## David B. Eavenson Chapter of PIAA Track & Field and Cross Country Officials

Business Meeting #7 May 1, 2022 Carlisle High School

- A. Call to Order: President Lerew called the meeting to order at 6:02
- B. President/VP Report: None
- C. Secretary's Report: Attendance requirement is met by every member as of this date with one exception. There have been several changes in district assignments and the affected people have been notified. Invitations to the state meet should be out in the following week.
- D. Treasurer's Report: Skip reported a balance of \$6053.15 but a check for \$3410 will be cashed to cover fees for the Mid-Penn meet.
- E. Assignments: Larry reported that the last regularly scheduled meets were happening in the next week but some additional meets might have to be held after that. Officials working the Mid-Penn meet will be paid in cash. Gettysburg SD will be coming back to the Mid-Penn Conference, which will mean additional assignments in the lower end of our area. He also invited all officials who are interested in starting both cross-country as well as track meets to notify him.
- F. Presentation by Interpreters: Cheri reviewed Umpiring from the "Suggested Techiques" book and covered the duties of umpires. Several other points of emphasis were made including the fact that students should not be event workers at meets. Other casebook situations were covered from the advance handout. A special emphasis was made on positioning outgoing runners in relays are larger meets. Brad then reviewed answers to the weeks' questions. They were 21 -B; 22 -A; 23 A; 24 A; 25 B.
- G. Situations: Larry Moser brought up the problem of a soccer game overlapping times and space with a discus event. Several people commented on the problem of having students doing marking in dual meets. Several other situations were discussed concerning potential liability of officials.
- H. Election: Bill Owens passed out ballots for annual elections. Since another person was willing to run for the secretary's position, Bill Gallagher withdrew his name in favor of having a new person in that role, which left Member at Large as the only contested position. The results of the election for the 2022-23 school year were:

   President Katlin Lerew; VP Mark Stremmel; Treasurer Skip Padgett; Corresponding Secretary Ginger Zimmerman; Recording Secretary John Heycock; Interpreters Brad Cashman and Cherie Ramsey; Members at Large Gary Bricker, Heather Castle and Bill Owens.