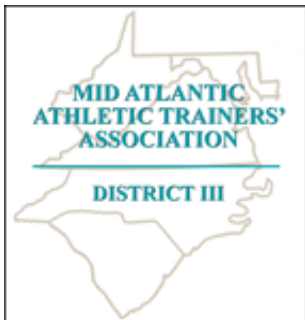


2013 DISTRICT MEETING
NATIONAL ATHLETIC TRAINERS' ASSOCIATION
64TH ANNUAL MEETING & CLINICAL SYMPOSIUM
MANDALAY BAY HOTEL AND CONVENTION CENTER
LAS VEGAS, NV
6/25/2013



0.0 The meeting was called to order by Patricia Aronson, District Director at 7:16 PM

1.0 Director Comments - Patricia Aronson

1.1 Welcomed attendees to Las Vegas and the District III meeting. She also reviewed the current office holders to the MAATA Executive Council. The Director expressed appreciation to the district presidents for all of their hard work.

2.0 Secretaries Report - Kevin King

2.1 Director announces the secretary does not have a report tonight.

3.0 Treasurer's Report - Robert Cable

3.1 The yearly treasurer's report was provided at the District III business meeting in Greenville, South Carolina on May 18th, 2013 by Mr. Robert Cable (Treasurer of the MAATA).

3.2 The breakdown on the 2013 Mid-Atlantic Athletic Trainers' Association business meeting and symposium was provided and it is as follows:

Total Income: \$51,586.10

Total Output: \$64,690.42

Total Loss: \$13,104.32

3.3 He also provided an update of the District's financial status which is as follows:

MAATA Account: \$95,972.36

MAATA Wells Fargo CD: \$48,500.00

DCATA Checking Account: \$9,981.21

Total MAATA Assets: \$154,453.57

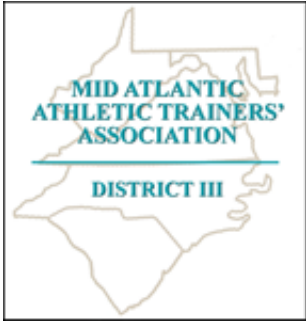
4.0 Committee Reports

4.1 New District III NATA Committee Representatives were announced:

4.1.1 Ethics Committee: District III will be represented by Jatin Ambegaonkar from George Mason University

4.1.2 Ethnic Diversity Advisory Committee: District III will be represented by Meghan Hammonds from Old Dominion University

4.2 Director Aronson informed the attendees of the process for filling for openings on committees.



4.3 Secondary Schools Athletic Trainer Committee – David McAllister

4.3.1 Revision version of the Position Proposal Guide (PPG) and Position Improvement Guide (PIG) will be available on the Secondary Schools section of the NATA website.

4.3.2 KSI data has been compiled. 10 states either are not finished or data was not strong enough to be considered. The update is as follows: 15,500 schools have been contacted and 7,000 schools have responded. From this sample, 64% of students have access to an athletic trainer.

4.3.3 Gatorade has expressed interest in helping to promote athletic training in secondary school setting. The committee and Gatorade will be working together on various educational ventures.

4.3.4 CUATC & SSATC are presenting regarding the crown to head contact information to officiating groups. The goal is to convince officials to make appropriate calls regarding player's disqualifications. Also, terminology is being developed to encourage players to sharing responsibility.

4.3.5 Wells Fargo Insurance & Impact has partnered together for the Play It Safe Concussion Care Program. The goal of this program is to assist athletic trainers, their employer's organization and additionally, youth sports organization in providing an affordable source for concussion management.

4.3.6 SSATC will hold a Mid-year meetings in Dallas in January 2014. The goal is to develop creative ideas for employment of athletic trainers in secondary schools.

4.4 College/University Athletic Trainers' Committee – Allen Shelley

4.4.1 Announced a session involving the Value Model.

4.4.2 Kenny Boyd and John Davis will be staying on the committee to continue work with the Value Model.

4.4.3 The committee is also working on a Facility Certification Project and the 10/10 Presentations.

5.0 NATA President Jim Thornton

5.1 He praises outgoing District III Director, Marty Baker.

5.2 He also compliments new Director, Pat Aronson.

5.3 He apologies to District III for a lack of representation at the District Meeting and assured the group that next year's meeting will feature representation from the NATA.

6.0 District and National news - Director Aronson

- 6.1 The District of Columbia Athletic Trainer Association is returning and our District will support the group. Veronica Ampey is the Interim President to District Columbia Athletic Trainers Association.
- 6.2 The State of South Carolina has a state association meeting in July.
- 6.3 An update was provided on the next District Meeting. The original site is not a reliable option and therefore a new site is needed. The site selection committee was mobilized. The membership will be informed when a site is secured for the 2014 meeting.
- 6.4 New NATA logo will be revealed at the NATA meeting in Las Vegas.
- 6.5 We have surpassed 40,000 members in the NATA
- 6.6 15,000+ NATA members are in Las Vegas
- 6.7 The General Session seating has been increased to 10,000 plus and an overflow room was added
- 6.8 Attendees were encouraged to attend the General Session and the Hall of Fame Induction
- 6.9 The NATA continues to be in a strong financial position. This will be detailed in the August issue of the NATA News
- 6.10 The Heads-up video is being redone in July 2013
- 6.11 The Inter-Association Consensus Statement on Best Practices for Sports Medicine Management for Secondary Schools and Colleges will be released in July 2013
- 6.12 Vision Quest 3, the Practice Models: Corporate Wellness survey results will be available in July 2013. Vision Quest 4 is working on Economic and Advocacy Research: Athletic Training Outcomes and Cost Containment within Healthcare Facilities seeking grant proposal. The deadline is Oct. 1st.
- 6.13 Current legislation involves the following bill: Protect America's Student Athlete's: Cosponsor H. RES.72. This is the Secondary School Student Athlete's Bill of Rights.
- 6.14 Attendees were encouraged to fill out yellow cards, which would be sent to their representatives as support for the bill.

7.0 Additional Announcement were solicited

- 7.1 Bob Casmus encouraged the attendees to nominate fellow athletic trainers for awards.
- 7.2 Veronica Ampey stated that DC appreciates the support and notified the members that DC would have a social at 8:00 PM at the Public House.
- 7.3 Director Aronson thanked the membership and asked anyone to contact her if they have questions.

8.0 Adjournment – Director Aronson adjourned the meeting at 7:42 PM.

Respectfully submitted by:
Kevin King, LAT, ATC
District III Secretary

