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SCKFA Board meeting minutes May 16, 2024

The South Central Kentucky Firefighters association held its board meeting in Edmonson County on May 16, 2024.

President Nelson Slaughter called meeting to order, followed with Vice President Cheryl Allen leading us in the Pledge of Allegiance and prayer. Attendance was taken by Secretary Jacob Burnett.

A copy of the board minutes was presented and reviewed by everyone in attendance. A motion to accept Board minutes was made by Vice President Cheryl Allen and seconded by Matt White. Motion carried.

Treasurer report was read by Treasurer Mike Hughes, a motion was made by Dustin Pierce and seconded by Vice President Cheryl Allen. Motion carried

Special guest- Mark Rudder gave Fire Commision update. Mr. Rudder talked about the upcoming PPE grants expected to be seen in the 2nd week of June. State Fire school was talked about and encouraged everybody to attend.

Ronnie Stinson continued with Fire Commision update, adding that using props are up 40 percent this year. Mr. Stinson brought up the use of firefighter rescue and survival props were to only be used at the Area 4 location. Mr. Stinson also added that they have reached 92 percent of Fire departments by April this year with training. NFPA standards are being discussed to change and will affect all volunteer departments and should have more clarity in August.

KAFC update was given by Treasurer Mike Hughes, new roles are expected in July.

KFA update was presented by President Nelson Slaughter, June is the next meeting and Fire school registration for the 2024 conference is open in Owensboro, KY.

SFRT 4 update was presented by Ronnie Stinson adding to new props and expectations of using props. Mr. Stinson added he is actively hiring more instructors to help with short staffing.

2024 Fire School was discussed by Vice President Cheryl Allen. A list of classes was presented, and Live Fire discussed if we would have enough instructors and what days were best for Live Fire. We will contact Bowling Green Fire Department to help with skills and drills. Vice President Cheryl Allen added we will have a block of hotel rooms for attendees. We have already secured the dates for this year at the Knicely Center.

Social Media committee update was presented by President Nelson Slaughter. We are constantly thinking of ideas to get more attendance for Fire School. The SCKFA website continuously stays updated. President Nelson Slaughter said we need to vote to pay for our GoDaddy account, Vice President Cheryl Allen made the motion, seconded by Secretary Jacob Burnett, motion carried.

Fund Raising was presented by committee chairman Matt White. Challenge coins are \$10 a piece. We still have shirts for sale. Matt White will also be looking into prices for pullovers for board members.

No new progress with SOP/ SOG's

SCKFA will be hosting a joint meeting November 21, 2024 in Franklin.

Elections were held for President and Vice President, a motion was made by Terry Massey to keep in the same positions. Secretary Jacob Burnett seconded; motion carried

Next meeting will be August 15, 2024 at Russellville Rural Fire Department

Sean Lawson was the winner of the Henry rifle.

A motion made to adjourn meeting by Secretary Jacob Burnett, seconded by Dustin Pierce. Motion carried.