



## COLUMBIA EMPIRE VOLLEYBALL ASSOCIATION

*Junior Boys Committee Meeting Minutes*  
Wednesday, February 28, 2024 – 6:45 PM via Zoom

### Committee Members Present:

Tom McKeen, Katie Miller, Jay Kudlicka, Archer Mist, Nerisa Laban.

### Committee Members Absent:

Sean Daugherty

### Guests Present:

Ben Stern

### Staff Present:

Cody March

### Call to Order

- Meeting called to order at 6:46 PM by Tom McKeen.
- Quorum is present.
- Guests acknowledged. No modifications to agenda.

### Old Business

- KPIs will be solidified by next meeting (attendance)
- Tournament recap
  - o Several teams couldn't go to Boise in January due to the weather, but still had 33 teams.
  - o Portland had 46 teams – the largest WBPL event in Portland.
    - Having officials at the event from ERVA and CEVA was very helpful.
    - The level of play was very high.
  - o Mercer Island looks to be a very sizeable tournament (preliminarily 76 teams).
- 58% conversion of open gym participants were full members of CEVA as of 11/13/2023.

### New Business

- CYO / middle school volleyball
  - o Starting as a Fall sport for 3<sup>rd</sup> to 6<sup>th</sup> grade.
  - o Discussion on coaching & coaching clinics for middle school & CYO volleyball groups.
- **Action Item:** Committee to put proposed open gym dates in Slack.
- Non-CEVA teams in Regionals
  - o CEVA teams receive priority.
  - o Next teams in are determined by registration timestamp.
- No appetite for play on the second weekend of Regionals.
- Collegiate club at Regionals – second weekend.
  - o **Action Item:** Tom to reach out to Kevin for details.
- Officiating clinic prior to next season.
  - o Timeframe – after tryouts?

**Board & Committee Recruitment**

- Tom's term expires in June – anybody interested in running for this position can reach out to Tom, Cody, or Sean.

**Good of the Order**

- Boys team camp at Olympus on March 29.
- Discussion of seasonality – Fall vs. Spring.

**Next Meeting**

- Monday, May 20, 2024 – 6:00 PM

**Adjournment**

- Meeting adjourned at 7:48 PM.