



HSL Winter Council Meeting

Tuesday, October 19th

- A. Attending: Kyle Miller, Bill McDaniel, Brian Bates, Jeff Langer, Jen Bell, Kevin Hill, Martin Cherrier
- B. Absent: James McKinley, Jason Gasaway
- C. Commissioner Opening – Kyle Miller
- D. Treasurer Appointment-Kyle Miller
 - a. Brian Dover will not be returning.
 - b. Kyle sent nomination email request to membership, Jeff Langer was the only one that accepted the nomination
 - c. Jeff introduction – prior HSL treasurer and HSL HOF member
 - d. Motion by Kyle to accept Jeff by acclamation, no objections
- E. Big Peach Chair Appointment-Kyle Miller
 - a. Kyle Erickson has agreed to chair the 2022 tournament
 - b. No objections and board directed Kyle M to appoint Kyle E for another term
 - c. Need to eventually look for a co-chair or groom an assistant.
- F. DEI Committee Introduction-Kyle Miller
 - a. The purpose is to promote inclusion.
 - b. Looking for a chair and possible committee members.
 - c. CAPS softball league in DC has a meeting this Thursday October 21, 2021 for those desiring to participate or find out information. Kyle plans to attend, asks for board participation
- G. Recruitment Committee-Martin Cherrier
 - a. Martin discussed having a committee to help with recruiting.
 - b. Discussed the idea of maybe working the DEI committee to help cross recruit in many aspects.
- H. GSWS recap-Kyle Miller
 - a. Atlanta finished with a 2nd in B, 3rd in D, & 4th in D.
 - b. No protests of Atlanta teams and Atlanta did protest 2 other teams.
 - c. Kevin Hill will be attending the ratings workshop.
- I. ASANA recap-Jen Bell
 - a. Great tournament in Virginia Beach.
 - b. No ratings protest of Atlanta and no protest given by Atlanta.
 - c. Next year's tournament will be held in DC.

- d. Jen brought up the idea of having Atlanta look at bidding for the Asana series possibly and/or host an ASANA qualifying tournament. She to bring more information to the board
- J. Atlanta Gay Sports Alliance-Kyle Miller
 - a. Kyle attended their event Pride weekend.
 - b. This is a huge opportunity to cross promote our league.
 - c. The event raised over \$4,000 for local charity
- K. Ratings-Kevin Hill
 - a. New Questions will be starting for the 2022 season.
 - b. Official Language will be coming out after the first of the year but Biscuit is working on getting language earlier.
 - c. Biscuit is also working on getting ratings correct from the GSWS review and the regular season.
 - d. Ratings were discussed and how those will affect our league.
- L. New Business
 - a. Bill McDaniel
 - i. Bill brought up a free season to promote growth or a 40 for 40 season
 - ii. Bill brought up the idea of having official paid scorekeepers.
 - iii. Bill brought up the idea of 2nd umpires.
 - b. Brian Bates
 - i. Brought up having a coach of the year.
 - ii. Making it retro active.
- M. Next meeting is Tuesday, November 9th.
- N. Future Agenda Items: Charity Selection, HOF Event, Beer Busts, Rules Regs/Constitution future changes/HOF nomination process, Audit Committee Chair Appointment.