

RIO GRANDE VALLEY BASKETBALL CHAPTER, TASO, EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING 2-03-16

Meeting called to order by President Carlos Guerra at 8:00 pm, Weslaco, TX. Present: Carlos Guerra, Robert Torres, Carl Contrata, Freddy Martinez, Felix Zavala, Dion Gobellan, Juan Quirioz, Jess Maldonado, and Vicky Zepeda.

The 10-14-15 board meeting minutes were approved as read.

NEW BUSINESS

The Top Crew chapter vote was canvassed. All votes were tallied. The results were shown to all Board members. The nine candidates receiving the most votes in alphabetical order were Tommy Bermudez, Eddie Duran, Rollie Flores, Victor Garza, Celso Gonzalez, Sergio Hernandez, Nelson Juarez, Freddy Martinez, and Robert Torres.

Discussion ensued. It was decided that the Board would rank all nine members. The rankings would determine which crew each member would be placed within beginning with the highest on down. The top crew for boys would be the same for the girls.

Each Board member ranked all nine members; submitted their ranking to President Guerra. The president will tally the rankings; create three crews based on the rankings. The crews and their order will be the same for both the top boys and top girls crews. The president will submit the crew results to Secretary Contrata for processing and submission to the UIL on the Top Crews List form.

1st Vice President Robert Torres described a situation that occurred after a recent Rowe HS boys' varsity basketball game. Coach Yebra entered the official's dressing room after the game. A few calls were discussed. Acting Rowe HS athletic coordinator Robert Flores intervened during the discussion and pledged this would not happen again. The outcome of the discussion was the officials felt uncomfortable given the situation.

It was reported to the Board that Celso Gonzalez allegedly chest bumped the RGC girls' varsity basketball coach during a recent game. The girls' coach would like Celso to apologize. Carlos stated he will call Celso to discuss the incident; possibly advise to issue an apology.

Felix motioned to adjourn; the motion carried.