

## **WIBCA GENERAL MEETING OCTOBER 10, 2020/ZOOM**

**President Joe Harris called the meeting to order and introduced Pat McCarthy and Andy Barnes from the WIAA.**

### **WIAA**

**\*McCarthy gave an update on how the WIAA is working to proceed with sports competition in the State. The WIAA board will make a final decision in November if high school athletics can be played according to schedule they have made. The WIAA has given guidance to each District on how post season games will be played. It is more than likely it will be regionalized. He said it is possible that sports will be played without fans.**

**\*Barnes stated that basketball is currently considered a high risk sport. We need it to be a moderate risk. He said any information or data members could share to help change the sports risk factor would be appreciated. Andy Barnes can be contacted at: [ABarnes@wiaa.com](mailto:ABarnes@wiaa.com)**

### **SOCIAL JUSTICE**

**\*Executive Director Nailon Sood told membership of WIBCA's plan of action statement on the website. He said Coach Francis Williams has been a tremendous help to WIBCA in developing the statement. Franklin High school coach Craig Jackson shared a great video with the membership. He said 164 black people have been killed by police this year. He said our gyms can be safe haven for many of our athletes. Jackson encouraged coaches to build positive relationships with our players. He also shared a 12-step program that he gives out to his players.**

### **WIBCA FINANCES**

**\*Sood reported we currently have \$63,204.09 in our account.**

### **COACHES RESOURCE BOOK**

**\*Because we were unable to have our annual WIBCA clinic in October we will e-mail everyone on the zoom call a Coaches Resource Book. The book is made up of basketball information from Coaches who were to speak and from members of the WIBCA board.**

## **EXPANDING WIBCA BOARD**

**\*Sood told members that WIBCA would like to expand the board by two or three members. He said the positions of Director of Membership and Hall of Fame/Virtual Coordinator will be added and possibly another position. Coach Pat Fitterer said “We need younger people on the board. We will be there to help you”. Coach Gary Wusterbarth made a motion to expand the board by two members with an option to expand to three. Fitterer seconded. It was voted on and passed.**

## **HALL OF FAME**

**\*Coordinator Coach Dave Dickson told us three head coaches were in nomination for the Hall Of Fame. They are Roger Sonderland of Riverview, Eli Juarez of Davis and Dean Wagonaar of Sunnyside Christian. Ted Wilkins of Goldendale was nominated to the Hall as an assistant coach. Coach Jon Schroeder made a motion to put the candidates in the Hall of Fame. Seconded by Coach Brandon Evenson. It was voted on and passed.**

**\*Sood talked to the membership about changing the name of the Ed Pepple Award to the ED/Shirley Pepple Award. Mercer Island Coach Gavin Cree talked to membership about the important role Ed’s wife Shirley played in the career of her husband. It was agreed be membership to change the name of the reward. This year the recipients of the award are Pat McCarthy of Gene Rostvald.**

**\*Dickson said the tentative dates for the Hall of Fame banquets are July 20 at Davis High School in Yakima and July 22 at the Nile Country Club in Mt. Lake Terrace. The 2020 and 2021 banquets will be combined this year. Please send a e-mail to Coach Dickson if you would like to attend one the banquets. WIBCA members get free entry.**

**\*Sood thanked coach Dickson for the tremendous job he has done as Hall of Fame coordinator.**

## **WIBCA SPING CLINIC**

**\*President Joe Harris said the Chelan Clinic will be on May 15<sup>th</sup>. It scheduled to be in person, but if it can’t, it will be done virtually.**

## **NORTHWEST SHOOTOUT**

**\*Coordinator Bill Bakamus said the Shootout is scheduled to be April 17, 2021.**

## **WIBCA SHOWCASE**

**\*Coordinator Coach Tim Gaebe said the Showcase will happen in late April of early May of 2021.**

## **CAPITAL DEVELOPMENT**

**\*Coach Gaebe said everything is going great with our sponsorship. He said they are grateful and thankful with their partnership with WIBCA.**

## **WIBCA WEBSITE**

**\*Sood said WIBCA has added a memory section to recognize coaches who have passed that have made a great impact on basketball in the State of Washington. WIBCA also added sections recognizing the Past Presidents and also the WIBCA Operating Manual.**

## **COACHES VS CANCER**

**\*Coordinator Gary Wusterbarth said that Stephanie Christianson is the new Regional Director. Suits and Sneakers is still scheduled for the end of January 2021. So far, coaches in the State have raised more than \$825,000 to defeat cancer.**

## **MISC.**

**\*There has been some questions about stipend/compensation to coaches from their School Districts. Executive Director Sood will be sending out a questionnaire to members regarding compensation.**

**\*The WIAA had added a 21st endowment game to the 2022 basketball schedules. WIBCA has had an amendment that has been voted down for 24 games. Sood said WIBCA is going to try to get a 22<sup>nd</sup> game with the next amendment. We are going to work with the WIAA in hopes in getting them to back us for a 22<sup>nd</sup> game. Coach Dickson will work with Coach Tim Kelley in presenting the amendment.**

**\*We have two \$500 and two \$1000 Baden Scholarships that we give out every year. The application for players to apply for the Scholarships is on the WIBCA website.**

**\*All-State games have a new criteria that will be used in the selection of the players. You can check out the new criteria on our website. There are many college coaches who attend the event which is free for all participants. The 2021 All-State games will be played at Curtis High School in Tacoma at a date TBD.**

**\*Coach Scott Orness of North Kitsap High School has been nominated by WIBCA for the NFHS National Coach of the Year.**

**\*Executive Director Sood will be notifying the winners of the Shootaway and the Social Justice T-shirts.**

**Gary Wusterbarth made a motion to adjourn. It was seconded by Pat Fitterer. It was voted on and passed.**

**Respectively submitted,**

**Bruce Siebol**

**WIBCA Secretary**