

## West Carroll Recreation Council Meeting Minutes, March 10, 2025

### Members Present

- Stephanie Clavell
- Penny Rockwood
- Carrie A
- Jenny Hobbs
- Eric Myers
- Kyle Myers
- Nicole Boyer
- Brian Melody
- Becky Kishter

**Meeting Call to Order** – Stephanie C. (President) called the meeting to order at 7:02 pm in the New Windsor Community Room.

**Secretary's Report** – Will Review February minutes at April Meeting.

**President's Report** – Stephanie C. provided the following update...

- FOCCRP will go over historical field use at Thursday's meeting.
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**Vice-President's Report** –provided the following update...

- Nothing to report

**Treasurer's Report** – Carrie. provided a report for January 2025 ending balance was \$41,802.65 on February 28, 2025. \$1,000.00 was paid for stack sports to keep WCRC website. Since no registration goes through this site wit would be \$300 a year. We need to look into another website that doesn't cost. Jenny made a motion to approve the report with a second from Eric. The report was approved by unanimous consent.

**County Rep Report** – Becky Kishter. provided the following update:

- Updated Volunteer List 2/26/25.
- "Coach Beyond Maryland" survey (attached)

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Dear City of Rockville Youth Sports Coaches,

We are thrilled to share an exciting opportunity to work with the **University of Maryland** on a new coaching training initiative called **Coach Beyond Maryland**. This initiative is designed to **strengthen the youth sports system** by providing coaches with valuable tools to support young athletes beyond just technical skills—focusing on **mental health, life skills, and creating positive team environments**.

As part of this effort, we ask that you take a few minutes to complete a short survey to help identify gaps in coaching education and training. Your input will directly influence the development of future training and resources provided by the University of Maryland.

### What is Coach Beyond Maryland?

Coach Beyond Maryland is a **collaborative effort** led by experts in **kinesiology, public health, athletics, and medicine** at the University of Maryland, with partners such as **Alston for Athletes** and the **Society of Health and Physical Educators-Maryland**. It is part of the national **Million Coach Challenge**, alongside organizations like **U.S. Soccer Foundation, Little League International, Girls on the Run International, and Nike**.

The initiative's mission is to:

- ✓ Establish a statewide collaborative to improve youth sports in Maryland.
- ✓ Raise awareness about the importance of coaching beyond just technical skills.
- ✓ Improve coaching practices by training **7,500 coaches** in key areas like supporting **mental health, developing life skills, and fostering positive team environments**.
- ✓ Offer **FREE in-person and online training** in nine different coaching modules.

### Help Shape This Initiative – Complete the Survey

To better understand the needs of coaches in Maryland, they are conducting a short survey through **LifeSports and Coach Beyond at The University of Maryland**, in partnership with **The Ohio State University**. Your feedback will help inform future training, resources, and professional development opportunities.

### Complete the Survey

Thank you for your time and dedication to youth sports. We appreciate your support in helping to shape a stronger coaching community!

Thank you!

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**Derrick Thompson**  
Sports Supervisor

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**Area Coordinator Report** – Penny R. provided the following update:

- FSK booked for Basketball
- FSK booked for Running Tournament
- Certificate of insurance needs a minimum of 2 weeks to the coordinator
- Doors cannot be propped open at any schools.

**NW Liaison Report** – Eric M. provided the following update:

- N/A

**UB Liaison Report** – Brad R. provided the following update:

- N/A

**TT Liaison Report** – Kyle M. provided the following update: N/A

### **Programs-**

Need to know if anyone still needs to take training

### **Old Business –**

A whole new wrestling board is coming in. Kent asked when they could take the R&P training.

### **New Business –**

N/A

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**Wrap Up/Announcements** – Eric made a motion to adjourn at 7:21 pm and Kyle seconded. Our next meeting is scheduled for Monday, March 10, 2025 @ 7:00pm at the New Windsor Community Center.

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*Respectfully Submitted – 2025 WCRC Secretary, Jenny Hobbs*