

2011-2012 Oklahoma Division Annual Meeting
April 28, 2012

Attendance: Robert Fiegel, Carolyn Gresham-Fiegel, Chris Rose, Nadia Tucha, Brian Brus, Rick Kirk, Jeff Starkweather, Neil Pickens, Lou Kohlman, Chris Tidwell

Proxies held by Rick Kirk

1. Laura Kirk
2. Adrian Colcisca
3. Karl Welch
4. Robert Welch

The meeting was called to order.

I. Approval of last year's minutes.

Motion: Approve minutes of Annual Meeting, April 23, 2011.

Seconded. Approved Unanimously.

II. Treasurer's Report.

1. The 2010-2011 Oklahoma Division Treasurer's report was presented by Carolyn Gresham-Fiegel.

Motion: Approve Treasurer's Report.

Seconded. Unanimous.

III. Old Business

None.

IV. New Business

A. General Discussion

1. There was discussion of new national rules.
2. There was discussion about the upcoming Sooner State Games.
3. There was discussion about new insurance rules from US Fencing.

B. Division Corporation Reports

1. Carolyn Gresham-Fiegel stated that she has filed the appropriate reports for the Division to retain its corporation status.

C. Tournament Schedule

1. Junior Olympic Qualifying Tournament. It was decided that Redlands Fencing Club

- will host the 2012-2013 Junior Olympic Qualifying Tournament.
2. Oklahoma Division Qualifying Tournament. It was decided Northwest Arkansas Fencing Center will host the 2012-2013 Oklahoma Division Qualifying Tournament.
 3. Oklahoma Division Mixed Team Foil Tournament. It was decided that Oklahoma Sport Fencing will host the 2012-2013 Mixed Team Foil Tournament.
 4. Oklahoma Division Mixed Team Epee Tournament. It was decided that Fayetteville Fencing Center will host the 2012-2013 Mixed Team Epee Tournament.

D. Election of 2011-2012 Officers

Motion: To reaccept the 2011-2012 Divisional officers for the 2012-2013 term.

Chair: Bob Fiegel

Vice Chair: Brian Brus

Treasurer: Carolyn Gresham-Fiegel

Secretary: Christopher Rose

Seconded. Unanimous.

1. Club Representatives were discussed. The following representatives were decided upon.
Oklahoma Sport Fencing Club Representative: Lou Kohlman
Redlands Fencing Center Club Representative: Jason Rutter
Fayetteville Fencing Academy Club Representative: Nadia Tucha
Lawton Family YMCA Fencing Club Representative: Chris Tidwell
Northwest Arkansas Fencing Center Representative: Rick Kirk
Tulsa Fencing Club Representative: Jeff Starkweather

E. Other Business

1. There was discussion about the Oklahoma Division Championship tournament. Lou Kohlman volunteered to design a questionnaire and gather information about what fencers might attend this tournament in the future.
2. There was a question about the registration cutoff dates for the Divisional and Junior Olympic Qualifying tournaments. It was explained that those dates are set by the rules of US Fencing, and cannot be changed by the Division.

Motion: To adjourn the meeting.

Seconded. One opposed.

3. Neil Pickens asked whether the Division coaches training reimbursement program also covered referee training. Carolyn Gresham-Fiegel answered that it does, and that Jerry Benson is the only certified referee trainer in the Division.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Christopher Rose
Oklahoma Division Secretary