

TX USA Central Region 2013 Fall Meeting

Please review the positions available along with the take-a-ways from our meeting and let us know if you have any questions or would like to volunteer to fill one of these positions.

Director of Central Region- No one volunteered no votes taken; position duties will be shared amongst board members for now.

Attends all State Board Meetings, participating in the requirements of providing feedback, voting on items brought for a vote within the meetings and provide board members with feedback.. Help plan the state tournaments and coordinate with the HOT planning team, help with solutions in coordination with positive promotion of wrestling within the region. Regional Director is responsible for the direct oversight of all positions below and should be available for communication and decision making if needed to the board and region clubs. The Director of Central Region is not the tournament director for local tournaments that is provided by the host club. Booking the Charter Buses for Panhandle and El Paso tournaments are a responsibility for the regional director, I have the information from last year we were very pleased with the service we received from them, this information will be shared with the director.

Central Region Tournament Coordinator- Carlos Vega and Dave Arbogast

This person/person's will guide the host tournament director, as needed, to ensure a successful tournament. ANY CLUB WANTING TO HOST A TOURNAMENT OR HOSTING A TOURNAMENT WITH QUESTIONS SHOULD EMAIL THEM DIRECTLY.

- ✓ Guide the host club if needed regarding what size mats they will need for the size of the venue/type of tournament
- ✓ Guide and provide the contact info as to who has and could deliver the mats from the clubs closest to the tournament site.
- ✓ Communicate and answer questions the host club may have regarding set up, Central Region tournament budget and reimbursement costs.
- ✓ Work with Member-at-large, to get the schedule posted to website and sent to Member at large to make sure it is posted to websites and emails are sent out.

Bracket Team-ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING BRACKETING SHOULD EMAIL THE HOST TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR FIRST THEN JEFF RUTT IF A PROBLEM OCCURS OR YOU NEED ASSISTANCE

- ✓ The expectation is that the host club will complete their own bracketing.
- ✓ Jeff Rutt has agreed to be the assistant to any host club when needed in the completion of the bracketing and troubleshooting for support.

Central Region Official Liaison- ANY QUESTIONS OR ASSISTANCE IN SETTING UP WEIGHINS AND OFFICIAL COVERAGE FOR LOCAL TOURNAMENTS PLEASE EMAIL THE OFFICIAL REPRESENTATIVES DIRECTLY.

- ✓ Matthew Gochberg– Austin area coordinator of officials for local tournaments (Sunday tournaments) if Saturday tournament please coordinate with local area officials to secure needed officials. (See tournament guide posted on website for contact information)
- ✓ Scott Norton- San Antonio area coordinator of officials for local tournaments

Secretary- Scott Norton

- ✓ SA Official area coordinator,
- ✓ Regional Tournament-send required paperwork to Scott by deadlines as directed via emails
- ✓ State Tournament- required paperwork send to Scott by deadlines as directed via email
- ✓ HOT Team

ALL state and regional paperwork required will be emailed directly to Scott Norton

Member at large- Veronica Capetillo (from TOPDOG Wrestling, and in training)

Claudette Edmonson (exiting)

ANY INFORMATION, FLYERS OR NOTICES NEEDED TO THE REGION PLEASE EMAIL THE MEMBER AT LARGE DIRECTLY.

- ✓ Maintain the website
- ✓ Posting notices, and flyers as needed

TEAM TEXAS Middle School Central Region Coach- Robert Moreno

TEAM TEXAS Elementary School Central Region Coach- Xavier Hernandez

ANYONE NEEDING INFORMATION REGARDING TEAM TEXAS WILL CONTACT THE COACHES DIRECTLY; TEAM TEXAS CENTRAL REGION COACHES WILL ATTEND THE STATE PLANNING MEETINGS FOR THE TWO TEAMS.

Bayou Middle School Duals Coach- Pending –anyone interested please contact any of the board members so we can pencil you in and get the information to you. Veronica Capetilo (Member-at-large has agreed to help coordinate for our region)

HOT PLANNING TEAM –

ALL BOARD MEMBERS and then some

Treasurer- Lynn Moreno

- ✓ Maintains the bookkeeping, pays all of the bills,
- ✓ Reimburse host clubs for expenses, maintains the tournament budget and ensures all payments are received and are credited for local tournaments.
- ✓ Coordinate and provide payment for tournament table workers and deposits as required.
- ✓ Reports to State regarding financials as required.

Take a ways from the meeting:

- Clubs that work the tables will make \$100.00 for a full day if they work a table for the day (rookie through open) at any local tournament paid by the region at the end of the day.
- With the exception of the first two tournaments, due to the low entry numbers, the region has agreed to pay the official's 3.00 an entry divided by the number of officials (according to TX USAW guidelines including the minimum of \$100.00 an official (the higher of the two) for the local tournaments.
- All Regions with TXUSAW will register all tournament entries on Trackwrestling
 - Central Region passed a request to require online payment requirement for those entries entered for the local tournaments passed.
 - Clubs can determine if they will allow each parent from their club to register themselves for the tournament or if the club will register and pay as a team.
- Jim Dorsey discussed rule changes please see the TXUSAW website for a listing of all of those changes.
- HOT- the region will not be able to rent the Delco Center due to the HS District tournaments will be held the same weekend as HOT, we are checking into a new facility in Round Rock and will keep everyone posted. We will run a rookie tournament with the HOT this year as Novice state is in Houston with Houston Nationals this year.
- We received requests for mats from the meeting, it was requested that all requests are put in writing and sent to the region and after inventory is collected on what mats the region owns and if there are any available for use, along with quotes on the purchase of mats, the region will contact the clubs as soon as we can to assist in any way we can. Will keep you posted. **Still working on getting these mats bought and distributed**

- HS and youth preseason tournaments- 9/28; 10/19 and additional one in October; date to be determined. All wrestlers have to have their USAW Cards and entry fees to enter. Flyers will be posted to the website and sent out in email as soon as possible.
- Matthew Gochberg will continue to host the mandatory Coaches clinic dates and times to be determined.
- Tournaments can be held on Saturday and Sunday. Please review the UIL HS schedule before booking a Saturday and make sure you have official coverage for the tournament you are booking prior to putting down the venue deposit and etc.
- Any club wanting to host a tournament this year or next year please email us as soon as possible, or who was on the schedule last year and does NOT want to host a tournament this year please let us know as soon as possible.
- Any club that did not receive a check from Central for the volunteer table work that you did for last season, please contact Lynn with the Address that she can mail the check to you ASAP. Lynn.wehr@gmail.com

Proposed budget next season:

Mats (# is TBD based on need and current use of Central Mats)

Table worker pay increase as stated above

Min. payment for officials described above were approved

Possible printer and misc. items

Payment for online payment services

Payment for Trackwrestling registration