

PARA January Meeting – Monday September 28, 2020 - 8:00 p.m.

Virtual Zoom Meeting

1. Meeting called to order at 8:05 pm by David Bond, President.
2. Roll call was taken and the following Directors were in attendance:
 - a. The following members were present: David Bond (President), Kurt Zwally (Vice President), Jon Tate (Secretary), Curt Schramm (Central Chair/SSRC), Eric Updegrove (Central/TMART), Ben Shirk (Central/SRRC), Rudi Riet (Central/LMRT), John DeLong (East Chair/JFRT), Rob Lipton (East/BMSC), Tom Yen (East/BMSC), Erik Backlund (East/JFRT), Patrick Wende (NE Chair/EMSC), Bruce Newman (NE/EMSC), Gus Picariello (NE/PASEF), Kevin Malkin (NE/PASEF), Yvonne Coad (NE/SMRT), Charles Donnellan (West Chair/WPRC), Mike Clarke (West/WPRC), TJ Greenier (West/WPRC), Derek Berger (West/DCWST), Mark Ritchey (West/BKST)
 - b. Other attendees: Sam Ganow and Tim Brown

Absent: Chris Klebe (Treasurer), Dan Chayes (Central/WTSEF), Scott Book (East/Montage), Amato DePaulo (East/BMSC), Matthew Riggi (NE/EMSC/Athlete Rep), Bob Hunt (West/HVRC)
3. AO update – USSS has decided not to provide any testing for officials this year.
4. Statewide updates – Vail is allowing events and teams, but details are not known at this time.
5. COVID rates are increasing in the Tri-state area and in Pennsylvania.
6. Charles Donnellan made a motion to – Revert U16 race series to last year’s format for the 2021 season only with Finals at Blue Mountain. Gus Picariello, second. Passed on voice vote.
7. It was announced that 2021 High School Championships are cancelled.
8. Discussion about holding statewide races and championships. It was decided to review again at a future meeting.
9. Meeting was adjourned.