

THE SECRETARY'S REPORT
Tenth Annual Meeting of
National Athletic Trainers Association
June 16, 1959

The tenth annual meeting of the National Athletic Trainers Association was held in the Hall of Mirrors of the Deschler-Hilton Hotel, Columbus, Ohio. The meeting was called to order at 4:17 P.M. by Chairman of the Board Whitey Gwynne.

The roll call was dispensed with.

The minutes of the 1958 meeting at Miami Beach, Florida, were approved without being read. The report of the Board of Directors meeting of June 18, 1958, was read and approved.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING, JUNE 18, 1958

These items were taken under consideration:

1. Representation to the United States Olympic Association was discussed.
 - a. No official action taken at this time.
2. It was asked that monies be set aside for committee work.
 - a. No official action taken at this time.
3. The Board expressed appreciation to Dave Wike, Exhibits Manager, and Sam Lankford, Program Chairman, for a job extremely well done.
4. Chuck Medlar reported for the Constitution and By-Laws Committee.
 - a. The Board gave permission to send the revised constitution and by-laws for a mail vote of the active membership.
5. The title of the National Secretary was changed to Executive Secretary.
6. The Committee on Gaining Recognition was changed to that of Committee for Professional Advancement.
7. A report was given by the Chairman of the Committee for Professional Advancement.
 - a. The Board gave permission to send the curriculum report to the active membership for a mail vote.

Duke Wyre was selected to represent N.A.T.A. on the United States Olympic Association by mail vote of the Board of Directors. He is also to represent the Association at the meetings of the Sub-Committee on Training of the U. S. Olympic Committee.

The treasurer's report was read along with a certified statement from the Purdue National Bank of Lafayette. It was moved, seconded and approved that the report be accepted.

N.A.T.A. TREASURER'S REPORT

June 12, 1959		
Balance on hand June 1958.....	\$2,010.25	
Deposits:		
Dues	\$1,958.00	
Sale of Pins and Emblems.....	39.00	
Balance of Picnic Fund.....	233.18	
'58 Registration Fees.....	227.00	
Journal Advertisements	867.25	
Journal Subscriptions	12.00	3,336.43
Disbursements:		
Lafayette Mailing Service.....	261.69	
Secretarial Work	772.00	
Postage and Telegrams.....	144.43	
Stationery, Envelopes, etc.....	100.43	
U. S. Olympic Dues.....	10.00	
N.C.A.A. Dues	25.00	

Refund on Advertisement.....	11.87	
Expense of U. S. Olympic Meetings in New York.....	91.00	
Revolving Fund (Journal Expense for Tom Healion).....	50.00	
Les Needham Fund.....	25.00	
Office Supplies	27.14	
Dues Return	86.00	
Program Recorder	25.00	
New Pins	231.63	
Two issues of 1957 Journal.....	891.22	
Three issues of 1958 Journal.....	1,063.75	3,816.16
Balance on hand June 1959.....		1,530.52
Checks not canceled.....		29.60
		7.14
Certified Statement from Bank.....		1,567.26

N.A.T.A. MEMBERSHIP - JUNE 1959

Active	366
Associate	217
Allied	31
Advisory	62
Honorary	5
Retired	3

Total..... 684

The secretary read the report of the Chairman of the Board of Directors.

**REPORT OF THE CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD
OF DIRECTORS**

At the Board of Directors meeting these actions were decided upon:

1. The minutes of the Board's meeting, June 18, 1958, were read and approved.
2. The Treasurer's report was presented and approved.
3. Duke Wyre reported to the group on the activities of the Sub-Committee on Training of the United States Olympic Committee. The report was approved.
4. It was moved that the Board make clear that Duke Wyre, until changed by action of the Board, be the official representative of N.A.T.A. to the United States Olympic Association and further to represent N.A.T.A. on the Sub-Committee on Training of the U. S. Olympic Committee.
5. It was moved and approved that Duke Wyre be authorized to recommend to the Olympic Committee that all future dates of Pan-American and Olympic games not be later than the last day of August.
6. Jim Hunt, Chairman of the Committee on Committees, reported by letter on the Committee's activities and recommended that all standing committees be assigned as a three, six or nine man committee and that all standing committee personnel be elected on a three-year rotating basis. The report was approved.
7. Kansas City, Missouri, will be the site of the 1960 annual meetings with District No. 5 acting as host.
8. Jackie Copeland of Odessa High School, Odessa, Texas, was elected Editor of the Journal. Tom Healion was re-elected Advertising Manager. Commercial Printing Company, Lafayette, Indiana, will again publish the Journal.
9. The Board approved and adopted an athletic training program as presented by the chairman of the Professional Advancement Committee.

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10. N.A.T.A. will have an exhibit at the Congress on Sports Medicine at the Pan-American Games, September 2, 1959.
11. Bill Newell was re-elected as Executive Secretary.
12. The possible purchase of a Dictaphone to be used by the National Office was discussed.
13. The Les Needham family asked that their thanks be extended to the national membership.
14. Membership in N.A.T.A. has been denied any member of the chiropractic profession for the year 1960 and thereafter.

The report was moved for approval, seconded and carried.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:**Code of Ethics**

A letter from Howard Waite, Chairman, was read expressing regret for being unable to attend the meeting. He also stated "there were no reported violations by any of our members which proves our organization is morally and ethically sound. We all hope this status continues. In consulting with our advisory members, I have been advised by them to alert our members to be always

vigilant and cautious in the use of certain drugs and medications. That advice is always good and means that we trainers should cooperate wholeheartedly with our team physicians."

Constitution and By-Laws

Returned to Committee for final draft.

Honorary Memberships and Awards

Walter Bakke presented Don H. O'Donoghue, M.D., a recipient of Honorary Membership and an honor award for outstanding service to the Athletic Training Profession. This action was received with a standing ovation.

Professional Advancement

The Chairman announced that the curriculum had been accepted by a vote of the active membership. There were seven disapproval votes—three hundred and forty approving. It was also announced that N.A.T.A. had been given recognition by the American College Health Association in the past year.

A standing ovation was given to Ernie Biggs, Program Chairman, and to Jackie Copeland, Exhibits Manager for a job very well done.

It was called to the attention of the members that

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Jim Brisnahan, Long Beach, California, and Les Needham, Wichita University, had passed away during the past year. One minute of silence was observed in honor of the deceased members.

Whitey Gwynne presented the new Board of Directors:

- District 1, Joe Altott, Williams College
- District 2, Jules Reichel, Syracuse University
- District 3, Ed Motley, Virginia Polytechnic
- District 4, Bob Weingart, Marquette University
- District 5, A. D. Dickinson, Iowa State Teachers College
- District 6, Ross Moore, Texas Western
- District 7, Tow Diehm, University of New Mexico
- District 8, George Anderson, University of California
- District 9, Kenny Howard, Alabama Polytechnic

Bob Weingart, Marquette University, was presented as the new Chairman of the Board of Directors.

A standing ovation was given Jack Heppinstall, retiring Athletic Trainer at Michigan State University.

The meeting was adjourned at 4:45 P.M.

William "Pinky" Newell
Executive Secretary

At the second meeting of the Board of Directors for 1959, these men were appointed to the following committees:

Standing Committees:

Membership—Nine Members
Three year appointment
 William F. X. Linsky, Chairman
 163 Magazine Street
 Cambridge 29, Massachusetts
 (Representing District No. 1)

Robert Grant
 Assistant Trainer
 Purdue University
 West Lafayette, Indiana
 (Representing District No. 4)

Marshall Cook
 Montana State College
 Athletic Department
 Bozeman, Montana
 (Representing District No. 7)

Two year appointment
 Edgar H. Biggs
 Bucknell University
 Lewisburg, Pennsylvania
 (Representing District No. 2)

Dean Neamth
 Athletic Department
 Kansas University
 Lawrence, Kansas
 (Representing District No. 5)

Eddie Lane
 Head Athletic Trainer
 Washington State College
 Pullman, Washington
 (Representing District No. 8)

One year appointment
 Wayne Rudy
 Athletic Trainer
 Southern Methodist University
 Dallas, Texas
 (Representing District No. 6)

Eam Lankford
 Box 2787
 University Station
 Gainesville, Florida
 (Representing District No. 9)

Robert L. Martin, Jr.
 Athletic Trainer
 Wake Forest College
 Winston-Salem, North Carolina
 (Representing District No. 3)

Code of Ethics—Six Members

Three year appointment
 Howard White, Chairman
 Head Athletic Trainer
 University of Pittsburgh
 Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

Henry "Buck" Andel
 Head Athletic Trainer
 Georgia Tech
 Atlanta, Georgia

Two year appointment
 Edward J. Noonan
 17 Dunster Street
 Cambridge, Massachusetts

George Anderson
 Assistant Athletic Trainer
 University of California
 Berkeley, California

One year appointment
 James E. Hunt
 Head Athletic Trainer
 University of Michigan
 Ann Arbor, Michigan

Bubba Porche
 Head Athletic Trainer
 Tulane University
 New Orleans, Louisiana

Advisory

Robert G. Brashear, M.D.
 Bagwell-Brashear Clinic
 807 Medical Arts Building
 Knoxville, Tennessee

Injury Committee—Six Members

Three year appointment
 Kenneth B. Rawlson, Chairman
 Athletic Trainer
 University of Oklahoma
 Norman, Oklahoma

John "Rusty" Payne
 Athletic Trainer
 University of Kentucky
 Lexington, Kentucky

Two year appointment
 Richard Carr
 University of Arizona
 Athletic Department
 Tucson, Arizona

Bill Dayton
 Yale University
 Athletic Department
 New Haven, Connecticut

One year appointment
 A. J. Duke Wyre
 Head Athletic Trainer
 University of Maryland
 College Park, Maryland

Weaver Jordan
 Athletic Trainer
 Baylor University
 Waco, Texas

Constitution and By-Laws—Three Members

Three year appointment
 Charles Medlar, Chairman
 Head Athletic Trainer
 Penn State University
 University Park, Pennsylvania

Two year appointment
 Jules Reichel
 502 University Avenue
 Syracuse, New York

One year appointment
 Whitley Gwynne
 Head Athletic Trainer
 West Virginia University
 Morgantown, West Virginia

Twenty-five Year Award—Three Members

Three year appointment
 Porky Morgan, Chairman
 Head Athletic Trainer
 Kansas State College
 Manhattan, Kansas

Two year appointment
 Jim Stultz
 Athletic Trainer
 Colorado A and M
 Fort Collins, Colorado

One year appointment
 Warren "Floozie" Arisill
 Athletic Department
 Iowa State College
 Ames, Iowa

Honorary Membership and Awards—Three Members

Three year appointment
 Walter Bakke, Chairman
 Head Athletic Trainer
 University of Wisconsin
 Madison, Wisconsin

Two year appointment
 W. J. "Dutch" Luchsinger
 Head Athletic Trainer
 Starkville, Mississippi
 Mississippi State College

One year appointment
 Roto Moore
 Athletic Trainer
 Texas Western College
 El Paso, Texas

Replacements for all one and two year term men will be appointed to a three year term to put all committees on a properly rotating basis.