



SSOA General Session Meeting

Meeting Minutes

The SSOA held a general session meeting on August 3, 2009 at Concord Baptist Church. The members that were present at the meeting are listed at the end.

1. There are a lot of members still not registered with TSSAA. You must be registered in order to do any games.
2. The Arbiter URL has changed to <http://arbitersports.com>. All members should update their availability as soon as possible.
3. August 25th is the first day of the Fall Season. Scrimmages will be taking place prior to the start of the season. Referees receive \$25 per scrimmage and will be paid by the association and not at the field. Game reports MUST be filled out or you and your partner will not get paid for your games.
4. Referee 1 fills out the game report in the Arbiter as soon as possible after ALL games. If there are any cards given they must be documented with the players' name, number, team and reason. Any red cards need to be called in to Aaron Martin immediately following the game and a report will have to be sent to the TSSAA.
5. Prior communication with your partner is crucial. Make sure you speak to each other at least 24 hours before a game. Coordinate uniforms, record cell phone/work numbers and make sure you both know where the field is (carpool if possible). Also advise your partner of any possible issues that would keep you from arriving 30 minutes before game time.
6. Important Dates:
 - August 22 – Play Day at various sites
 - August 28 – August 29 – Baylor Tournament
 - September 6 – September 13 – Part II Exam (online) to be eligible for Playoffs
 - September 11 – September 12 – CCS Tournament
 - September 25 – September 27 – Cleveland Tournament / McMinn County Tournament
 - October 23 – October 25 – College Club Tournament
7. TSSAA has instituted a Heat Index Policy. The schools are responsible for recording the heat index 1-2 hours before game time. If the Index is over 104 degrees the game will NOT be played. Additional details can be found here: <http://ssoaonline.com/2009/07/heat-index-interpretation/>
8. If you see lightning or hear thunder during a game, you are expected to stop the game.

SSOA Board Members:

Rob Griffith, President
Vann Sisemore, Treasurer
Abby Gengozian, Secretary
Buddy Edging, Supervisor of Officials

Aaron Martin, HS/MS Assignor
Patrick Crossman, College Commissioner
Kenny Seagroves, Member at Large
Craig Phillips, Member at Large

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Agenda

Location: Concord Baptist Church
Date: August 3, 2009
Time: 6:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

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| 1. Members still not registered with TSSAA | Aaron Martin |
| 2. New Arbiter URL | Aaron Martin |
| 3. Scrimmages | Aaron Martin |
| 4. Game reports | Aaron Martin |
| 5. Communication with partner prior to game | Aaron Martin |
| 6. Important dates | Aaron Martin |
| 7. TSSAA Heat Index Policy | Aaron Martin |
| 8. Thunder/Lightning Policy | Aaron Martin |

Members in Attendance

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If your name is not on this list and you attended the meeting, you MUST sign the roll to get credit for attendance and training! You will be excused if you had a game scheduled on a meeting day.

Rick Anderson
Mohammad Arjomandi
Emmanuel Awotula
Ivan Burns
Chris Carter
Ken Carter
Patrick Crossman
Darren Crutcher
Buddy Edging
Oladokun Faduyile
Alex Gardner
Abby Gengozian
Todd Gould
Rob Griffith
Jose Herrera
Paul Horner
David Hyde
Dustin Hysinger
Jim Labor
Dan Lawson
Jeff Malanowski
Aaron Martin
Blake Martin
Jeff Martin
Issac Martinez
Hunter McLaughen
Matt Mullinax
Kelley Oberg
Ruth O'Brien
Rick Powers
Valente Pozas
Colton Sadler
Michael Salley
Jonathan Schneider
Kenny Seagroves
Vann Sisemore
Bill Sisk
Jeff Sisk
Dwayne Turner
Tim Webb
Aaron Welch
Brenda Whiteside