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Chapter
Track & Field/Cross
Country Officials

March 19, 2020
Date

Via ZOOM
Location

- A. **Call to Order:** Our 2nd Chapter meeting of 2023 was called to order by President Lerew at 6:00 PM.
- B. **President's/VP's Report:** President Lerew welcomed everyone and moved right to the Lesson with Cherie and Brad presenting. There was no VP report tonight.
- C. **Corresponding Secretary's Report:** Ginger had no report this evening.
- D. **Treasurer's Report:** Skip reported the current Chapter Treasury balance to be \$2245.65 with only 2 outstanding dues payments pending.
- E. **Announcements/Arbiter Update:** Larry Moser reminded members that they may need to change their Arbiter passwords—this is an annual, routine process. Inactive members still are on Arbiter. Two more schools will be using Arbiter Pay—Mechanicsburg and Hershey. It remains in everyone's best interest to enroll in Arbiter Pay. Larry encouraged members to check their Arbiter profiles and make sure that all information is updated and correct. The Spring T & F has officially started and officials should be getting reminder emails from Arbiter about assignments. Still remains a good practice to check with the host school about any last minute changes that may not be reflected in Arbiter. If a meet is postponed/rescheduled it remains the responsibility of the official assigned to work that meet unless it is in conflict with another previously assigned and accepted meet for that official. Larry reminded members that the Mid-Penn Conference Meet is scheduled for May 15th and, as the Chapter responsible for officiating meets at Mid-Penn School, we should be fully staffing and working that meet. However this year it appears that there are assignments that still need to be filled. Some members have blocked that date and Larry will be checking to see if there is still a chance that some of those members will be available to work the Mid-Penn. This issue will need our attention and resolution as soon as possible.
- F. **Presentation # 2 Brad Cashman & Cherie Ramsey**
- Cherie started tonight's lesson with Officiating the Triple Jump—All info is listed on tonight's handout and is from The 2023 PIAA Handbook of Suggested Techniques for T & F Officiating, pgs. 57 to 73.
- Brad followed with a review of rules regarding Field Events From the 2023 NFHS T&F/CC Rules Book—see handout and A brief discussion of related issues from the 2023 NFHS T&F CC Case Book, also listed in this session's handout.

You Make the Call

1. B. RB-pg. 14, Rule 3, Sec. 5, Art. 4-c
2. A. RB-pg. 20, Rule 4, Sec. 1, Art. 3
3. D. RB-pg. 37, Rule 5, Sec. 10, Art. 7
4. A. RB-pg. 41, Rule 6, Sec. 2, Art 17
5. B. RB-pg. 43 & 44, Rule 6, Sec. 4,5, & 6, Art. 1-in each Sec.

G. **Old Business:** No old business was noted.

H. **New Business:** President Lerew ran down the list of invitational meets that the Chapter traditionally staffs and checked with the various assignors as to how the scheduling/staffing was progressing. Several meets are still in need of various officials. Members available were encouraged to get in touch with the assignors.

Brad Cashman informed the membership that sign-ups for the District III meet, May 19-20, will start at next week's live meeting in Carlisle.

I. **Issues/Items from the Floor:** Cherie mentioned that she's working on the clothing orders and will have some items available at the next meeting. Still working on some of the hats. Contact her with any additional needs. Cherie had also mentioned earlier during her presentation that starters should be aware of the emphasis this season on making sure that athletes are given enough time between the "Set" command (2 seconds is recommended) before firing the starting device.

J. **Adjournment:** President Lerew adjourned the meeting at 7:24.

K. **Next Meeting:** Live @ Carlisle H. S. @ 6:00PM.