

National Softball Association of the Deaf  
Executive Board Meeting at Houston, Texas  
April 20, 2012

The executive board meeting was called in order at 9:33 pm with the officers (Commissioner Vance Rewolinski, Deputy-Commissioner Paige Thompson, Secretary Sheri Mize and Treasurer Pat Kinast presented at Marriott Hotel on April 20, 2012.

Agenda will need to be addressed tonight:

1. Entry fee
2. Deaf Expo
3. Denny Voreck
4. CAAD/CSAD
5. CAAD status
6. COED - Coda/Soda
7. HS Softball Tournament Donation
8. MAAD/Coed
9. John Cortez with FAAD

1. Entry Fee:

June 15 - Early Bird \$225 (mail to Tournament Director)  
July 2 - after deadline will be \$300

"Coed will pay only \$25 to cover NSA membership dues"

We need to inform the regional that New Coed team must abide the rules related to Free Agent status that related to free agent as of the men/women rulings such as one man and 2 women on each Coed team.

2. Deaf Expo -

Bracketology at Deaf Expo will be drawing at 3:00 pm on Wednesday then we will have a recess to give time for coaches to return the hotel for the coaches meeting.

During the coaches meeting, we will start with all in a group to share the general rules before splitting into 3 groups (women, men and Coed).

3. Denny Voreck asked if he could sponsor the main event, we said that he could as long as the admission will be no charge to any fans/players.

7. HS Softball tournament

We will donate balls (the event will be at Scranton, PA on June 2, 2012 with 5 participating schools. (Lexington, Learning Center, WPSD, American and possible Pennsylvania/New Jersey

9. John Cortez's case - will check with FAAD Commissioner to see what that will be the issue with FAAD before we decide.

5. CAAD status

We will check with CAAD Commissioner to clarify about the minutes of meeting. Will ask if she put the NSAD territory rule in CAAD Softball to their bylaws and inform Bonnie to send us the information before the deadline on or by June 1st.

4. CAAD/CSAD

We allow both of them to be part of the regional; we need to establish the task force to revisit.

8. MAAD Coed situation:

Commissioner Rewolinski will talk with MAAD Commissioner as soon as possible then he will let us know what the result will be.

A. SSAD requested that NSAD Commissioner to attend the SSAD meeting in Tallahassee to solve the problems within SSAD. NSAD Treasurer already audited from SSAD officer's documents. Now we need to listen from other side

B. St. Louis Women Team had requested that they get refund since they didn't go. We decided that it would not be refunded since the other teams had not requested their refunds either.

C. Tentative schedule for the officers and players on the week of Las Vegas will be posted on the website soon.

D. Combo fees - 20 dollars early bird – the fans make a reservation at Plaza Hotel to get the early bird combo.

The meeting was adjourned at 12:08 a.m.