

# Fall MCSA Executive Board Meeting #3

## **Meeting Information**

Date: October 15, 2023 Location: Online

*Time:* 19:00 ET - Roll Call *Meeting Type:* Board Meeting

Called By: Nadia Reynold Facilitator: Libby Reeg

Minutes By: Libby Reeg / Nick Zomer / Nadia Reynolds

Attendance: Nadia Reynolds, Nick Zomer, LJ Rutherford, Scott Corder, Geoff Pedrick, Abigail Paul, Molly Sheridan, Libby Reeg

#### **Expected Attendance:**

Board Members: Libby Reeg, Nick Zomer, Sam Bartel, Nadia Reynolds, Ivan Shilov, Abigail Paul, Molly Sheridan, Rachel Bartel, Jack Rutherford, Scott Corder

Others: Carrie Ritter, Geoff Pedrick, George Griswold, Gail Turluck, Craig Mueller, Greg Wilkinson

Absence: Ivan Shilov, Samuel Bartel, Rachel Bartel, Craig Mueller, Gail Turluck, Carrie Ritter, George Griswold, Greg Wilkinson

## **Agenda**

#	Item	Who	Associated Document
1	Call to Order/Roll Call	Nadia	
2	Approval of Fall Board Meeting #2 Meeting Minutes  1. Motioned by: Nadia Reynolds Seconded: Jack Ruthford	Nadia	MCSA 2nd Fall Board Meeting Minutes
3	Board Updates  1. Libby  a. Midwinters Bid from UChicago, to be voted on via email	Various	UChicago Sailing 2024 MCSA

b. Discussion regarding qualification for Fall Champs, agreed that we will follow procedure for inviting teams, for regattas where there was no sailing, next best teams will be invited (ie. at a regatta that is a qualifier the 4th and 5th teams will be invited) until we fill out the roster

### 2. Nick

- a. Trial balance report
  - i. PRO expenses
  - ii. Match race judges request
  - iii. Paying off ICSA dues
  - iv. Double charges from ICSA for Interconference Feesworking with Reed to get fixed
- b. University of Cincinnati MIA
  - i. Working with them to drop rest of the regattas for the year
  - ii. Ivan to touch base and work with them for the new leadership and upcoming midwinters
  - iii. Motion to waive UC drop fees
    - Motioned by: Nick Zomer, Seconded by: Nadia Reynolds

#### 3. Nadia

- a. Weekly emails
  - Include regatta evaluation forms, anything important that comes out of MCSA board meetings
  - ii. Emails in the works
    - 1. Resources
- b. Reaching out to teams about status changes
  - i. Teams I've heard back from:
    - 1. Hope-Yes
    - 2. Grand Valley- Roster #s too low
    - 3. Michigan Tech- No, doesn't have money to fund
    - 4. St Thomas- No reply
    - 5. Michigan State- No reply
    - 6. Indiana- No reply
  - Teams must write a report about their team to be approved to move up to regional status- November 1st due date
- c. Upcoming Championships
  - i. Create list of potential hosts
  - ii. Work with Abigail to communicate with venues

Midwinters Proposal

FY23 10 12 Trial Balance Report

- 4. Ivan
  - a. N/A Not at Meeting
- 5. Abby
  - a. Keeping on top of adds and drops
  - b. Working with Liby on upcoming years regatta schedule \
- 6. Rachel
  - a. Social media updates
- 7. LJ
- a. Drafting next newsletter
  - i. Recap of teams at various events and highlights
- b. Answering tech score
- 8. Molly
  - a. In contact with Katy about fleet and team racing in the spring and clinics
    - i. Want to have a clinic 1-2 weeks before, depends on the availability- waiting to hear back about dates
    - ii. Will contact people at Columbia about running an event there
- 9. Sam
  - a. N/A Not at Meeting
- 10. ICSA Committee Updates
  - a. Scott C
    - i. AQ berths are not at risk currently
    - ii. Need to make sure we are fulfilling our requirements for qualifying regattas- looking good in the eyes on the committee
    - Talks about where the next championships will be as well as shortening the events to 8 days instead of 12
    - iv. Sent spreadsheet for berths coming up regattas
  - b. Geoff Pedrick
    - MAISA raises the questions for the use of smart watches
      - General consent of the committee is not letting sailors use GPS with their watches
      - 2. Limit watch use to timing
      - Ensure difference between keelboat and dinghy (ie. this rule should go into dinghy rules)

5	Adjournment  1. Motioned by: Libby  2. Seconded by: Nick	Libby	
6	Open Forum		