

CABA

CENTRAL ARKANSAS BOWLING ASSOCIATION

113 Ponca Drive
Maumelle, Ar 72113

MINUTES FOR Sept 2006

The meeting was called to order by the President, Murray Hamilton, at 11:00 A.M. Sept 23, 2006 at Charlie Alred's House.

Guests : Pam Rowe, Faye Hopf, Betty McMillian, Dee Pridmore

A motion was made by Neil Jenkins seconded by Grady Hopf, that the minutes for May 2006, be approved as presented. MOTION CARRIED.

A motion was made by Doris Jenkins, seconded by Grady Hopf, that the financial statements for July and August 2006, be approved as presented . MOTION CARRIED.

Association Mgr Rpt:

Robbie reported on the following:

- ✍ 33 leagues have sanctioned to this point
- ✍ Number of sanc bowlers by house are as follows: (league may contain duplicates)
 - Enterprise – 325
 - Millennium – 590
 - Pro South – 246
 - Pro West – 53
 - Pro Sherwood – 265
 - Rice Bowling Center – 56
- ✍ Number of paid sanctions to day – 1021 regular, 57 local only, 32 HOF/Board, 11 Sr.
- ✍ Awards given in the month of August
- ✍ Status of Pro West Sanction

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Budget & Audit – Neil presented the reports for July and August and the Propsed budget for the 2006-07 year. Motion was made by Tracy Abbott, seconded by Doris Jenkins that the YABA donation budget be increase from \$500 to \$900. Motion Carried. Amount Budgeted for FICA to be set to corrected amount since association Mgr. salary is now fixed.

Motion to approve July and August Audit and budget by Grady seconded by Tracy. Motion Carried

Motion to approve Proposed 2006-07 Audit and Budget as amended by Grady, seconded by Tracy. Motion Carried.

Special Events – Discussion was held on a “Free Bowl” day in order to gain new interest in youth bowling. Robbie reported that there was interest in doing this by the other 3 local associations, TNBA, CAWUSBCBA and the local youth USBC. The board is in agreement that this event should be pursued and was turned over to the special events committee for follow up.

Hall of Fame – Robbie reminded the board of the Dec 31 cutoff for nominations and that the nomination form could be found on the CABA web site.

Bowler of the Month – Nothing to Report

Tournament – Robbie asked the board to discuss and vote on a venue for the 68th annual championship tournament. He announced that he would not take part in any discussion or voting on this matter because of his affiliation with two of the bowling centers involved.

After discussion a motion was made by Troy and seconded by Grady that the tournament be held at Millennium Bowl and if they could not host the tournament that it be held at Enterprise lanes. The Motion Carried.

Discussion was held regarding the survey presented at the last annual tournament. As a result of the survey results, the board voted that there would be a Sr. singles event added to this years Annual tournament. A Sr. will be defined by bowlers 55 years of age or older at the time of bowling. A motion was made by Tracy, seconded by Grady to this effect. Motion Carried.

The board also considered the survey results concerning changing the format to a 4 man event instead of the current 5 man. The board voted to “Re” survey the bowlers concerning this issue.

Robbie made the motion that the board provide “Beer Koozies” as a participation gift for the annual championship tournament. He proposed that the board purchase 750 “koozies” not to exceed \$750. The motion was seconded by Neal Jenkins and the Motion Carried.

Robbie Asked the board to work on Sponsors for the Annual Tournament.

Current sponsors include:

- ✍ Ebonite
- ✍ Southwest Airlines
- ✍ Hostess
- ✍ Popeyes
- ✍ Meyer Auto Wash
- ✍ Columbia Bowling Products
- ✍ TNBA
- ✍ Brunswick

Hearings - Robbie reported that there have been charges filed against Arlie Yarbrough and that the packet would be forwarded to Jack.

Nominating - Nothing to Report

YABA – Doris reported

- ✍ season had just started
- ✍ the youth state tournament will be held at Millennium Bowl and Pro South in March and April
- ✍ City YABA tournament will be held at South Nov 18th
- ✍ All high schools in the area with the exception of McClellan will participate in High School Bowling this year
- ✍ Ask the board to participate in Pick a kid

Historical and Publicity - Robbie reported that changes are being made to the internet regularly and that there is now a survey form available on line.

Legislative – Nothing to Report

Awards - Robbie presented the board with the “Certificates” given by USBC for the Association High Average and High Series and stated that he thought that they were not appropriate for such distinction.

The board agreed. A motion was made by Doris, seconded by Neal to purchase plaques for these awards.

HOUSE REPORTS

None

OLD BUSINESS

None

NEW BUSINESS

Robbie asked the board members to come up with proposals regarding a City All Star Team for the next meeting.

Motion to adjourn was made by Grady, seconded by Tracy. Motion Carried

Respectfully Submitted,

**Robert Abbott
Secretary/Treasurer**