

**First State Gymnastics Board of Directors**  
**Meeting Minutes of Sept 24<sup>th</sup>, 2007**

**Meeting Began:** 6:04pm

**Attendance:** Cheryl Santmyer, Liz Callahan, Maria & Dan Lash, Cheryl Hughes, Michele Lasker, Dana Estrada, Bill Lang, Timi Murray, Beth Thomas, Donna Pester, Nichole & Joe Parker, Dianna Smith, Barbara Sidoriak, Patty Swanson, BJ Annand, Karen Pride, Becky Marshall, Denise McFoy, Kelly Bertrand, Melissa Liott and Teresa Ellis.

**Minutes:** Approved

**Meets:** The schedule is posted on the FSGAA bulletin board as you enter the gym and on the web site. Joe Parker has reserved 35 rooms for the Arnold Classic at the Hampton Inn in Easton. It is \$169 per night. It includes a breakfast buffet, indoor pool, free shuttle to the Arnold Classic, free wireless internet, and a shuttle that travels around the Easton Town Center. Liz Callahan has blocked 5 rooms at the Easton Hilton. The cost is \$149 per night and has an indoor pool and in house restaurant.

For the Friendship Classic Liz has blocked rooms at the Quality Inn & Suites at \$76 per night. Please contact her for more information and how to book your room.

The Aquafina meet host gym is the Sheraton. If you go on the Aquafina web site you can book a room through there. It is \$89 per night.

Please let Cheryl Hughes know if you will be attending the Cancun Classic or not. She is setting up the roster and needs to have a definite count. You can e-mail her at [chughes@wsfsbank.com](mailto:chughes@wsfsbank.com).

The Yurchenko meet will require parents signing a waiver before their daughter is allowed to compete. Cheryl will be sending the waiver out soon. Please give this your attention as soon as you receive it.

The state meet for levels 4-6 will be hosted by FSGAA pending approval from Mary Allison Bradley, who is the state director. Kim will be applying for the position when Mary Allison vacates it.

**Vice President:** The communication chair became open when Michele Lutzetsky left the gym. Beth Thomas volunteered for the position and Maria Lash approved it. The new meet coordinator will be BJ Annand. She will send out more information on the hotels for the meets. We are still in need of Level 7, 9 and 10 reps. Please let Dana Estrada know if you will do one of these positions.

**Secretary:** We are still missing 12 parent contracts. If you have not filled one out, please download it off the web site, fill it out and return it to the gym or e-mail it to Teresa at [jeffssportster@yahoo.com](mailto:jeffssportster@yahoo.com). I will be sending out individual e-mails to those families that I am still missing contracts from.

**Treasurer:** The next assessment is due October 1<sup>st</sup>. Please either turn it in at the desk or put it in the FSGAA mailbox.

**Finance Committee:** The number of meet that the level 4's and 5's are attending is different than originally budgeted for; the committee will discuss a possible change in dues for these two levels only. There will also be a change in dues for those girls changing levels. You will be notified by the finance chair if your daughter's assessments have increased or decreased.

**Fundraising:** We raised \$231 from the bake sale on Saturday during the open house. Thanks to all who participated or donated items. The poker tournament raised \$249. We were unaware that 2 other tournaments were planned for the same night and did not take into consideration the NASCAR race in Dover. Taking all this into consideration, it is great that we came out with a profit. They are planning another tournament for October. Thanks to the Bertrands for running the poker night and thanks to everyone who volunteered their time.

The bulb orders are due Oct 1<sup>st</sup>. Please turn these in to the front desk with only one check for the entire order made out to the FSGAA.

The next fundraiser will be the Cinderella Cheesecakes. They are frozen cheesecakes that are pre cut into 16 pieces and come in 6 different flavors. They will be in for Thanksgiving. This is a great selling point and you will have customers wanting to purchase them every year. They are that good. Thank you Becky Marshall and Donna Pester for taking over the chair position for this fundraiser.

Toyota has offered to let us use the automatic car wash on a Sunday for 6 hours as a fundraiser. All we need to do is make signs and dry the cars after they have run through the wash. All proceeds, \$6.00 per car, go directly to the FSGAA.

**Team Leos & Warm Ups:** The warm ups are in and the leos should be mailed this week. As soon as everything is here and divided up, they will be handed out to the girls.

A back pack has been decided on. You will be receiving a choice of how your daughter's name will be embroidered.

**News from Slava & Joan:** First State is looking for another coach. An ad has been placed with the USAG. Right now it is a part time position but hopefully turn into full time with more class enrollment. Slava & Kim will handle level 5 through 10 with Shannon sometimes helping out. Shannon Baker will be the level 4 coach with Monet Wright and Patricia Renshaw assisting. Patricia Renshaw will also be the ballet instructor. Shannon Baker will also be the Rising Stars coach.

If you have any questions, please contact Slava by either e-mail or call him on his cell phone.

The next meeting will be held October 25<sup>th</sup> 6:00 pm in the loft.

Teresa Ellis