

GRROOTMA Meeting Minutes **COMMITTEE**
January 2, 2024

Attending: Heather Campo, Jodi Antin, Mary Beth Lenzi, Mike Farrell, John Haley, Greg Schweers, Tom Miller, Emily Antin, Joyce Bernard, Kristen Lee, Gwen Marx, Dan Christiansen, Terri Northrup, Mary Beth Sullivan, and Seth O'Brien

1. **Meeting Called to Order At:** 6:30 PM
2. Approval of December 5, 2023, minutes, motion one Tom Miller, motion two, Jodi Antin, all approved, minutes are now on record.
3. **Status Reports:**
 - **Financial:** Mike Farrell reported that we currently have \$11,066.58. Mike also reported that we received a \$500 donation from Wegmans, thank you to Heather Campo.
4. **2024 Tournament Update:**
 - Tournament Director Joyce Bernard reported that things are progressing on schedule. Joyce has scheduled the Problem Captain walk though for January 2024. She will reach out to Problem Captains with time slots. The coaches/parents letter is being updated and will go out in February.
5. **Regional Directors Report:**
 - Tournament location will be at Pittsford CSD on March 2, 2024
 - Team specific clarifications can take up to two weeks for a reply, teams must log in to see the answer, they will not get an email response anymore.
 - NYS Tournament: Saturday April 13, 2024, NYS Fairgrounds, Syracuse
 - World Finals: May 21-24, 2023, Iowa State University ***Date Change due to a conflict on campus**
 - NYSOMA will continue posting Spontaneous Practice Problems on their website
 - Reminder any OOTM Logo must be approved by the State if used on team shirts etc.
6. **GRROOTMA Updates:**
 - **Team Registration:** John Haley reported that we have 66 teams registered.
 - **Spontaneous Workshop:** West Irondequoit January 13, 2024, 9:00am-1:00pm Tom Miller reported that we have 60 people signed up with 30 paid.
 - **Judges Training:** February 1, 2024, 6:30-8:30 General Session and Problem Specific February 8, 2024, in Fairport
 - **Judges Training:** in West Irondequoit at IHS February 3, 2024, 8:30-10:30 General Session and 10:30-12:30, Problem Specific.
 - **Tournament Judges:** Tom Miller reported that we have 51 registered judges so far. He will continue to send District Coordinators their judges totals.
 - **Purchasing:** Heather reported that the pin order was placed in December,
 - **Scholarship:** The form is being updated and will be sent to district coordinators so they can send it to Seniors.
 - **Reminder:** Program Ads are due by February 9, 2024
7. **Meeting adjourned: 8:15pm**
 - Next meeting February 6, 2024, at 7:15pm
 - Submitted by: Mary Beth Lenzi