

TVWLL League Meeting Minutes

Location: Microsoft Teams Online & ESI Headquarters, Meridian

Date: 08-03-26

Time: 6:30 PM

Facilitator: Anita Keil, TVWLL President

Board

- President - Anita Keil (1st term - Mid 24/25-year start)
- Vice President - Hollie Cilpinski (1st term - Mid 24/25-year start)
- Treasurer - Kaelynn Bennett (2nd term - Start 25/26 season)
- Secretary – Becky Jergens (1st term - Start 25/26 season)
- Coaches Representative – Abbie Escandon (1st term - Start 25/26 season)
- At Large Member - Rachel Fortier (1st term - Mid 24/25 season start)
- At Large Member - Maddie Northcutt (2nd term - Start 24/25 season)
- At Large - OPEN

Call to Order at 6:30pm

Roll Call

- Boise – Susan Becker
- BK – (no attendees)
- Centennial – Bailey Goetz
- Eagle – (no attendees)
- Idaho Falls – Erin Murdoch and Samantha Sodenkamp
- Middleton – Delaine Ward-Boyd
- Mountain View – Becky Jergens
- Owyhee – Abby Escandon
- Rocky – (no attendees)
- Timberline – McKenna Sato & Juli Giltzow
- Vallivue – Bailey Bayne
- Sun Valley – Kathryn Nixom
- Teton Valley – Hanna Ceja, Ashely Singleton & Rachel Fortier
- TVWLL Board members – Anita K, Becky J, Abby E and Rachel F

June 1st Meeting Minutes approved.

Minutes (in order of conversation)

1. Open Board Positions 26-27 Season
 - a. At Large Member - OPEN
 - b. Idaho National Awards Chair - OPEN
 - c. Idaho National Awards Chair - OPEN
 - d. Tri-National Team Chairperson - OPEN

2. Social Media
 - a. Website: has not been touched all summer. Anita will resume work to fix links, etc.
 - b. Facebook and Instagram: Maddie is working on Facebook and Instagram account for the league, to connect with all the programs in the league.
3. Review Draft Schedule
 - a. **See schedule spreadsheet.**
 - b. All comments to be shared to tvwomenslax@gmail.com to 08/24/26.
4. Bi-Laws & Rules
 - a. **See schedule spreadsheet.**
 - i. 8/20 Anita K to share Draft to Committee members.
 - ii. 8/24 Draft provided to TVWLL Board
 - iii. 8/26 Comments back to Committee members
 - iv. 8/27 Draft provided to League teams
 - v. 9/2 Vote at League meeting
5. Hot Potato
 - a. **See schedule spreadsheet.**
 - b. 10/1 forms to League teams
 - c. 10/9 completed forms due to Board.
 - d. 10/12 invoices issued to participating League teams
 - e. 10/22 payment due
 - f. 10/24 (Saturday) tournament date; avoids Halloween, and a youth event. **Looking for two-field location other than Ann Morrison.** Games may be scheduled Friday evening, 10/23, if participation is high.
6. Spring schedule
 - a. Expect final schedule before Christmas.
 - b. Comments from last season include: too many games, however that was what was agreed upon by vote.
 - c. Be ready to discuss playoff structure at next League meeting as part of the Rules/Bylaws conversation.
 - d. Greater attention will be given to Home vs Away games.
 - e. Officials request no more than 3 games per night.
 - f. What counts as valid "black out" days is TBD (i.e., Prom, etc.)
 - g. 2/13 Score table training – **mandatory attendee required per program.**
 - h. **2/19 MANDATORY training for coaches with officials** (USA Lacrosse updated rules typically issued in December)
 - i. 2/20 Jamboree
7. Open Board positions
 - a. National Awards Chair: Chris will help with the transition; cannot be a parent of a varsity athlete, or a coach; we would like the position to be filled by January. Email tvwomenslax@gmail.com expressing interest.
 - b. Tri-National Team Chairperson: New chair would ideally be a parent or non-coach.
Rachel asks coaches of National Team athletes to have them send a

comment/paragraph about their experience. The next chair could also be from Montana or Wyoming; they do not necessarily have to be from this community. There are funds available that could go toward new uniforms and/or scholarships. Next season's tryout dates are TBD; we would like to improve access/location and participation.

8. Financial Update given by Anita.
 - a. Balance of \$26,735.00 due to
 - i. Lower than expected umpire costs: playoffs on NNU fields were cancelled; C of I does not have women's lines on the field thus the use of BK turf.
 - ii. Lower than expected field expenses.
 - iii. Higher number of athletes than budgeted.
 - b. We will not have to raise Team fees for the 26-27 season.

Please review the draft Rules and Bi-laws when issued and come prepared for the meeting.

Current rules can be found at <https://twll.org/league-bi-laws-league-rules/>

Next League meeting – Wednesday, 09/02/26 this is a MANDATORY Meeting for all teams.

Save the date for 6.30pm, on the 1st Wednesday of each month. The Board meets Wednesdays one week prior each month.

Keil adjourned the meeting at 7:30PM.

Minutes submitted by: Becky Jergenson, Secretary

Minutes approved by: