

**MINUTES OF THE
NATIONAL FASTPITCH COACHES ASSOCIATION (NFCA)
HIGH SCHOOL CAUCUS**

Friday, December 8, 2017

Bally's Las Vegas

The meeting was brought to order at 8:00 a.m.

1. Welcome and Introductions. Kevin Halley, NFCA High School Representative, gave a welcome and overview for the meeting as well as introduced the NFCA High School Liaison and staff member, Joni Schmidt.
2. NFCA Bylaw vote
 - a. NFCA members in attendance voted on the proposed Bylaws.
3. NFCA High School Membership
 - a. Increase High School membership
 - i. NFCA members to reach out to their respective High School Associations to have them help spread awareness of the NFCA.
 - ii. NFCA members were also asked to contact Joni at joni@nfca.org to volunteer as liaisons within their state to help with communication efforts.
 - iii. NFCA to create an easier way for members to renew their membership.
 1. Ideas discussed included having a renewal button on the front page also referred to as the "Coaches Box" after logging into the website.
 2. Also discussed, the ability for the NFCA to send renewal notices and invoices both to the coach and to the school's Athletic Director.
4. Convention
 - a. High School programming ideas.
 - i. Inspired by the Mentoring Session at Convention, the idea to have a smaller session for high school coaches as both mentors and mentees were discussed.
 - ii. Another idea discussed was a High School Social event at Convention.
 - b. Umpire programming ideas
 - i. Ideas discussed included Umpire specific educational content.

Adjournment. The meeting was adjourned at 9:00 a.m.

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