

TFL Executive Committee Meeting
Virtual Meeting
November 8, 2021

Call to Order at 7:03pm

Members In Attendance

1. Keith Pittman- Asheville
2. Crawford Leavoy- Durham Academy
3. Michelle Boswell- Cumberland Polytechnic
4. Mike Bischoff- North Mecklenburg
5. Bilal Butt- Charlotte Latin
6. Ben Denton- Pinecrest
7. Shannon Jarman- Cumberland International
8. Carmen Kohn- Charlotte Catholic
9. RJ Pellicciotta- Cary Academy

Non-Committee Members in Attendance

- Kevita Parsaud -- Cape Fear Academy
- Liz Meine-- Cape Fear Academy
- Beth Tanner- Union Pines High School

Approval of September 2021 Minutes

- Motion to approve by Ben, Seconded by Crawford. Approved by unanimous consent

Treasurer's Report

- \$200 check is still uncashed by hired judge Maggie Blosky, if cashed balance will be \$7909.34
- Motion to stop payment on uncashed check. Approved by consensus
- Motion to accept report by Crawford, Michelle seconds. Approved by consensus

TFL Calendar

- Charlotte Latin is considering hosting a virtual tournament at end of February

State Tournament

- No decision yet on whether the tournament will be moved to a virtual platform.
- A decision on whether to move the tournament to a virtual platform will be made by January 31.
- If returning to in-person, health protocols will be written and shared with schools in advance.
- Lauren Burdt has not yet confirmed availability to be tournament manager

TFL Bid Process

- The Bid sheet is currently up to date.
- Motion to remove bid form requirement and give the Committee the right to review and refuse a tournament's TFL bid. Approved by consensus.

TFL Initiatives

- All schools are struggling with declining student participation. Some schools are finding it beneficial to compete from school buildings to keep up team morale.
- Database of hired judges within the state could be created and shared among coaches.

Sam Ervin Free Speech Award

- Updated name and requirements for the award presented to the committee.
- Discussed giving the vote to the committee, rather than TFL coaches.
- Updates will be made by the subcommittee by the next meeting.

Member School Concerns

- No concerns at this time

Other Business

- Nothing at this time

Next Meeting

- Next meeting will be January 10 at 7pm.

Motion to Adjourn at 8:10pm