



ABC Board May 2020 Board Meeting

Thursday, May 21, 2020 9:00pm ET

Zoom Meeting: Meeting ID: 840 3830 0868

MINUTES

- *USAWS-WS Return to Play Guidelines (attached)*
USAWS starting sanctioning on 5-18-20. Need to abide by State & Local Laws 1st. Recommend all skiers and officials sign the Covid Waiver. Taking temperature is not required. Safety personnel should be one on one with person in emergency. Jet skis too close. Possibly have a boat instead for picking up skiers. Possibly a jet ski pulling a tube or board to pick up skiers.
- *Barefoot Guidelines (see attached)*
Discussion was held on the Guidelines that Tournament Directors will use.
- *COVID Waiver (see attached)*
Discussion was held and recommended that this waiver be used for all tournaments.
- *2020 Barefoot Nationals*
Discussion was held. Need to give automatic waiver for Regionals to skiers if the region is not comfortable holding their regional tournament. Not ordering shirts or awards right now. Will mail out awards later. Possibly separate podium 6 feet apart. Will practice social distancing. Will keep things fluid on holding Nationals. Right now, we are planning on holding Nationals but we will reassess in early August and make a decision then on holding or cancelling the event.
- *Vote on 2020 ABC Rulebook (attached)*
Discussion was held on the changes. There is one change needed to take the money off the protest form.

MOTION: If a Regional Tournament is not held, or the State does not allow the Regional Tournament to be held, then skiers get an automatic waiver to go to Nationals. Discussion was held. Motion approved unanimously.

MOTION: Adopt the 2020 ABC Rulebook as published with one change which is the taking the money off the protest form. Discussion was held. Motion approved unanimously.

ATTENDEES:

Deanna Dean
Tina McCauley
Paul Adams
Betsy Gilman
Blake Ehlers
Sam Dubs
Chad Sullivan
Jerry Kanawyer
Andrew Martin
Sean Qualey
Andrea Formella
Mike Caruso
Eric Rankin
Todd Fipps