

USATF-LI EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING



Minutes for Board Meeting Held on Monday, May 6, 2024

Meeting was brought to order at 7:30 pm via zoom.

Attendees: 12

Officers:

President: Alex Cuzzo
Vice President: Robert Lemke
Vice President: Jason Ramirez - *Absent*
Treasurer: Gary Westerfield
Secretary: Pamela Lee

Standing Sport Committees:

Track & Field: Richard Degnan
Track & Field: Leigh Pollet
MUT: Ronald Nardo
Masters Athletics: Robert Lemke
Youth Athletics: Leigh Pollet - *Absent*
Para-Athletics: Steven Cuomo - *Absent*
Para-Athletics: Francis Anzaldi

Standing Administrative Committees:

Officials: George Erker - *Absent*
Sports Medicine: Jon DeGorter - *Absent*
Sports Medicine: Elizabeth O'Donnell - *Absent*
Records: Joe Meyer - *Absent*
Outreach: Ronald Nardo
Public Relations: Lori Mangual
Nominating: Liz Barney - *Absent*
Membership: Larry Campbell - *Absent*
Coaching Education: Michael Frazer - *Absent*
Communications: Erin Cassano
Bd Member At-Large: Keith Guilfoyle

Club Representatives:

Invited Guests:

Glen Wolther

Minutes: Minutes from the Board Meeting of April 1, 2024 were approved.

Budget & Finance: Gary Westerfield reported that the Bank Balance at Citibank as of April 30, 2024 is \$52,653.00; the balance as of May 6, 2024 is \$52,407.52.

Membership: There are 879 individuals registered as USATF members and there are 55 clubs and organizations.

Discussion/Business Items:

President's Report:

Old Business:

Spring Newsletter (May): Has been moved to June.

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Grow to Impact Confirmation: Received confirmation on March 22, 2024. Check in the amount of \$5,000 was received on May 6, 2024.

Officials, new equipment: Laser measurer - there is a learning curve to understand and utilize this system.

New Youth Ribbons: First to eighth place ribbons have arrived.

New Business:

USATF Group Exemption Ending, IRS Approval Letter: CE200 NYS Letter

National Youth Town Hall Meeting: online on May 13, 2024 at 7:30 pm.

Glen Wolther: Expressed opinion regarding some Board issues.

Committee Reports:

Standing Sport Committees:

Track & Field: Richard Degan reported that the Open/Masters Championships will take place on July 18, 2024.

LDR: Alex Cuzzo reported that the 2024 Grand Prix races in May are the Marcie Mazzola 5k and Run for the Health of It 5k. The next LDR meeting is scheduled for May 13, 2024.

Race Walking: Gary Westerfield reported that Ruby Ray represented USA at the World Athletics Race Walking Team Championships on April 21, 2024 in Antalya, Turkey.

Mountain Ultra & Trail: Ron Nardo reported that the next LDR meeting is scheduled for May 13, 2024.

Master Athletics: Masters Outdoor Championships will take place on July 10, 2024.

Youth: Leigh Pollet reported that the Youth Association Championship will take place at Division HS in Levittown on Sunday, June 16, 2024.

Para-Athletics: Frank Anzaldi provided information regarding upcoming local adaptive sports events.

Standing Administrative Committees:

Officials: No report.

Sports Medicine: No report.

Records: No report.

Outreach: Ron Nardo reported that a RJT events will take place at Seasingtown Elementary School in Albertson on May 17, 2024, 500 participants in Freeport on June 5, 2024, and Nassau BOCES on June 21, 2024.

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Public Relations/Communications/Marketing: Lori Mangual reported that she is writing an article for the Newsletter.

Nominating: No report.

Law and Legislation: No report.

Membership: No report.

Coaching Education: Alex Cuozzo reported that the Level 2 school will take place in Indianapolis, IL from July 9, 2024 through July 13, 2024.

Communication/Marketing: Erin Cassano reported that Grand Prix scoring is up-to-date.

Other Activities:

Newsletter:

Website:

Next meeting: Monday, June 10, 2024 at 7:30 pm.

Meeting was adjourned at 9:05 pm.

Respectfully submitted by Pamela Lee, Secretary, USATF-Long Island