

**GENERAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING  
ATLANTA FIGURE SKATING CLUB**

**August 27th, 2019**

President Sharon Hyre called the meeting to order at 6:35PM.

Attending the meeting were: Sharon Hyre, Amy Kilheffer, Kate Gorczyca, Lori Malthaner, Tea Junnila, Brittany Marshall, and Francesca Sichenze-Bryant

Absent were: Candace Goodwin, Soucci Taylor, Judith Flair, Kim Detwiler, and Kathy Shehee

**OFFICER REPORTS**

**Secretary:Lori Malthaner**

June BOD Minutes approved as written

**Membership Chair: Francesca Sichenze-Bryant**

Report by email

Many last minute requests for membership as skaters sign up for competitions

**Treasurer: Judith Flair (absent)**

Report sent by email.

**President: Sharon Hyre**

Distribution of calendar of events

Kim Detwiler is interested in taking on the volunteer chair position

Next Board of Directors meetings scheduled:

Tuesday, September 24<sup>th</sup> 6:30PM-at The Cooler

Tuesday, October 29<sup>th</sup> 6:30PM-at The Cooler

Tuesday, December 10<sup>th</sup> 6:30PM- at Sharon's home

**1<sup>st</sup> Vice President: Amy Kilheffer**

No report

**2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President: Kate Gorczyca**

Club ice has begun

13 members present at the first session

Eric led an edge class. Tori will fill in as needed

Suggestion to incorporate a dance class once per month for the opening 20-30 minutes for those interested

The remainder of the session would be open to all skaters

Kate will inquire with Graham regarding implementation

Club Ice Dates:

August-16<sup>th</sup>, 23<sup>rd</sup>, 30<sup>th</sup>

September- 6<sup>th</sup>, 13<sup>th</sup>, 20<sup>th</sup> (Regional exhibitions as needed), 27<sup>th</sup> (Regionals exhibitions and send off party)

October- 4<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup>, 18<sup>th</sup>, 25<sup>th</sup>

November- 1<sup>st</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup>, 22<sup>nd</sup>, 29<sup>th</sup>

December- 6<sup>th</sup>, 13<sup>th</sup>, 20<sup>th</sup>, 27<sup>th</sup>

January-3<sup>rd</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>, 17<sup>th</sup>, 24<sup>th</sup>, 31<sup>st</sup>

February- 7<sup>th</sup>, 14<sup>th</sup>, 21<sup>st</sup>, 28<sup>th</sup> (Magnolia exhibitions)  
March- 13<sup>th</sup>, 20<sup>th</sup>, 27<sup>th</sup>  
April- 2<sup>rd</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>, 17<sup>th</sup>, 24<sup>th</sup>  
May- 1<sup>st</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup>, 22<sup>nd</sup>, and 29<sup>th</sup>(Both 22<sup>nd</sup> and 29<sup>th</sup> Atlanta Open exhibitions)

**Test Chair: Candace Goodwin (absent)**

Report submitted by email.

Test Session Dates:

August 25<sup>th</sup>

October 18<sup>th</sup>

November 15<sup>th</sup>

February 7<sup>th</sup>

March 5<sup>th</sup> (Magnolia Open session)

May 3<sup>rd</sup>

June 17<sup>th</sup> (Atlanta Open session)-date pending

**NEW BUSINESS**

**1)Parker Pennington Camp:**

Target date would be April 2020

More information needed

Alternative could be Ice Dance International workshop-performance focused for skaters

Sharon suggested a recital be held instead of a show

Brittany will Chair the Spring event and research options to bring to the September BOD meeting

**2)David Benzel Workshop**

Sharon has been contacted regarding bringing David Benzel in for a Sports Psychology workshop

The club participated in a workshop in the past, and it generated low interest among membership

**3)Synchro Discussion: D'Arcy Robb**

D'Arcy introduced herself and her mother, Vicky Fauver Robb was on speaker phone

Very interested in bringing synchro to the Atlanta FSC

Step 1) Offer clinics to generate interest and allow skaters to try synchro skating-

Possibly bringing in a featured high level synchro skater to demonstrate the potential of success to participants

Travel expenses would need to be covered for featured skater

2.5-3 hours of ice needed for clinic

\$10 per skater suggested and the remainder expense will be subsidized by the club

Step 2) Spring Show performance to expose membership to the teams

Step 3) Create competition team programs over Summer 2020 and begin competing in the Fall/Winter 2020

Ice time availability is a concern

Brittany will inquire regarding options

At 7:51PM Francesca moved that the meeting be adjourned. Amy seconded the motion, and it passed unanimously.

Submitted by: Lori Malthaner  
Date: August 31<sup>st</sup>, 2019