

NCTTA Championship Committee Meeting Minutes **February 1, 2007 via Gotomeeting.com software**

Meeting was called to order at 9:00pm EST by President Willy Leparulo
Other board members present and members: David Del Vecchio (DD); Wassim Chao (WC); Joe Wells (JW), Liang Liu (LL); Mike McFarland (MM); OSU: Francois Charvet (FC); Doug Hurak (DH)

Absent: Seemant Teotia

1) Equipment Check

-Ed spoke with KS about it

Ball Sponsor is KS to provide 1 gross of 3 star KS balls

-DD asks what about practice balls

-Francois will check into it

-What color will balls be?

Umpire Tables is still in question

-KS will look to see how much they have in this

-DD comments that other locations like VA has some left over from other years, might be able to borrow

Tables will be used from the Arnold

-Either Rads or True blue table

Scoreboards are needed as well and are still in question

-Francois has request to put some of KS barriers in main court, interesting situation as all are NEWGY barriers and this may not look good.

-perhaps option is for Newgy to provide blank barrier for KS to put their logo.

LIST OF NEEDS- Doug Hurak

-Doug will create this list, all others need to send it to him

-DD will send as well

2) Tasks List

Transportation-FC turned in reservation for buses

Banquet-No updates from McFarland or FC

Food Service- Hospitality food in question (Michael Yao) responsibility

Field of Play- center court will exist every round

-bleachers still in contact about that...whether they are moved in or not

-Rec sports memo sent out? Doug to check on that

Event Logo- Michael Yao update

Staff Uniforms-just started looking into it

-price per unit, ask TWU the price.

Volunteer List-Doug is doing this

-create a sign up sheet locally

-discussion of volunteer match.org whether or not this should be done. WL and DD are for it and doesn't seem anyone else is against it

-discussions of asking interns from Rec Sports; students from Sport Management and Sport Medicine to be used as resources

Accreditation-When?

-Osu folks will be doing this...but when?

Tournament schedule

-Ed and Chris will get this excel sheet via Doug and start to create a tournament schedule

Meeting Space

-Mtg 1 to 3; Thursday to Sunday reserved

Sponsorships

-no updates from anyone

-MM contacted Clear Channel Ohio and Student Loan agency but no luck

-OSU Lantern (student newspaper) where sports editor will write article about event

-Columbus Newspaper on Francois' to do list

-Buckeye TV guys amateur

-Local TV stations on Francois to do list

Tournament Poster

-Adam Ziegel is working on this

Programme

-Adam Ziegel and McFarland working on this even though they didn't still contact each other (WL) remains aggravated

-both are asking prices, quotes

-MM found quote for 32 page book, presented this to committee

-MM found this company that would buy an ad if we did go with them

-old program was 24 pages with 2 full page ads: Newgy, Clearchannel and 2 one half pages from: Rockstar, The T, and TWU

-TT equipment ads in the program, time to reach out (McFarland)?

-discussion of shipping price from Florida—spawned McFarland to maybe drive it up.

Mtg Adjourned 10:40pm