# **Jasper County Bowling Association Directors Meeting**

## January 11, 2014 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM

## **Cardinal Lanes Conference Room - Newton IA**

With due notice having been given in accordance with the bylaws and a quorum being present, Manager Anderson called the meeting to order at 1:00 PM.

#### Present:

Arlyn Vink, David Anderson, Dustin Kingery, Jeff Van Blair, Dave Rorabaugh, Larry Anderson, Barney Brown, Gary Price

Manager Anderson read the minutes from the previous meeting & the financial report. Director Van Blair made a motion to accept the minutes & financial report as read, seconded by Director Rorabaugh. Motion carried.

## **Old Business:**

Director Van Blair stated he had received the Scholarship forms & would begin to hand them out to prospective Juniors & Seniors.

Manager Anderson updated the Board on the number of entries for County Tournament (3 4-Person Teams, 4 5-Person Teams, & 5 Doubles/Singles). Hopeful we will receive several entries this week from leagues.

Manager Anderson asked who could work which squads during the County Tournament. Director Vink stated he & President Tangeman could probably take care of most of the Doubles/Singles squads at Mustang Lanes with the ability to call on help if needed. Manager Anderson stated that Directors Anderson, Van Blair, & himself would not be available to work the Jan. 25<sup>th</sup> Team Squad due to bowling in the State 9-Pin Tournament at Premier Lanes. Several of the other Directors have not scheduled their squads yet, so they could not commit to what squads they could work. They will update Manager Anderson after they have determined their squads.

#### **New Business:**

Director Van Blair brought up some concern over the USBC Professional Lane Certification process. Under the current procedure, it would cost Cardinal Lanes \$1200 to get certified. It is in a "Pilot" status in some neighboring states so far.

Director Van Blair also shared he was contacted by a USBC representative about possibly coaching some new bowlers. Director Van Blair asked the representative several times how they were going to bring in these new bowlers, never got an answer to that question. He finally told the representative he was not interested since they couldn't tell him where the new bowlers were coming from. Director Brown brought up the possibility of using an extra League Night for County Tournament next year. He also stated his team from Mustang Lanes thought the Entry Fees were too high, since they are the same as State Tournament. This sparked a lot of discussion on possible ways to get more entries next year. This will be an ongoing discussion for the next several meetings.

Manager Anderson installed the Bracket Software on Mustang Lanes laptop to be used during the County Tournament.

The next meeting was set to 1:00 February 15, 2014 at Cardinal Lanes.

Director Rorabaugh made a motion to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Director Anderson. Motion carried unanimously.

Meeting was adjourned at 2:25 PM.

Jasper County Bowling Association Manager

Larry Anderson