Colorado JOAD Meeting Notes 8.16.2022

Tournament discussion:

- 1. Number of Tournaments for this year was decided to be 6
- 2. It was decided that the tournament season will start in October
- 3. Concern was brought up about having a tournament in February. The concern is that other major tournaments are occurring in February
- 4. Having a tournament in February would allow those who are not competing out of state could continue to compete.
- 5. Karen said that she would schedule the state tournament in January
- 6. February attendance would be lower
- 7. We don't want to give both awards at the same tournament because the awards take away from one another.
- 8. Scores from the state could go towards to the belt buckle
- 9. The final decision was to have a 6-tournament series with the state being one of those tournaments

It was announced that 5280 is now dissolved

Tournament selection

- October ASR
- November Hot Shots
- December Aslan
- January ASR: State Tournament
- February Hot Shots
- March Aslan

Fixed pin update:

- Announced the introduction of the fixed pin division
- Concern was brought up that if the divisions become many than the awards will be for participation instead of from competition
- The benefit is that kids will compete with those that have the same equipment. It will be fairer and may cause more kids that have pins to compete.
- Brad said that the fixed pin division was placed in the developmental divisions to be more inline with the collegiate program
- There was point that fixed pin is becoming more populate.
- This will cause an increase in award tournament costs by adding another division for all classes.
- Karen said she had a connection for awards. Her cost was \$3 per medal
- The vote was in favor for adding the fixed pin division

Class naming changes

- There is a change in the nomenclature for all divisions. Using the U13, U15, U18 and U21 nomenclature
- USA archery is listing the old names with the new naming convention (example: U13 Cub, etc.)

Website

- Contact information need to be updated and posted on the website
- Club information need to be updated and email links added if they have them
- To save time Brad suggested that I can reference the USA archery website to update clubs
- Remove
 - o **5280**
 - Colorado Toxophilte
 - o Full Rut
 - High Altitude Hooligans
 - Highland Ranch
- Event Page will be revised to reflect all USA archery Tournaments with on Colorado
- Colorado Belt Buckle Rotational tab
 - As a reference on how the archers are doing in the belt buckle rotational
 - \circ Or Winners of the year
- Records link is highlighted
- Tournaments scores are also listed by the monthly tournaments
- Brad is working on creating a common location for State Tournament records
- Tournament records will be sent to Jim to keep the website updated

State Coordinator – Kevin asked Brad to look for a new State Coordinator position. Due to life changes, Kevin has felt that he has not been as responsive in the past. Brad thanked Kevin for the work that he has done. Brad will send out an email announcing the opening. His goal is to make the selection by October 1st.

Guideline changes: At the last call we talked about some of the quirks that came up over the last season. As a result, a few got together to look at some of the guideline and suggest changes.

- 1. Approve or discuss guideline changes
 - 5.1-1 The decision was to remove the number 6 so that the guidelines do not need to change each year if the number of tournaments change periodically and to include the verbiage "Include indoor state" – Approved by unanimous vote
 - 5..1.4 Change to 4 required tournament scores Approved by unanimous vote
 - 5.1-6 Clarification: Belt buckle qualification add statement "To qualify for the belt buckle, archers who will age up during the season, must shoot in the higher division at the beginning of the indoor season" – Not approved by the coaches
 - 5.2.3 Include state? Approved by the coaches with the stipulation that the club hosting the state tournament only pays half of the required amount. This change will state: "Each of the 5 clubs hosting a tournament during the belt buckle season will be responsible for sharing the costs of the buckles equally. The club that is hosting state will only pay half that amount. (example: if each club pays \$600, the club that is hosting state pays \$300)" Approved by unanimous vote

- 6.6 Changes to provide clarification Approved by unanimous vote
- 6.7 Added Safe sport statement Not approved by the coaches
- AD Hoc change request. Karen wanted to look at 3.3.1 which addressed coach credentials. The point was brought up that coaches should not be allowed in the archer's area. The opposing opinion was brought up that these kids are new to archery and are shooting their first tournaments. Examples were given of where kids needed direct support from their coach. In addition, the number of coaches allowed in the archer's area was also discussed. After much conversation the coaches did not approve any changes to this section.

Tournament Rates: Last year's fees were"

\$32 per archer\$27 for additional family members\$80 for the family maximum

To help offset the increase costs of the tournament and buckle awards. The rates were change to:

\$40 per archer \$35 per additional archer \$90 for the family maximum

This change was unanimously approved by the coaches