

CCSOA Meeting Minutes from October 16, 2017 at Northwest Catholic High School

Meeting was called to order by President Ron Packard at 7:08pm

The agenda was presented to the membership.

The following reports can be viewed in the presentation CCSOA Business Meeting from October 16, 2017

Awards: Steve told the membership the McKelvie Scholarship would be available on the CCSOA website soon.

The banquet will be held on Wednesday, December 6th at the Gallery Restaurant in Glastonbury, CT.

Better Officiating Committee: Curt Ruckey, nothing to report.

Secretary/Treasurer: Peter Sherba

Checks paid from 9/13/2017-10/16/2017

\$45 CIAC Rule Books

\$250 Officials versus cancer donation

\$8000 Commissioner 1st payment

\$168 CCSOA website maintenance

\$90.42 Game fee paid based on the grievance committee recommendation

\$14,130.73 Current balance

Upcoming Bills:

\$1500 Sec/Tres

\$2500 Banquet

\$130 Trophies

\$750 McKelvie scholarship

\$9250 Projected end of the year balance.

Thank you to all members providing advanced notifications for missing meetings. Greatly appreciated.

The Nomination Committee is still accepting potential candidate's names to run for office. Elections will be made at the Annual Meeting On November 1st.

Rule 11 Offsides: Tom Felice provided a presentation. Great discussion and well received by the membership.

Substitutes: Ron Packard discussed how substitutes should be at the half way line to enter the game. Enforce the rules.

Red Cards: Ron Packard showed a video on red cards to the membership.

Teamwork: Ron Packard emphasized that both officials should start working as team, making contact before the game and during the pregame.

Commissioner report: John Odell: Arbiter pay soon will become a condition of employment. Set up an account. We need to do aggressive recruiting for next year, this is a 12 month assignment. We have 140 active officials when we really need 175 to cover all of our games. All members are expected to pay their assessments and dues on time. Regardless if you have not received payment from a school. John will assist all members who have contacted the school three times without receiving payment. If you do not pay your assessment and dues by the deadline of April 1st next year, you will not be receiving any varsity games (that is if John is the commissioner). Call your partners!!!! We need officials on 10/24 for the middle school tournament. Post season for boy's starts 11/6 and girls on 11/7, how far our teams go determine how many games we will receive. CCSOA assigns through the quarter finals. Tony Portal was recognized for doing a game for zero fee. Thank you Tony. Purple socks can be worn by all team members. This is in support against domestic violence.

Elections: Ron Packard notified members to send an email to Peter Sherba if they are interested in running for an office during the election on November 1st.

Life members: Ron Packard deferred to the next meeting

New Business: Rick Daniels confirmed we have reservations for the Thursday, July 26th Yard Goats game in the Executive Suite. We have reservations for 30 members. Signup sheets will be at the next business meeting and the banquet. Signing up does not require a deposit, nor are you under any obligations to attend if your plans change.

Motion to adjourn at 8:25pm made by Ron Packard, seconded by Vinnie Gomez

Minutes submitted by Peter Sherba 10/18/2017