

Newfoundland Weightlifting Association

Minutes of Annual General Meeting

March 24, 2018

Location : 1646 Topsail Road, Paradise, Newfoundland

Board Members: Nick Roberts, Deep Datta, Christopher Crotty, Michelle Burton Crotty,

Absent: Geoff Clarke (Treasurer), Jennifer Lokash (Vice President)

Quorum Present? Yes

Other Present/Observer

Catherine Quinlan, Tom Abbott, Frank Williams

Proceedings:

- Meeting called to order at 12:30 PM (Newfoundland Standard time)
- Last meeting minutes were reviewed

Primary Report:

- Chris Crotty was elected as the new president of the association due to Nick Roberts resigning from the position as president. (The members mentioned above were present in the voting process and Chris have won the election unanimously)
- Geoff Clarke has retained the position as treasurer. (The members mentioned above were present in the voting process and Geoff have won the election unanimously)
- Deep Datta was elected as the new vice president of the association (The members mentioned above were present in the voting process and Deep have won the election unanimously)
- Michelle Burton Crotty was elected as the new secretary ((The members mentioned above were present in the voting process and Michelle have won the election unanimously).

Competitions:

- 2017 Centaur Classic Open at Crossfit Islander - 7th August 2017
- 2018 Igloo Open – 14th January 2018
- Competition have seen between 10 and 25 participants. Meets to continue with the aim of three meets per year.

Provincial Operation Grant:

- Based on conversation with the treasurer \$1,165 grant was received for 2017-2018 year.
- Next year's to be submitted.
- Need 50 members for grant approval for 2018-2019
- Members list will be updated by the current board members and next year's to be submitted.

Administration:

- **Insurance policy have expired. The policy needs urgent renewal.**
- Updated member list have to be made
- Competition bar and plates have to be transferred to new facility.
- It was decided further purchase of equipment is not necessary

Membership:

- Membership fees will remain at \$45 for seniors and junior lifters will get free membership and \$1 for supporting member
- For contests, free membership can be offered to encourage more participants but a contest fee have to be charged to recover costs.
- The \$45 includes membership to sports centre. May have to consider alternate planning is number of participants increase.

NLWA Website:

- Promotion efforts will be done through Facebook.
- Needs further discussion on update of the website.

Coaching Initiative

- Tom Abbott have agreed to go to sports centre once or twice to volunteer for coaching service
- Personnel at the sports centre will be contacted to develop a pool of junior lifters.

Future Events:

- The board members discussed about possibility of a summer contest. Need advertisement and promotion efforts to make weightlifting popular.
- Need prior planning with regards to the venue.

Meeting adjourned at 1:30 PM

Meeting Approved by

Chris Crotty

President

Nick Roberts

Former President

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