

USARS Roller Derby Sport Committee Meeting Minutes



Conference Call March 9th, 2020 at 6:30pm PST

Meeting called to order: March 9th, 2020 at 6:37pm PST

Attendees: Christina Gerrish, Misty Nicolet Greer, **Sabra Bungler**, **Fernando Reguerio**, **Robyn Clark**, Carrie Conlee Craft, Stephen Carter, Brent Benson

(non-attendees designated in bold)

Item #1 – Jason Orton - Photog

- Interested in being the dedicated photographer for Nationals. Can he get into the event for free?
 - Brent will follow up with the office to confirm it is okay to have a dedicated photographer for the event in lieu of other sports photographers.
 - We have previously had multiple photographers with no conflicts.
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Item #2 – 2020 Nationals

- Team Roster Cap – 15 or 20?
 - Article 7 (pg. 3) in the World Skate Rules
 - The game roster shall consist of:
 - A minimum of eight (8) and a maximum of fifteen (15) rostered players.
 - A maximum of five (5) alternate players.
 - A maximum of two (2) members of the coaching staff.
 - Game Rosters must be submitted 20 minutes before game.
 - Push event on social media. Need to get more teams registered before March 30th deadline.
 - California is submitting 2 co-ed and a female team.
 - Will the deadline be pushed if teams are not registered?
 - We will likely extend it if needed. Will need to revisit.
 - 2-week extension
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Item #3 – 2020 Rollercon

- Plan B for National team tryouts if Rollercon gets cancelled.
 - If Rollercon is cancelled, there would be additional tryouts. Further details coming.
- If Rollercon tryouts do go as scheduled, we need to come up with a tryout plan.
 - Those interested in trying out need to have USARS event pass.
 - 50 women/50 men tryout.
 - Need to determine how people would register for this tryout
 - Link? First come/first serve? Need to brainstorm.

- Can we issue refunds?
 - Event pass for Rollercon – Brent has sent this to the tech team, but we are waiting for rSportz to provide the link.
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Item #4 – Star Skate Program

- Is it okay to call the program Derby due to insurance purposes?
 - Derby is a red flag to the insurance company and will need to brainstorm other ideas.
- Skills List
 - Post program list in the group for all to review and decide what skills for derby are needed.
 - Christina to post information for review.

Carrie made motion to adjourn at 6:56pm, Misty 2nd

Next Meeting: April 13th, 6:30pm PST

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