

USATF Missouri Valley Association 2022 Annual Meeting 12:00 10/01/2022

Location: 11040 W Longview Parkway, Kansas City Missouri 64134

Call to order Carma Robinson-Kendall at 12:11p.m.

Attendees

<u>Attendees in person</u>- Carma Robinson-Kendell, Dion Lewis, LaChandra Buckles, Racquel Adams, Andrew Ativie, Sara Lyn Ativie, Connie Brand, Paul Brand, Ben Keefe, David Green

<u>VIA Zoom</u> - Larry Lust, Rae Adams, Melissa Tate, Cliff Wiley, Jamie Kootz, Gilda Muci, Gary Benham

Reports

<u>Sanctions Chair</u> - Approx. - 15 meets sanctioned by Wayne Armbrust.

<u>Youth Chair</u>- 6 meets in 2022: Platte County, Grandview Invitational, Missouri Valley All Comers Meet, Association Meet, Regional Championship Meet at Fort Osage; approx. 650 athletes in attendance. The Reginal held at Ft. Osage HS was a 4-day. Associations in attendance were: Missouri Valley, Ozarks, Oklahoma and Arkansas attended this championship meet.

<u>Certification Chair</u> - Certification are on schedule. Nominations and evaluations are being completed for national meets. National Office awards given in this meeting. Certification clinic will take place following meeting today.

<u>Officials Chairs</u> - More officials are needed. Certifications clinic for officials will be held today after meeting by Connie Brand. 3 Missouri Valley Association officials have been nominated to officiate the Olympics: Connie Brand, Paul Brand and Erica Brand. Larry Lust recognized for his exemplary work at our youth track meets. Awards also given out to Richard, Darren & Gilda Muci, Shannon Graves, Pam & Sam Olawaiye, Karen Holman, Melissa Tate, Teresa Thomas.

<u>Treasury</u> - Approx \$12,000 in Missouri Valley bank account. Annual budget expenses:

Timing & Facilities -60 to 70 %, Hotels & food - 10%, awards - 10%, certifications - 5%, Grievance Love Offering - 1%

<u>Communication Chair</u> - Newsletters can be found on Missouri Valley Association website. The newsletter is updated throughout the indoor and outdoor meet season. Missouri Valley website had approx. 3,250 views during the outdoor season and approx.1,300 views during indoor season. A schedule for indoor season will be forth coming as soon as facilities are booked. Facilities used prior

are no longer available this year. Missouri Valley Cross Country Championship is in November, and we are seeking a site to host and are in budget. Questions that were submitted prior to this meeting in the registration process were answered during this meeting by the president and vice president. (Appox.20 minutes to answer)

<u>Race Walk</u>- Jamie Kootz is willing to do a few online clinics and then have them come shadow her at meets. She can make this available next tract season. Jamie provided head coach contact information for Kansas Wesleyan University for possible place to hold future meets.

<u>AEC (Associations Executive Committee)</u> - This committee has been having meetings to discuss finding facilities for track meets for various track associations. There has not been any resolve on the subject yet. AEC have grants each chair can assist with applying for and receiving.

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