



NJTFOA
New Jersey Track & Field Officials Association
Southern Chapter

President: Fran Harwell
2nd Vice President: Fred Swartz
Recording Sec: Billy Kile

1st Vice President: Kathy Hunter
Corresponding Sec: Kristi Hunter-Ryan
Treasurer: Kathy Bress

Minutes of Regular Meeting - September 12, 2022 at Deptford High School.

The president called the meeting to order at 8:00 PM with the flag salute.

Recording Secretary's Report: Minutes of the May 12, 2022 meeting were sent electronically and approved by the membership.

Correspondence Report: Kristi reminded those at the meeting to make sure they signed the attendance sheet.

Treasurer's Report: Beginning balance as of May 12, 2022 - \$6779.26. Deposits - \$3294.00. Expenses: \$8966.00. Balance as of Sept. 12, 2022 - \$1107.26. Motion was made to accept the treasurer's report and approved by the membership.

Committee Reports:

- **Membership** – Kathy informed the membership to make they register with the NJSIAA and turn in their concussion certificates by the Sept. 15 deadline. Ed McGowan reminded everyone they are putting themselves at risk by not registering because they would not be covered by insurance with the state.
- **Ethics** – None.

Assignors Report: Cross Country assignor Linda Rosbert said the schedule was small with leagues and conferences holding “batch meets”. Linda also reported that the middle schools were conducting their own meets.

1st Vice President's Comments: Kathy reminded officials to check Zebra under Post Season Cross Country for assignments for the South Jersey sectional championships.

2nd Vice Present's Comments: Fred – wanting to be brief as possible – did not have any comments.

President's Comments: Fran acknowledged Ed McGowan for continuing his service on the executive board as a past president.

Training Activities and Q & A: Steve Alustiza – who is replacing Ed Menold as the chapter's rules interpreter – held a training session on the responsibilities of a starter/referee at a cross country dual and/or batch meet.

Gene Hartz had a presentation of the responsibilities when officiating field events in an indoor venue.

Announcements: Tickets are \$25 for the dinner honoring Ed McGowan and Ed Colona. The dinner will be Oct. 12 in Toms River.

Ed McGowan reminded those officiating “polar bear” meets that only winter events can be contested. No spring events are allowed at these meets.

Adjournment by president at 8:52 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,
Bill Kile III