Ames Area USBC Board Meeting Sunday October 25, 2015 Perfect Games, Ames, IA

President Terri Carriere called the meeting to order at 1:02 pm.

Roll call of officers and directors was taken. Present were President Terri Carriere, 1<sup>st</sup> VP Jarad Prescott, 2<sup>nd</sup> VP Lowell Crouse, Nevada VP Deb Robinson, Youth Reps: Phil Carriere, Derrick Black, Jordan Stephens, and Brian Bingaman, Directors: Sheri Stephens, Fred Alderson, Lyle Jennings, Travis Hansen, Ron Imlay, and Rick Hackett. Excused Story City VP Jo Mortvedt, Ames VP Kandi Burris, Jewell VP Eudene Lund, Youth Director Kelly McPartland and Director Keith Hawkins. Unexcused 3<sup>rd</sup> VP Orv Heintz and Director Al Glick.

The minutes of the previous meeting were included in the packet. L. Crouse made the motion to accept the minutes as printed. S. Stephens seconded. Motion carried unanimously.

Treasurer's report was included in the packet. R. Imlay made the motion to accept the treasurer report as printed. L. Crouse seconded. MCU.

## Committee Reports:

- 1. Coaching and New Members-2<sup>nd</sup> coaching clinic was held at Sports Bowl. 7 bowlers attended the clinic. We still need one more coaching clinic to complete our performance standards and D. Black said he would check with Carousel Lanes to see if they were interested otherwise, he will check with Perfect Games.
- 2. Other Tournaments-We talked about doing a Facebook boost ad for the 9-Pin Trio tournament. I was to look information on to see if I could tell when the ads were looked at so we knew when to have the ad run.

## **Unfinished Business:**

1. Performance Standards- T. Jennings reminded everyone that they had to take the Board Member test even if took it last year. She also asked that when you take the test to notify her so she can keep track.

## **New Business:**

- 1. Association Tournament-The entry form was looked over. It was decided that the final date to accept entries should be larger. We changed the handicap from 80% of 220 to 90% of 240. We changed the line in the rules that read: Not more than three players can compete together more than once in the team event to read Not more than two players can compete together more than once in the team event. We look at the sponsor list and decided that if they didn't sponsor since 2013 we wouldn't send a letter out. There were no additional businesses that the board thought we should send letters to. T. Jennings was going to correct the dates and centers on the sponsor letter and then send it out to everybody so they had a copy they could take to businesses to try and get sponsors.
- 2. Awards-T. Jennings asked the board to reconsider our awards program. It was set up so that bowlers can only get a local association award once in a lifetime. The board reconsidered and changed it to once a year. T. Jennings also let the board know that we would be short on or are out of several awards. The board decided we wanted keychains for the 150 game, 75 POA and 140 POA and pens either red or blue with white logo and blue ink for the 250 game awards. Jarad asked that the logo be emailed to him and he will work on getting them done. (After getting prices for those awards, the committee switched to everything being pens)
- 3. New Printer- T. Jennings told the board that her printer wasn't working well and to get a new print head would be \$50. D. Black made the motion to let Teri get a new printer, R. Hackett seconded. MCU.

- 4. Youth Committee-S. Stephens reported that the Ames Youth league has voted Jordan Stephens and Brian Bingaman to the youth committee. She also reported that there are 11 teams of kids in the Ames league and 24 kids in Nevada league.
- 5. T. Jennings asked those members of the board who hadn't responded with their food order for the Hall of Fame meeting if they would be attending and what they were eating. There were several who hadn't responded.

Meeting was adjourned at 1:58.

Respectfully submitted Teri Jennings Association Manager