

SWSC Fall Coaches Meeting

September 3, 2013

Attendance as reported on the sign-in sheet.

Andrew	Eric Johnson
Bolingbrook	Julie Ott
Bradley-Bourbonnais	Mark Hampton
Homewood Flossmoor	Melissa Makovsky
Joliet Central	Laura Paramo
Joliet West	Dan Spradley, Danielle Perez
Lincoln Way Central	Lisa Parker
Lincoln Way East	Jim Aiu, Laura Radakovitz
Lincoln Way North	Christin Parker
Lincoln Way West	Holly Misener
Lockport	Carin Cooper, Tony Strahanoski
Sandburg	Ed Ronquillo
Stagg	Mark Lyons
Thornridge	Dan Biesiada, Erin Arrowood
Thornton	Daniel Dominik
Thornwood	Christine Woods
SWSC Representative	Ian MacLeod
Statistician	Ricky Perez

Meeting called to order at 7:10 p.m. by HF

Introduction and welcome of new coaches was short as almost everyone was a returning coach.

We were unable to amend or approve the minutes from previous meeting as they are currently MIA.

SWSC Business:

Ian MacLeod verified the rotation was correct as listed on the website, affirmed by webmaster. Verified that all schools have a representative present. Affirmed that no by-laws have changed. Affirmed that we have been solid on our cancellation policy and reminded us to contact our building activities administrator with any issues pertaining to weather cancellations as it relates to your individual school. Confirmed that Mathletes are doing a good job at keeping costs as minimal as possible.

We decided on a Spring Meeting date and location of February 11, 2014 at Lincoln Way Central at 4:30 p.m.

Webmaster report:

Website is currently functioning satisfactorily. He reminded us that ANY further schedule changes must

be sent to him directly AND must be sent to all attending schools for that competition. He reminded us that Conference topic voting will take place the week of October 16th.

Statistician report:

Ricky handed out all the oral keys for SWSC 1-4. Confirmed that all school folders were out for SWSC 1.

Question Writer report:

Jim reminded us that most questions on the Truth Table topic will be multiple choice with multiple answers possible as well. Asked for feedback on the proposed changes to the restrictions for 2014-2015. Thornton moved to approve, Andrew seconded and it was passed unanimously. We were provided a hint for the Coordinate Geometry topic that students would do well to have a quick and reliable method for finding the distance from a point to a line.

Other business:

Some coaches brought up a general shortage of oral judges.

Important reminder: As you plan your competitions, please consider elevator access to competition areas for students with disabilities.

Thornton moved to adjourn at 8:35, seconded by multiple schools and approved unanimously.