

D-II SIDA BOARD CALL (TUESDAY, MAY 15, 2012)

Greg Goings, DII-SIDA President, presiding

On the call: Anne Abicht (S. Cloud St.), April Emory (Elizabeth City State), Blake Timm (Pacific), Bob McComas (Slippery Rock), Dennis Jezek (Barry), Jeff Ligney (GLIAC), John Kean (Missouri S&T), Ray Simmons (Southern Indiana), Roy Pickerill (Kentucky Wesleyan) and Sarah Meier

Not on the call: Chad Jackson (Armstrong Atlantic), Chuck Sadowski (Bridgeport), Dan Wilkes (Pittsburg State), Gene Cassell (Washburn), John Humenik, Keith Smith (Nova), Rich Herman (Clarion) and Tom DiCamillo

Commenced at 1:02pm (EST)

- **Greg Goings (President) asks for agenda items for 2012 CoSIDA Convention in Saint Louis.**

StatCrew

- Basketball subcommittee has had limited feedback from StatCrew since December.
- Comments: next generation basketball input is usable but reports generation is an issue.
- Roy Pickerill says we should have most things in place in St. Louis
- Jeff Ligney says that StatCrew Basketball, Softball and Soccer are ready for upcoming year...Volleyball will be ready in August
- Will StatCrew hold a session at CoSIDA Convention? Nothing on official schedule at this point. If they are members want Q&A session to address issues with programs.
- Legacy software (Dennis Jezek) could be an issue...unable to transfer (import) our current archives into career databases.
- Group would like representation from StatCrew and CBS to address concerns and get honest assessment as to where we are for this fall.
- Is Presto Sports statistics a viable option for this fall??
- Live Stats viability is debatable...some are for, some are against.

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- Conference Commissioners helping to partner to help with StatCrew and NCAA Championships (Jeff Ligney will lead this group)
- Roberta Page wants to have an annual meeting

NCAA Selection Shows

- Dennis Jezek commented of how poorly executed they are, when so much information is requested of SIDs to upload to FTP site but never used.
- Is it possible for selection shows to be moved to midday on Monday, so that a more professional selection show may be produced?
- Jezek suggests that for usability, we suggest to membership that they download all every browser possible. Some work better than others. Depending on what action you are executing.

Gene Upshaw Award (Bob McComas)

- Ethan Hulsey (Millersville) is the new national coordinator for the Gene Upshaw Award.
- McComas will remain on a Super Region 1 coordinator.
- Spoke to the drop off in voting this year. Want to re-emphasize to the membership in St. Louis. Upshaw Award is recognized by National Organizations like the NFL; We should not take it lightly when nominating and voting.

Other Notes

Greg spoke to wanting to have a productive meeting in St. Louis, asked again for ideas and agenda items to be sent to him.

Sara Meier spoke to us about working closely with coaches groups on their voting and nomination timelines.

Greg polled who would be in St. Louis. Asked if it was feasible that we hold another call before convention; it was decided that we would not.

Adjourn: 1:49 (EST)