

Committee Report

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| Committee Name | Schools Committee |
| Chairperson Name | Bobby Kleinecke |
| Staff Liason | Ainsley Williams (& Megan Young) |
| List action items for recommendations to Executive Committee | <p>(1). The Committee proposes to re-initiate the Give The Game Campaign during the holiday season of 2017. Details will be further discussed at the Texas Tennis Summit in late September, as this will be a Q4 project. Will look into collaborating again with the NJTL Committee (committee partner prior to 2017-18 Term).</p> <p>(2). The Committee proposes to, in conjunction with the High School State Qualifier Banquet (2017 will be Year 3), to provide a "Hospitality Hub" of sorts for the event. The banquet will take place the evening before the tournament; the hospitality hub will be open on the dates of the tournament.</p> <p>(3). The Committee proposes to coordinate both on- and off-court educational/ training opportunities for providers and supporters of youth tennis programming. Such oportuties for these "mini-workshops" would take place at the Texas Tennis Summit, TTCA Conference, both TAHPERD Conferences, etc.</p> <p>(4). The Committee discussed the strong relationship between the NSF and the Hot Shots program.</p> <p>(5). The Committee discussed the important upcoming changes that will occur in School Tennis at the National level and how Texas programming will be impacted by these changes (I.e. Net Generation).</p> <p>(6). The majority of the Committee Meeting was composed of educating our members about our programs, how they work, and how we can CONNECT on a larger scale through our programs. A large portion of our Committee is composed of 1st time Committee members and/or USTA Texas Volunteers, so it was critical that time be well spent on providing them with the tools, resources and knowledge necessary to properly support and advocate for our (and their) programs. Therefore, the Committee has confirmed a follow-up conference call to fully discuss the Strategic Priorities and develop additional 2017 Goals: Sunday, March 5th at 5:00pm.</p> |

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| Committee members and guests in attendance | <p>Members in attendance:</p> <p>Elizabeth Hanson smith Rene'e Stovall Tom Webber Amy McCampbell Hillary Garbowski Leslie Crook Ron Salter Craig Bell Matt Jacob Megan L. Young (staff) Ainsley Williams (staff)</p> <p>Members not in attendance:</p> <p>Bobby Kleinecke (chair) Caroline Sullivan Steve Smith</p> <p>Guests:</p> <p>Chris Merritt Richard Evans Jerrie Howe Carrie Hale Jessica McMillen Grant Chambers Lara Lehmann Beverly Guthrie Mark Davis Cris Perkins Laura Gilbert Alfredo Treviño Jr. Carol Welder Jennifer Lopez Van Barry</p> |
| Committee Chair Signature | Ainsley Williams - on behalf of Bobby Kleinecke |
| Date | 02-25-2017 |