**Creek Board Meeting Notes**

**Date**: August 25, 2025

**Time**: 6:09 PM

**Attendees**:

*Brandi Cowan, Felisha Wade, Nancy Treadway, Owen Gill, Ellen Thigpen, Debbie Butler, Marc Elmore, Dabrina Moore, and Kerri Thieben*

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**Called to order by:** Ellen Thigpen

**Key Discussion Points:**

**ADMINISTRATIVE REPORT:**

1. **Multiple attachments shared** 
   1. Track Etiquette no changes or comments, motioned by Board by Ellen/ Second by Felisha.
   2. Injury Protocol no comments motioned to approve by Brandi second by Ellen
   3. Discipline Protocol no comments motioned to approve by Felisha second by Ellen.
   4. All have been placed on website for parents to sign. Also will be placed on BAND site
2. **Job application for student coaches reviewed**
   1. Each coach will complete
   2. Coaches zoom meeting on 03Sep
   3. no comments motioned to approve by Ellen and second by Owen
3. **Coach development** 
   1. Program now a USA Track and Field member
   2. Debbie, Nancy, Sunny, Marc, and Tina as members
   3. Training to be completed online
   4. Sunny completed Bridge to Level 1 certification
   5. Goal to have 100% completed for coaches
   6. First Aid & CPR training $37 pp. Board approved charges unanimously.
   7. Recognition Awards to be added as per nomination process. Trophies possibly to be used pending cost. Details to be discussed.
   8. Badging requirements resulting in scrutinizing which adults return. The cost approximately $100 or more pp.
   9. Moving from grade division to age division. Coaches approved aligning w/USATF
      1. Divisions: 7U, 8u, 9u, 10u,12u and 14u
4. **No more mini program now a 7U program** 
   1. Limit to 15 kids
5. **Meet schedule** 
   1. 7U early
   2. Field events early
   3. 8u thru 14u (girls then boys)
   4. 1600 first track event
6. **Practice changes** 
   1. Mid distance back to training ( 800/1600only)
   2. Long sprint training station for 400m
   3. Short sprint group
7. **Website Updated for Lead adult coaches**
8. **Winter program approved by BTHS**
   1. Monday and Wednesday
   2. Nancy will get portable lights for long jump during practice.
   3. Pricing is the same; meet fee is rolled into cost ($15 fee)
   4. Peachjar ads have been purchased; goes out next week
   5. Start date Nov. 18th ending Mar 2nd or 1st
   6. Sunday meets remain JTC community meet will be part of Creeks meet schedule.
   7. Lost Pole Vault coach ; pending a new coach to fill in the gap.
   8. Registration to run thru January.
   9. All uniforms to be picked up at the track this year. One pick up Dec 8th and second Jan 5th.
      1. Fee for delivery at track being rolled into cost of uniform ($5)
   10. Sprint/ Hurdle camp after spring break
9. **Member-at-Large**
   1. Two member at large
   2. Tina and Rene to be voted in next meeting

**FINANCIAL REPORT**

**$**16797.26 = current balance

Next meeting date Sep 22nd at 630pm.

**Meeting adjourned at 6:39 PM**