



**BLACK KNIGHT WRESTLING CLUB  
BOARD MEETING  
MINUTES**

**March 13, 2024**

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- I. Welcome** - approval of minutes from February 7, 2024
- Members Present: Jim Schopf (President), Ed Pfursich (Vice President), Dylan Bard (Treasurer), Josh Parmer (Secretary), Shane Mack, Mike Rush, Chris Vargas, Bob Biddle, Al Houck
- The meeting was called to order by President Jim Schopf at 7:02 PM.
  - A motion to approve the minutes from 2.7.24 was made by Dylan Bard and seconded by Bob Biddle. The minutes were then approved as read/distributed.
  - The meeting proceeded according to the agenda set by the President.
- II. Coach & Liaison Reports**
- A. Girls – First State Medalist – Hattie Mack 8<sup>th</sup>
- Coach Houck reported on the many accolades of the season and where wrestlers are continuing to compete post season.
- B. Youth – EOY meeting March 18
- Coach Biddle reported on the success of the season, the skating party, the upcoming banquet and where wrestlers are competing in post season.
- C. Junior High – Nate and Matt LL Coaches of the Year
- Dylan Bard reported on the Junior High team and that Nate Cote will be back next year as head coach.
- D. Senior High – 3X State Medalist – Seamus Mack 8<sup>th</sup>, 6<sup>th</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>
- Coach Mack reported the team took third in the LL League and sixth in Districts. Seamus Mack is the second Hempfield wrestler to earn three state medals after Matt Barnett. Coach Mack expressed his desire to have new banners with updated wrestling achievements posted as soon as possible. Youth Wrestlers should see this and aspire to it. Coach Mack reported on lifting schedules for High School and Jr. High wrestlers through Coach Nate Graham.
- III. Treasurer's Report**
- A. Account Balance -
- B. Outstanding Debits -
- C. Outstanding Credits –
- D. Other Info –
- See Treasurer's report submitted to President
  - Treasurer reported again that the Club's funds are doing very well. Coach Mack reported that new High School singlets and warm ups should be purchased soon as the present uniforms are getting old.

**IV. Raffle Winner Drawing Live at 7:30pm**

-FB Live was opened up and the raffle drawing was completed and winners were announced.

**V. Discuss LAW Credits and Harrisburg Club Credits**

-The President explained the program to the members present and encouraged coaches to have wrestlers and their families purchase the vouchers through their room coaches.

**VI. High School Banquet – Mon, May 6 from 5:30p – 8:30p at Hempfield Fire Co Pavilion**

- A. Note NEW date from Wed May 8
- B. Hand out extra programs
- C. Send out applications to senior parents for Bervinchak, Hackman, and LeFevre Scholarship Awards.
- D. Invite needs sent out per Shane’s list
- E. Caterer is secured
- F. Awards – Shane needs to supply list
  - Discussed as listed on the agenda

**VII. Youth Banquet – April 3 at AI’s Church**

- A. Hand out extra programs
  - Date will actually be April 7. All details under control.

**VIII. Update Banners in The Barn Wrestling Room**

- A. Shane update now from most recent season – add career pin banner
  - Discussed earlier in the meeting.

**IX. FUNDRAISING**

A. CURRENT - NONE

B. ONGOING

- 1. Squadlocker Spiritwear – items are on our website all year long.
- 2. Park City Diner Fundraiser Reminder - donates 10% of bill to BKWC quarterly if you mention BKWC at checkout!
  - Discussed as listed, the President reminded all to encourage their rooms to participate.

C. FUTURE

- 1. Golf Outing – Sept 21, 2024 – BECKMAN please lock this date in now
- 2. Launch-A-Thon Dates for 2024 – HS Boys Dec 4, JH Boys Dec 9, Girls Dec 11
  - All information announced as listed on the agenda

**X. UPCOMING ITEMS**

- A. Hash out summer schedule at next/final meeting?
- B. Any nominations for Booster Club Officers for Next Year?
  - a. Current nominations are Jackie Pfursich for President and Kristy Beckman for Treasurer.
  - b. Ed continue as VP? Josh as Secretary? Others?

-Discussed as listed. Attendance for board members was discussed.

**XI. NEW/UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

- A. Open for discussion
- B. Keep board member attendance records – require 2/3 attendance? Require to chair or serve at least 1 subcommittee.
- C. Barn Cleaning
  - a. Nov 19,2023 – Mar 10, 2024 – every Sunday – 17 times = \$1,700
  - b. Mar 31,2024 – Oct 27, 2024 – every 3 weeks – 11 times = \$1,100
- D. Do better job of updating website with photos and records and check ALL pages
  - a. Need someone to go through and update photos and information

-Discussed as listed. Having a social event was discussed and all agreed it should be pursued and planned.

**XII. FUTURE IDEAS TO DISCUSS**

- A. Make raffle mandatory at sign-ups? Or Registration is \$200 but you get 50 raffle tickets that you can sell or keep (same prizes but more tickets out)?
- B. Do 3 main fundraisers – Golf, Launch-A-Thon, Prize Money Raffle
- C. We will need someone to handle graphics next year – program, senior photos, etc.

-Discussed as listed

**XIII. THANK YOU'S**

- A. Huge Thank You to Jackie Pfursich, Amber Biddle, and Danielle Deck for dominating the Hospitality Room at Sectionals!
- B. Also Thank You to Matt Fanelli for running an organized tournament.

-Thank yous were made and the President expressed his appreciation for everyone's hard work.

-The President asked if there was anything else for the good of the order. Hearing nothing further, Coach Houck made a motion to adjourn, it was seconded by Coach Biddle and the motion was unanimously carried. The meeting closed in harmony at 8:19 PM.

**Next Meeting Date Wednesday, April 10, 2024, at 8:00pm at The Barn**

**Final Meeting Date – Wednesday, May 1 at 8:00pm**