

MINUTES

ARAA Volleyball Board

Tuesday, June 17th 2025 | 6:00pm | Willy McCoys

In Attendance

- Alex St John, Commissioner PRESENT
- Jen Shimek, Assistant Commissioner PRESENT
- Jennifer Cole, Treasurer/Secretary PRESENT
- Olivia Wolbert, House Director PRESENT
- Katie Jensen Junior Olympic Director PRESENT
- Jackie Hime, Junior Olympic Director PRESENT
- Becky Althoff, Volunteer and Events NOT PRESENT

Meeting called to order: 6:02pm

Approval of Minutes

The minutes were reviewed from the last meeting and approved.

Commissioner Report

- Introductions to potential new member, Abby
- House registrations - gearing towards Anoka/Ramsey area (possibly some Blaine as they don't have a program), trying to keep within the area.
- Roles Discussion - Discussed in April
 - Treasurer roll - potential merge with secretary tasks -
 - Potential: merge rolls for communications between Events/Volunteering, House Director.
 - Potential: Equipment/uniforms would move to each seasons directors and assistance from others
 - Two potential board members sent to Alex for follow up
 - Equipment & Uniforms - potential new member - Abby (PRESENT)
 - Assistant House Director - Potential new member

Treasurer/Budget Report

- Balance: \$22,088.02
- Jenny getting access to bank account
- Working on new method of saving receipts and invoices for easier access.

House Director Report

- Registration open - closes August 1st
 - 42 currently registered
- House Shirts - Quotes
 - Vista Print
 - Rebel
- Youth Night
 - Possible Dates
 - 9/17 Coon Rapids
- Early Bird pricing - voted on - all in favor
 - \$11,040 total for season/\$9,000 @ discounted rate
 - \$9000 payment by August 15th
 - Possibly request partial payment from big board
 - Use extra gym space for open gyms

Junior Olympic Volleyball Report

- Renew JVA in July - approx. \$110
 - Researching JVA Sponsorship program - could bring in \$750 for program
- August 1st - need to request gym space from Anoka-Hennepin
- Gathering quotes for JO uniforms/apparel packages
 - *Midwest Volleyball Warehouse - Local vendor*
 - *BSN*
- Coaches returning for upcoming season
 - 2 potential new JO coach (Peter, coaches the Middle School and helps HS)

Events & Volunteer Report

- Anoka Discount Card - add volleyball to design
 - Finalize design - goal is to finalize 6/18 and have 1000 printed by June 25th
 - \$325 to purchase - sell for \$20
 - Board members will be selling
 - Sign-up sheet with dates of events for selling

Event	Date	Sales Leader
Riverfest	July 12, 2025	Jackie?
Sidewalk Sale	July 25, 2025	
Sidewalk Sale	July 26, 2025	
Food Truck Festival	August 16, 2025	Katie
Fabfest	November 8, 2025	
Small Business Saturday	November 29, 2025	
Tree Lighting	December 6, 2025	

Equipment/Uniform & Communication Report

- JO Uniform quotes in progress
- House shirts - Olivia will do some research

- Maroon base shirt

Action Items (what and by whom)

- Anoka discount card finalized
- Uniform/apparel quotes
- Sign-up sheet with dates of events for selling
- New method for saving receipts

Next Meeting: Wednesday July 23rd - 6pm @ Willy McCoys

Meeting called to end: 7:15pm