

USA Boxing, Hawaii Association

LBC 39 – REGION 13

2021 USA BOXING, HAWAII ASSOCIATION ANNUAL MEETING MINUTES

Sunday, January 23, 2022

I. Call to order

With the presence of a quorum, the meeting was called to order by President Eiichi Jumawan on Sunday, January 23, 2022 at 3:15 pm, with a Zoom meeting originating from Pearlside Boxing Gym 2045 Lauwiliwili St. #810, Kapolei, HI 96707.

II. Roll call

Present:

Eiichi Jumawan – President
Joel Kim – Vice President and Chief of Officials
Robyn Jumawan – Registration Chair
Michael Pruitt – Treasurer
Misty Padilla – Kona Gold Boxing Club
Rudy Valentino – Unattached (Hawaii Boxing Club)
Ryan Hokama – Unattached (HiTek Boxing Club)
Shai Cadiz – Unattached (HiTek Boxing Club)
Ryan Mossman – Rugged Cross Boxing
Lyndon Patricio – Aiwohi Athletics
Guy Orogo – Unattached
Tricia Kort – Figueroa Boxing Club
Landon Kim – Ko’olauloa Boxing Club
Kaipo Midro – Midro’s Den
Celeste Baxa – Pearlside Boxing
Matt Yandora – Unattached (Oahu)
Luis Rivera – Countryside Boxing
Marvin Martinez – 94Box
Joel Vallete – FamBam Boxing
Bruce Faulkner – Unattached (on Maui)
Kevz Agustin – Unattached (Kingsman Boxing)
Daniel Landford – Westside Striking
Gaylord Vilorio – 94 Block Boxing
Gerard Galios – Unattached (on Maui)

Not Present:

Angel Aiwohi – Secretary - Excused
Tiara Willis – Athlete Representative - Excused

Lawrence "Trey" Olive – Athlete Representative - Excused

III. Approval of minutes from last meeting

There were no minutes to be approved.

IV. Open Issues:

Eiichi greeted everyone and thanked them for taking the time to get on the call via Zoom.

a) President's report and items for discussion which included the following:

- 1) Back to Boxing:** Eiichi Jumawan said he was especially proud of Hawaii boxers and their coaches. He explained that we held our first and only 2021 sanctioned event in November, which was the USA Boxing Annual Spar Day. It was exciting to have numerous clubs there and this also completed the USA Boxing requirement for a test event using Back to Boxing Covid procedures. At that event, several boxers were recognized for their performances in the last 2 years.

First, he announced how proud he was to report that Hawaii made history coming home with the most ever National Boxing Champions from a USA Boxing Championship tournament in Hawaii Amateur Boxing History! He announced the champions of the 2021 National Junior Olympic Championships held in Lubbock, Texas in July were as follows:

Pee Wee 8, 65 lb.	Zailah Spencer
Pee Wee 65 lb.	Chaeypin Balubar
Pee Wee 90 lb.	Zaydi Canoy-Cabagua
Bantam 101 lb.	Teeko Cottrell
Intermediate 80 lb.	Nevaeh Lavarias
Intermediate 110 lb.	Taydee Paglinawan
Intermediate 114 lb.	Alexis Tangaro
Intermediate 119 lb.	Azariah Cottrell
Intermediate 132 lb.	Zahriah Cottrell
Intermediate 145 lb.	Shaylee Agasiva

Also recognized at the Sparring Day were:

Shera Mae, Sheelyn and Lorenzo Patricio and their coach and father, Lyndon Patricio, for winning the 2020 National Championships and being the **1st Family in Hawaii** to have three siblings win and come home with National Championship Gold.

The 2nd Family with three Nat'l Champions was the Cottrells at the 2021 Nat'l J.O.s Teeko Cottrell (Bantam 101 lb.), Azariah (Intermediate 119 lb.), and Zariah (Intermediate 132 lb.)

Jordan Panthen for winning in the 2020 165 lb. Elite Male division and advancing to represent Team USA in the Men's World Championships.

Eiichi further reported that Hawaii did even better at the 2021 National Championships in Shreveport, Louisiana (bringing home 11 National Champions!)

Tehyana Tagalog won unopposed at Bantam Female 55 lbs
Chaeypin Balubar won at Bantam Female 65 lbs
Izlyn Shirley won at Bantam Female 75 lbs
Teeko Cottrell won at Bantam Female 106 lbs
Angelique Tangaro won unopposed at Intermediate Female 65 lbs
Zariah Cottrell won unopposed at Intermediate Female 138 lbs
Sefo Mailo Carter won Intermediate Male 132 lbs
Lorenzo Patricio won at Jr. Male 90 lbs
Alexis Tangaro won at Jr. Female 114 lbs
Azariah Cottrell won at Jr. Female 132 lbs
Jazzelle Bobadilla won at Elite Female 110 lbs.

Additionally, there were 6 Silver Medalists and 7 more reached the quarterfinals and will be ranked in the top 10 in the USA after losing by split decision to the #1 seed and defending National Champions.

Eiichi kept saying how proud he was of Hawaii athletes, given the COVID situation and is looking forward to what the future holds once these boxers can fight locally.

- 2) **Financial Report:** (approval of 2021 budget). Eiichi Jumawan deferred this subject to Treasurer Michael Pruitt.
 - 3) **COVID Shutdown:** Discussion occurred regarding boxing being basically shut down for the past year. We are hoping to start up again as soon as we have venues and most importantly, certified officials.
 - 4) **Calendar of Events:** General discussion arose regarding the upcoming National Championships, proposed local events, event protocol, physicians for events, and venues, etc.
- b) **Vice-President's/ Chief of Officials report:** Joel Kim greeted everyone and explained that he and Mike Pruitt had attended the 2021 Nationals in Shreveport, Louisiana where they both tested and advanced to Level III's and are Certified Clinicians. A new position called

OIC (Official in Charge) has been established and both Mike Pruitt and Joel Kim have been Certified as OIC's. An OIC must be at every sanctioned boxing event from now on! He led general discussion regarding clinics, clinicians, the Officials Pathway and reminded everyone that there is a new rulebook in effect. He went over the registration process and what everyone needs to do to become a certified official, explaining that every official must attend at least 1 live clinic per year. To upgrade to Level 3, you must test at a National Clinic. Bruce Faulkner asked if there would be clinics on the outer island and Joel explained that was the goal. As of 2023, the OIC will replace the supervisor position at events, basically doing the same thing except with more authority and responsibility. To become an OIC, you must be a Level 2 or higher and attend OIC training at a national tournament. An open book test will be given that you will have 2 hours to complete and pass with a 90%. Joel further explained that each clinician must put on at least 1 clinic per year and must attend 2 National Tournaments as an official. He explained you cannot go as both a Coach and an Official.

- c) **Treasurer:** Mike Pruitt explained that all financial documents were in compliance and gave a general accounting of expenses and income received. The 2022 budget was presented with basically no changes from 2021 and everyone was given a chance to review and ask questions. There were no questions.
- d) **Secretary:** There was no Secretary's report as Angel Aiwohi was not present.
- e) **Registration Chair:** Robyn Jumawan greeted everyone and said it was great to see everyone's faces. She feels lucky to be the registration chairperson because even though there hasn't been a lot of boxing, people have still registered so she has still been communicating with membership. She went over this year's membership fees and discussed new registrations procedures. She welcomed 6 new clubs; they are:

East Kauai Boxing
FamBam Boxing
IQ Boxing
Rugged Cross Boxing
Thunder Boxing
94 Box

She reported that as of January 23rd, there are 19 registered clubs. Usually, there are about 35 at this time, but 16 that usually register haven't yet. We expect they will when they see boxing resume. There are 124 current members – 81 athletes and 43 non-athletes.

Robyn also lamented that we lost 3 very key and long-time boxing members who passed away since the last annual meeting. They are **Stu Okumura**, **Clarence Senarighi** and most recently, **Joe Maui**. She explained that all 3 men were integral members of the LBC and contributed greatly. They will be sorely missed and their shoes hard to fill. A Celebration

of Life will be held for Joe on Saturday, January 29th, the same day as the Official's clinic. She explained the clinic was going to be cancelled, but Joe's family said he would not want that. So, we will be proceeding with the clinic as scheduled. Luis Rivera also mentioned his coach who recently passed, **Peter Grach** who primarily practiced Muay Thai. Luis announced that his funeral would be on February 18 and if anyone wanted more information to contact him.

V. New Business:

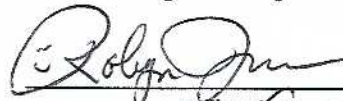
a) Discussion/Vote on Budget for 2022

Robyn Jumawan made a motion that the proposed 2022 budget be approved by the Board of Governors. The motion was seconded by Luis Rivera and passed unanimously.

b) Other – Discussion arose again about events and clinics. Misti Padilla and Rudy Valentino both expressed their interest in holding both clinics and events on the Big Island. They would like this done as soon as possible. Joel said to see what happens after this first clinic and hopefully we could get over there soon, although he reminded everyone that officials and clinicians are volunteers, and they have busy lives as well.

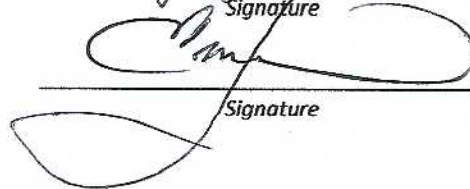
VI. Adjournment: A motion was made to adjourn the meeting by Robyn Jumawan and was seconded by Joel Kim. The motion passed unanimously, and the meeting was adjourned at 4:32 pm.

Minutes submitted by: **Robyn Jumawan, Reg Chair**


Signature

2/1/22
Date

Minutes approved by: **Eiichi Jumawan, President**


Signature

Feb. 1, 2022
Date