

### SBWBO INTERPRETATION MINUTES

21 OCTOBER 21, 2024 / 7:00 PM / BROOKE AVENUE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, BAYSHORE, NY

# **Attendees:**

Mike Hogan-President

Anne Fahey-Vice President

Kathleen Kelly-Dorrian-Secretary

\*Maureen Tipping-Lipshie-Treasurer

Kevin Chilton-Board Member, Website Coordinator

Chris Hahn-Board Member

Andre Smith-Board Member

Kamal Pasha-Rules Interpreter

\*Carl Nelson-Former President

\*-Officers Excused

Outside Association Members present:

Jerry Paolillo (NC),

Shadell Kelly,

Mark Henry (NC)

Megan Dallman (NYCGBOA),

Yolanda Jones (NC)

## **Agenda:**

The meeting was called to order by President Mike Hogan at 7:10 PM commencing with the Pledge of Allegiance followed by a moment of silence for those men and women serving in the Armed Forces.

**Awards:** Vice President Anne Fahey presented the 2024 Junior High Official of the Year Award to Kate Gordon.

**Interpretation:** Interpreter Kamal Pasha conducted the Rules Interpretation in preparation of the 2024-25 SBWBO Basketball Season. This is not a rule change year, but there are mechanics changes and State recommended Points of emphasis for 2024-25: as follows

Enforcement of Rules as written: Consistency in enforcement amongst officials is paramount. State is coming down hard on wearing earrings. Band-Aids over earrings are no longer permitted. Officials have authority to request a player remove band-aid, a refusal, athlete not allowed to play. This rule is exclusive to basketball. Kamal will articulate rule at Coaches Meeting. Not a new rule, but a point of emphasis this season Jewelry: .Jewelry has been prohibited since 1985. No technical if observed during play. Blow whistle, remove play from court, explain offense and request a sub

**Screening:** State emphasizing officials are missing calls specifically on roll screens.

**Traveling:** To become proficient in identifying a traveling violation is best facilitated by witnessing plays; specifically reffing often. Be cognizant of players' pivot foot: Pre dribble travel, split foot, players are lifting pivot foot during spin moves to basket. Watching and identifying pivot foot. A post player making a move to the basket may lift a pivot foot if they don't put it back down.

**Legal Guarding Position:** Reff the defense, watch the defender. There is no time and distance. If the defender has feet planted. Defender can move left, right, up (verticality) obliquely on an angle, backwards just can not move forward.

**Post -Play-** 3 seconds in lane, Post players can not straddle line into paint both feet must be outside the lane.

Contact on ball handler/dribbler: Defender permitted to measure up with hand on offensive player, remove it and can't put it back on.(Hot Stove) Arm bar or two hands on offensive player-automatic foul, Defender body contact or body bumping, leaning into torso of dribbler which affects, rhythm speed quickness is a foul. (RSBQ) Rhythm! speed!balance! quickness!Collapsed arm bar not a foul.

**Technical Fouls:** Officials should be less hesitant to "t" someone up by factoring ratings in their decision. Remember, players often emulate their coaches' behavior.

**Clamping:** Not a new rule. Be able to determine who is the first player to bring hand up to clamp. Watch players off the ball step back for a better angle. Clamping often occurs when ball is on the way to the basket.

Modifications: Three point area now 19'9"

**Restricted Area:** NYS has not adopted the restricted area rule. But is area located directly under basket.refusal to remove band aid or jewelry will be prohibits competition

**Color of Ball-** Game may be played with non-orange ball. For example in recognition of breast cancer awareness can use a different colored ball or pink ball.

**Players Equipment:** Hair adornments beads may be worn provided they are tightly secured and do not pose safety hazards to players on either team.

**Officials Jurisdiction:** Officials shall arrive 15 minutes proper to start of game and must remain on floor once jurisdiction begins

**Shot Clock Displays:** If one shot clock not functioning allow competition with just one with an alternative timing device at table. There is no advantage or disadvantage because both teams will be using both timing devices. Fist or intentional kick ball with 14 seconds or less will reset to 15. Shot clock reset to 30 seconds when ball strikes ring or flange, change in possession and all fouls. Except: double fouls where shot time remains.

**Uniforms:** A team can have every number up to 99. May have "0" or "00" but never both. Verbalize numbers to table. Hold up fingered numbers by face.

**10 Second backcourt**- No longer 10 second count manually. Utilize shot clock, if shot clock not available use game clock. .

**Faking a Foul**-Head bobbing of offensive player or flopping to simulate illegal contact. First offense to team is a warning. The second time team fakes fouls will be Team technical foul. Do not stop play, signal it and report later. Communicate with partner you observed a faking of foul. Offensive faking of foul blow whistle right away.

**Length Of Quarters:** Playing time for JV and Varsity (4) eight minute quarters. One minute intermission between quarter 1&2 and 3&4, with ten minutes half time

Over time -4 minutes

**Time Outs Granted:** each team entitled (4) full time outs and (2) thirty 30 second timeouts. OT team awarded an additional 30 second TO

**Outside Board Members** were excused at 7:45 PM. SBWBO members remained for scenarios and remaining meeting agenda.

#### **Scenario Winners:**

Marty Quinn

Patrick Kenney

James Kavanaugh

Robbie Seebach Jr

Steve Figliosi

## New Business:

A follow up interpretation will be offered on 10/24 at Brooke Avenue Elementary 8:00 PM. Members were excused if they had a Section XI game in another sport. If not an excused absence must pay \$25 for Make Up.

**New Varsity Officials and Transfers** must take closed book exam on 10/24 at Brooke Avenue Elementary: Rob Seebach, Joe Codispoti, Steven Chilton, Kevin Conlin

**Availability:** A number of members have not submitted availability: Piropato, Downes, Monahan, Griek Quinn, LLoyd, Hernandez, Lalor, Sells, Ferririto, Murnane, Barry, Jimenez, Batchelor, DeBonis, Brown, Tabosky, Dallman, Jackson, Sheehan, Binfield, Schaefer, Get availability in! Kathy Stern will begin assigning at end of the week. If unable to log on contact her at Section. If you want to work holidays, adjust departure time. If you need assistance in posting or submitting availability contact Kathy or Mike Hogan. Mike will walk you through it.

**Dues:** members who have not paid dues will not be given a schedule.

## **Committee Reports:**

Treasury: Current Treasury Balance \$14,723.26

**NASO:** NASO membership dues \$91/year. Interested in purchasing pay Treasurer Maureen Lipshie. Extra insurance coverage, Referee magazine and other discounts. Mail fee to her residence either personal check or money order. Maureen's home address is posted on Section XI website roster.

**Secretary:** Meeting Minutes will be posted on website.

Multi Team Scrimmage: On November 25, there will be a multi team scrimmage at Northport HS @ 5:30 PM. All Varsity Officials must attend then do one additional three person non paid Mechanics scrimmage to be eligible to officiate playoff games. Andre Smith and Kevin Chilton are working to have non paid scrimmage sign up through a google docs program for better efficiency and convenience. Section XI has scheduled a number of paid scrimmages between November 25 through December 3 which will be specifically assigned. On November 25 Mike Hogan, Andre Smith, Chris Hahn, Kamal Pasha and Scott Quinn will be evaluating candidates and Varsity Members will officiate.

Turnbacks Permitted one turn back. Any further turnbacks institute a ½ game fee fine.

Test: The exam will be posted November 1. November 11 deadline to TAKE exam.

Congratulations to President Mike Hogan and Interpreter Kamal Pasha with their impressive end of season rankings as both Boys and Girls Soccer Officials.

## Meeting Adjourned at 8:20 PM

**Next Meeting Wednesday November 6-Interpretation**