WECC Meeting

July 15, 2020, 2020

held via Zoom, at a variety of locales

Attending: Danielle Craigen (P), Alex Corsten (VP), Mike Wilbricht (T),

Doug Herigstad (S), Nicholas Hertelendy

Guests: Edith Lau

Meeting started at 7:02 pm

- 1. Welcome guests!
- 2. Review Minutes from 6/24/20
 - A. Danielle noticed need to change from "Google Dual" to Google Duo"
 - B. Alex moved to approve minutes as corrected, Mike seconded, all said "Aye"
- 3. Treasurer's Report
 - A. nothing of note except interest on CDs
 - B. Mike filed taxes
 - 1. made minor mistake
 - a. first time doing this, keep in mind
 - 2. submitted with same username and password provided by Stan
 - a. \$40.00 charge for something that could have been free
 - 1. service helps make a 5 minute process take 3 minutes
 - 2. lesson learned
 - 3. many examples of others doing the same
 - C. Mike will head to HAPO to set up signature process

D. July Financial Report, end of year fiscal report

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ASSETS				
	Current Assets			
		Checking/Savings		
			200 · HAPO Commercial Account	5,137.09
			210 · HAPO Money Market (0.25%)	5,005.25
			220 · HAPO 48 Month CD (12/23 1.95%)	20,221.85
			230 · HAPO 12 Month CD (12/20 1.50%)	5,042.56
		Total Checking/Savings		35,406.75
	Total Current Assets			35,406.75
TOTAL ASSETS				35,406.75
LIABILITIES & EQUITY				
	Equity			
		30000 · Opening Balance Equity		35,712.53
		32000 · Unrestricted Net Assets		-1,337.21
		Net Income		1,031.43
	Total Equity			35,406.75
TOTAL LIABILITIES & EQUITY				35,406.75

4. Old Business

A. tournaments for 2020-21

- 1. Edith provided current plan for reopening, with respect to after school activities
 - a. adhering to mid-restrictive level
 - 1. most things expected to be virtual only
 - b. won't move to in-person events until Phase 4
 - 1. events can occur without spectators
- 2. do we want to try virtual tournaments, or wait for Phase 4
 - a. a long wait for phase 4
 - b. Nick asked how the virtual State Tournament went
 - 1. tongue in cheek
- 3. Edith has already received feedback from coaches and families that they have no interest in virtual experience
- 4. Danielle intends to draft letter to tournament organizers asking if they will be interested in virtual tournament, if they plan to have chess club at school/virtual
- 5. Alex asked if we have the means to mine emails from previous registrations
 - a. we can send out survey to gauge interest in participating in virtual tournament, or waiting for in-person
 - 1. "very interested," "interested," "somewhat interested"
 - b. without clubs happening, it may be harder to maintain interest
 - c. Mike will date-mine prior registrations to develop email list
 - 1. batch it out, to avoid being tagged as spam
 - 2. blind copy all the recipients
 - 3. Mike can send the list to Alex, who will send it out
 - 4. Mike can share the list with Edith, for her to add names
 - d. include room for Comments, to possibly get new, different ideas
- 6. State Tournament utilized chesskid.com
 - a. already catered to kids, for privacy/safety concerns
 - b. considered best for ease-of-use
- 7. Alex looked into how other chess organizations are doing things
 - a. predominantly reliant upon Chess Kid
- B. Best Practices for website
 - 1. maybe ask Andrew or Gregg for help with Pairings description
 - a. doesn't need to be terribly in-depth
 - b. idea is to de-mystify the process w/o going to far into the weeds
 - 1. tiebreaks
 - 2. importance of first round
 - a. avoiding players from same schools playing each other
 - 2. Doug will reach out to Dave M. to determine if he'd be interested
- C. Status of website update
 - 1, has the security certificate been updated?
 - a. Not yet, Alex working on it
- D. Board email updates
 - 1. Can be addressed later, when laptop is uncovered

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a. not terribly critical just now

- 6. New business
 - A. AIM insurance update
 - 1. Mike will follow up on this
 - B. Action items
 - 1. Doug will contact Dave about Pairings Write-Up
 - 2. Mike will compile list of emails and share with Alex and Edith
 - 3. Danielle will draw up survey to send out to email list
 - 4. Alex will distribute survey in appropriate manner
 - 5. Mike will coordinate signature process at HAPO
- 7. Good of the Order
 - A. Next Meeting Time: Tuesday, August 11, 2020 at 7 pm.
 - B. Alex moved to adjourn meeting, Mike seconded, all said "Aye"

Meeting adjourned at 7:43 pm

Respectfully submitted,

Doug Herigstad