi, Michael Francios, Jaylen Thompson and Mark DeAtley.

- II) Treasures Report
 - \$16, 577.56 in ECBOA bank account.
 - Bord voted to pay Mark and Erik the assigning fees for the 2022-2023 season 9-0.

- III) Secretary's Report
 - Previous months and current meeting minutes will be submitted together to the board for review.

- IV) Summer Evaluation Opportunities
 - Dorian discussed the opportunity for ECBOA to host an August training camp to be hosted by ECBOA.
 - Discussed the avenues for the board to allow for evaluation opportunities.
 - We also floated the idea of hosting an ECBOA tip-off classic.

- V) Officials Pay
 - No pay increase will take place for the 2023-2024 season. Next pay increase will take place in the 2024-2025 season.
 - FHSAA had nothing in writing about pay increase other than they would discuss a pay increase. Advisory board meeting minutes supported the FHSAAA.
 - Athletic Directors complained that booking fees were too high and they will not be giving officials a pay increase due to this. Officials on the advisory board tried to explain that the assigning fees and official game fees have no correlation. ECBOA is not one of the state associations that overcharges schools assigning fees.

- VI) Ranking Review & Discussion
 - Joe explained the criteria to be on the evaluation committee (Senior officials with a minimum of 10 years' experience.
 - The committee consists of three officials with a majority vote of BOD.
 - The BOD agreed to keep the same rankings and evaluations process in place.

- VII) Open Discussion/For the Good of the Cause
 - The next meeting the BOD will elect committee liaisons.
 - The BOD discussed the renewal of the assigning position. The BOD voted 6-1 to renew Mark DeAtley for two more season's as ECBOA's assignor.

Next Meeting will be held Tuesday, June 20th, 2023. The meeting adjourned at approximately 9:30 pm.