



**NJTFOA**



**New Jersey Track & Field Officials Association  
Southern Chapter**

**President:** Kathy Hunter  
**2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President:** Ed McGowan  
**Recording Sec:** Billy Kile

**1<sup>st</sup> Vice President:** Fran Harwell  
**Corresponding Sec:** Kristi Hunter-Ryan  
**Treasurer:** Kathy Bress

**Minutes of Regular Meeting - November 16, 2021 at Deptford High School**

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

**Recording Secretary's Report:** The minutes of the October 28, 2021 were electronically sent and approved by the membership.

**Correspondence Report:** Members told to make sure they sign the attendance sheet.

**Treasurer's Report:** Balance forward \$782.98 as of 10/28/21, Expenses \$100.00; Deposits 0 (Zero); Balance as of 11/16/21 \$682.98. Membership approved treasurer's report.

**Committee Reports:**

- **Membership-** Linda Rosbert thanked those officials who worked during the cross country season. Linda also made handouts available with instructions on how to set up a Zebra account.
- **Ethics-** None.

**Assignors Report:**

Indoor assigner Ed McGowan reported that there are 15 South Jersey indoor meets this season – 13 at The Bubble in Toms River – and two at the Ocean Breeze Complex in Staten Island. Those working at Ocean Breeze will need to show proof of vaccination.

**New Business:** The membership (Jim Mohan 1st motion, Fred Schwartz 2nd) approved the executive committee's decision to raise the dues from \$10 to \$15 this year. The increase is needed to offset the loss of revenue due to decrease in number of active officials in the chapter.

The membership (Ed Menold 1st motion, Gene Hertz 2nd) approved an honorary membership for George Wilson.

Bob DeLambily will conduct his Cadet Class in January at Cherokee High School. If anyone knows of someone interested in becoming an official should send their contact information to Kathy Hunter.

The positions of 1st and 2nd Vice President are available at the present time. Members who are interested in those positions on the executive committee should reach out to Kathy Hunter.

There will be a starter's class held sometime in March at Haddon Heights High School. Those interested in attending should email Kathy Hunter.

**Training Session:** Ed Menold discussed some minor rule changes for the upcoming season, including head coverings (now legal), uniform bottoms (now legal with logos around the waistband) and running backwards (during warmups) legal only in the high jump. Ed also discussed the proper length of exchange zones and when to measure for records during vertical jumping events.

**Adjournment by president at 8:19 p.m.**

Respectfully Submitted,  
Bill Kile III