

AMERICAN SOKOL - BOI  
Minutes of March 13, 2013 Meeting

This meeting opened at 7:30 p.m. by Sis. M. Fiordelis at the American Sokol Office in Brookfield, Illinois and via teleconference. The Pledge of Allegiance was led by EllenJeanne Schnabl. The following BOI members were present: Maryann Fiordelis, Juanita LoGiudice, Bev Domzalski, Allison Gerber, Jane Wise, Howie Wise, Chuck Kalat, Jan Kalat, Bob Kucera, Joe Kucera, Tom Pajer, Todd Yatchyshyn, Mary Cushing and EllenJeanne Schnabl. Excused: Barb Vondra, Kathy Barcal and Nadia Leary.

CONGRATULATIONS:

To Kandi Pajer for qualifying for Team USA Women's Gym Wheels for Worlds in July.

MINUTES:

- Minutes of the February 13, 2013, meeting were reviewed.

MOTION made by Bro. T. Pajer to accept the February 13, 2013, ASO-BOI meeting minutes, seconded by Bro. B. Kucera and passed.

BILLS:

- Bro. Dostal, purchase of 2-packet DVD of the 2012 COS Slet performances, \$29.00.

MOTION made by Sis. M Cushing to approve the bill, seconded by Sis. A. Gerber and passed.

CORRESPONDENCE:

- See attached Correspondence Report dated March 13, 2013.

OTHER OLD AND NEW BUSINESS

2013 SPORTS FESTIVAL

- There is 104 days to the beginning of the 2013 Sports Festival. There is a visual countdown to opening ceremonies on the ASO web site.

Registration

- Registration on the ASO web site is up and running.

- Sis. Fiordelis gave a quick review of the registration site information.

- E-mail blasts went out to all ASO groups informing them of the registration information. There will also be announcements in the Sports Festival Bulletin, Directors' Newsletter and ASO publication.

- Units can register teams. All individuals must register themselves individually even if they are part of a team.

- Registration deadline is May 17, 2013.

- Tickets and passes will be given out in packets at the start of the Sports Festival.

- Tickets can be purchased directly at the Festival for each event.

- Discussion followed regarding rules allowing 4-5 year olds to compete at this event. Per USAG guidelines, boys below the age of 6 years old cannot compete. BOI leadership to decide on whether to allow 4-5 year olds to compete or not depending on further investigation.

Volunteers

There are many volunteers needed prior to and during the Sports Festival. Review the Sports Festival Action List to see where volunteers are needed. Sis. B. Kucera will put together lists of volunteers and activities.

Miscellaneous

- In the next Newsletter, there will be guidelines for the outfits to be worn for the folk dance event.

#### NATIONAL SUMMER CAMP

- Camp will be hosted by Sokol Detroit. The dates have been changed to July 27 through August 3, 2013.

- The early bird enrollment date is May 1, 2013 with a price of \$375.00. It will be \$400.00 after that date.

#### NATIONAL WEEKEND INSTRUCTORS SCHOOL

- Bro. T. Yatchyshyn made a request on behalf of Charity who wants to hold an Instructors' School over the weekend of August 2-4, 2013, in Monesson for Sokol USA.

- Theresa Vernon of Western District is going to set one up. Sis. A. Gerber will remind Theresa.

- Sis. M. Cushing will do a follow-up to see if anyone else is interested in holding a weekend course.

#### SENIOR FITNESS DAY

- This will be the second year ASO is supporting this event. Sis. LoGiudice sent out all the information for anyone interested in participating.

- Sokol KHB and Sokol Detroit are already registered for this event.

#### FITNESS CHALLENGE

- Results have not yet been received.

#### PROGRAM USAGE SPREADSHEET

- It was felt numbers would be more appropriate rather than just check marks.

- It was suggested to send this to the units rather than districts. It can be sent along with the attendance forms.

- On the program coordinator list, personal e-mail addresses were listed. Bro. Pajer will insert Sokol e-mail addresses.

#### BOI DIRECTORS' DEVELOPMENT CONFERENCE

- Sokol Corpus Christi is interested in holding this event at their facility. It was felt this is too far to go for most people and travel might be expensive.

- Anyone else interested in hosting this event should contact Sis. M. Fiordelis.

#### SCHOOL BOARD ACTION LIST

- School Board Action List had no new items listed.

#### BOI ACTION LIST

- Action list was reviewed; an updated copy is posted on the BOI members' web site.

#### 2013 SLET ACTION LIST

- Slet Action List was reviewed.

- The next regular ASO-BOI meeting will be held on Wednesday, April 10, 2013, at 7:30 p.m.

There was no further business to discuss. Meeting adjourned at 8:45 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,  
Beverly R. Domzalski, Secretary