LBC Presidents’ Call Meeting Notes  
Thursday, November 5, 2020

Call commenced at 3:03 pm Mountain Time.

LBCs represented on the call: Allegheny Mountain, Central California, Colorado, Georgia, Gulf, Hawaii, Illinois, Lake Erie, Metropolitan, Michigan, Middle Atlantic, Minnesota, Nebraska, Nevada, Ohio, Oregon, South Texas, Southeastern, Southern California, Southwestern, Virginia, West Virginia, Wisconsin and Wyoming.

Staff present: Mike McAtee, Mike Campbell, Lynette Smith, Stacy Arredondo, and Ethan Figge. Also present on the call: Ray Silvas, Board Member.

**Welcome:** Mike McAtee, Executive Director welcomed everyone on the call. He mentioned that Eric Buller, NCBA LBC President, announced to the Board of Directors how effective the LBC calls were. McAtee let the National Board know that we would include them on future LBC calls and notes. McAtee introduced Ray Silvas, AIBA Representative Board Member who joined the call. Silvas felt that the calls were very positive for the organization and thanked LBC Presidents for their time.

**Membership Update:** Lynette Smith, Membership Director thanked the LBCs for also discounting their portion of 2021 membership to non-athletes and club, who had registered in 2020. She mentioned that some LBCs went a step further with Colorado paying for renewal clubs, Minnesota paying for 49 non-athletes and 38 clubs; Gulf having a Boxing Day in America special where clubs get a $25 discount and all members get a $5 discount if they register this week. Mcatee also thanked the LBCs for their support of helping boxers, coaches, R Js and clubs. Cindy Schumacher let everyone know that a Golden Gloves Club in their LBC provided the grant money to fund the memberships.

**National Championships Update:** Mike Campbell, Boxing Operations & Events Manager announced that we are hosting a Coaches Town Hall this evening on Zoom and Facebook Live. He mentioned that the officials’ meeting that was conducted two weeks ago went well. All meetings will be recorded and available for future viewing. We are trying to speed up the check-in process so we would like to the LBCs make sure that all boxers attending have their passbooks in order: membership card printed with photo, and birthdate verification (marked with a green V) and athlete physical. Mcatee added to please reach out to Registration Chairs to help prepare new registrations with books as we want to avoid a hold up at check-in.

**Officials Certification:** Angel Villareal reported that USA Boxing is implementing a virtual online refresher course that will extend a current Official’s certification to December 31, 2021. Since this is not a certification clinic, no elevation of certification will be given. Please click on this link for all the details: [https://www.teamusa.org/USA-Boxing/Features/2020/October/28/Officials-Certification-Extension](https://www.teamusa.org/USA-Boxing/Features/2020/October/28/Officials-Certification-Extension)
Jeanne DePriest (Colorado) asked about Junior Olympic Dates. Campbell responded that the tentative dates for JO’s are July 7-17 and we are anticipating it to be open registration. A further question asked, “Does that mean that State/Region JO’s aren’t needed?” McAtee responded that more information will be coming. He also stated that if any LBC leaders have any ideas for local and regional JO’s to let Mike Campbell know.

Rose Fain (Nevada) sent an email question asking that if a state is not yet open for events, will test events still be an option when the state does open? McAtee answered yes.

Larry Bright (Southeastern) asked for the information to purchase sanitizing equipment that Tom Lindsey had mentioned at a previous meeting. Lindsey responded to call 740-352-7298. McAtee added that the BacktoBoxing tab on the website also has equipment ideas.

Debbie Holmes (Southwestern) asked how to get a membership discount code and what if the gyms or non-athletes already registered. Coach Discount Code is: B2B10NA and Club Discount Code is: B2B10CLUB

Mark Machi (Allegheny Mountain) thanked USA Boxing and the LBCs for all that is done for the boxers.

Closing: McAtee reminded that if you can be on tonight’s coaches townhall call please do attend. He thanked all for their hard work and mentioned that he is excited to see everybody in December.

Meeting ended 3:33 pm.