

The Team Georgia Board of Directors and the GAWA membership met on Saturday, September 23rd, 2023 at 2091 Governor's Lake Norcross, Georgia. An online option was available. In attendance: Jason Griner, Letricia Denson, Scott DeGraff, Amanda Prado, Jessica Parent, Jeremy Paradise, Leah Thomas, Donell Bradley, Bobbi Jo Corcoran, John Stulak, Craig Cothorn, David McLeod, Jennifer Wells, John Gadd, CMP Georgia, Jon Merry, Justin Boyden, Katie Rabun, Kenny Cook, Patrick McHugh.

Call to Order 10:07

Introduction – Jason Griner

Old Business – Jason Griner – None

Door Prize

Executive Reports

Treasurer's Report

Reviewed Capital Assets

- Reviewed Account Balances
- Reviewed Income for 9/1/22-8/31/23
- Reviewed Expenses for 9/1/22-8/31/23
- Reviewed 2023-2024 Budget
- Discussed the Middle School Card Program

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Registration Chair Report

- Athlete Membership number, Leadership Cards, Increase in female wrestlers, Event Sanctions
- Registration will be on USA member site
- Discussed tournament director information
- Reminded that Novice is now "1st Year" and is reflected on the schedule.
- New weigh in times and competition times
- New Admission Charges - \$10 family of 5 or less or \$7 per individual
- Membership Cards are \$42 all season

Kid's Director Report

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Women's Report

- Participation Numbers and growth

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Chairman's Review and Introduction to New Programs

- New website – www.teamgawrestling.org
- New Facebook – look for teamgawrestling
- New emails – FirstName@teamgawrestling.org
- SER is back in Georgia next May

PIN ranking by USA Wrestling

Reminder that the membership voted novice to be first year wrestlers only. Novice will now be called 1st Year Wrestlers.

Novice Championship will now be called Beginner's Bash

New Club website opportunity – StackSports

Hammer Series - -New exciting program to take the place of B4B

Pin rating Awards

Outstanding Wrestler awards at all Open Tournaments

2023-2024 Folkstyle Schedule Release and Review

Grand Prize Drawing for Tournament Directors - - Up to \$500 paid towards tournament awards

Proposal Review and Voting

Proposal #1 – change of bylaws – rename Women's Liaison to Women's Director and add current positions. PASSED

Proposal #2 – State Seeding – remove the current seeding/separation criteria and replace the new USA pin system PASSED

Proposal #3 – Shorten Season and Change kid's state to the same weekend as GHSA state – at the same venue. FAILED

New Business - None

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