

WEVA BOD Meeting Agenda

Date: Monday, January 12, 2026

Location: T.F. Brown's, Batavia, NY

Time: 6:00 PM

Attendance: T. Schneider, C. D'Errico, D. Hickson, F. Cwiklinski, A. Chavers, M. Pentz, R. Majeski, W. Page, M. Trznadel, R. Repich, R. Lucci, B. Murdie



Meeting Minutes from November 2025 Meeting – Sent via email

Approved via email vote: 10 - 0 - 0 approved on 11/XX/2025

Call to order: R.Lucci 6:20 PM

President's Report (Lucci)

- AVCA Convention, Kansas City, MO December 2025: Attended several clinics, most important was with Ruth Nelson- focuses a lot on volleyball starting with younger ages. Looking to bring her to Buffalo for clinics.
- MAAPP posters (**M**inor **A**thlete **A**buse **P**revention **P**olicies): Rocco made posters to be made visible at each WEVA event- these posters will be placed at each site hosting events in our region.
- WEVA 12U Boys teams showcased prior to RWU Men's Volleyball game on Sat. 1/10: before the game a 12U boys game was played- nice to showcase the younger ages.
- Katherine "Kitty" Tytler (Dave Tytler's wife) passed away 12/8/25, Dave was a long-time Board member, WEVA sent a donation to *Livingston County Hospice* in her name

Registrars Report (Page):

- See attached

Financial Report (Page):

- See attached
- WEVA will be allotting money for a donation to the International Volleyball Hall of Fame
- Motion to accept: Cindy D., Frank C.
- Passed 10-0-0

Tournament Report (Praller)

- 2025-26 season events are underway; 46 total sanctioned events, to date
- Many clubs (still) owe sanction fees
- "Scrimmage" option added to tournament sanction application – deviations from WEVA Tournament guidelines (ex: no officials, timed games)

Officials Report (Cwiklinski):

- Positive upswing on the numbers of officials added.
- Updated a few rule changes

Beach Report (Majeski)

- NOVA/WEVA agreement fee for 2026- looking to add a tournament in Buffalo as well to increase participation with juniors.
- Looking to decide to host a national qualifier? Issues finding a date that won't conflict with club practices and preparation for Nationals.
- The Juneteenth tournament (June 19)at Charlotte Beach is still a "go".

Junior Business Report (D'Errico):

- See attached
- Looking for people to train to be "site coordinators".

Serve & Receive Grant (Praller)

- Applications Reviewed (Dec. 10), Awards Finalized (Dec. 15) Checks Mailed (Dec. 30)- applications were open to submit from Nov 1- Nov 30, 2025.
- 22 Serve & Receive Grant checks totaling \$34,500

Old Business

- WEVA Handbook update – action item; still being updated and adjusted.
- Boys Volleyball- no changes/updates
- Recruiting / Spirit of WEVA: Still working on this document.

New Business

- Recruiting Proposal Policy
- Multiple Club Participation Policy: Athletes looking to play on teams for tournaments and practice with other teams at the same time. Their hopes are to gain extra practice and training. Must be in agreement with both club directors.
- WEVA clinic series: allow clubs to set up clinics for coaches- notify Rocco and Ryan, and complete the form on the WEVA homepage to run a clinic.
- Coaches reimbursement for attending clinics/conferences.

Adjourn Board Meeting:

- 1st motion: Ryan Repich
- 2nd motion: Brittany Murdie
- 8:10 PM

Next BOD Meeting

- Date: March 2, 2026
- Location: T.F. Brown's, Batavia, NY