



Minutes  
Kim's Academy Black Belt Association  
Meeting Date: Saturday, November 13, 2010

1. Call to Order – Alicia Looney
2. Approval of Minutes from November Meeting
3. Treasurers Report – Jessica Mallard

### Old Business

1. Tournament Organization – Master Spreadsheet (Both Invitational & Friendship)
  - Alicia Looney sending out sample file today. Discussion and approval at January meeting.
2. Christmas Fund Report – Ron Hawkins
  - Table Storage Rack – Still under development
  - Non-Powered Sweeper Purchased
  - Replacing kick-targets and hand-held pads for Main Branch – Discussion deferred till Jan Meeting
    - Suggestion to add standing kick targets (Wave Masters) to discussion. Prefer non-water type
  - Agreed to name annual Christmas Fund Donations so people know what they're donating for
    - 2010 Christmas Fund will be used for "Tournament Mats Purchase" to replace worn out ring pads
    - Still planning to purchase one set of "Puzzle-piece" type pads for trial and evaluation prior to committing to full set; likely won't be able to purchase all 10 rings in a single year's collections
    - Will continue tradition of making personal gifts to Grand Master and Mrs. Kim at the Banquet in addition to whatever significant gift is determined annually
  - Agreed to have KABBA make significant annual donations to Christmas Fund
    - Dollar amount to be discussed annually at January meeting, to allow for year-end budget analysis
  - Ron Hawkins is currently collecting donations for 2010 Christmas gift, please contact him to donate
3. 2011 Tournament KABBA Sponsorship - brainstorming student sponsorship ideas to ensure a fair distribution & eligibility guidelines – Discussion deferred till Jan Meeting
4. Web Page Update – Please verify your branch info and send update requests when/if needed
  - Need pictures of new Masters and still need picture of Jr. Master Zurowski
5. Committees
  - Parents Night Out (PNO) – Set Date for first Parents Night Out as Saturday, Dec 11, 6:00 p.m. 11:59 pm
    - Agreed upon cost [*See KABBA Board Member for financial info*]
    - Request Advance sign-ups – Posting on web-site and emails to instructors and other black belts
  - Brand Merchandise – Hats big success. Quantity remaining: 10 + 1 Display
    - Agreed to offer warm-up suit and/or stand-alone jacket, and window clings for next items
    - Agreed to have KABBA purchase one "demo" suit for display at Dec Belt Test and to hang as incentive (to be presented later as gift to GM Kim)
    - Suggestion to offer Kim's T-Shirts NOT tournament defined, to be offered in off-season
  - T-Shirts – 2011 Invitational Design Contest
    - Team submittals will be allowed and offered as an event at Parents Night Out on Dec 11
    - Corrected ending date for designs to be received by Dec 15, 2010 (1 week later)
    - Deferred till Jan meeting discussion about alternatives in the event of no submissions

### New Business

6. 2011 Board Member Elections - President and Secretary positions - New officers installed March 2011
  - Email nominations to [Alicia.Looney@gmail.com](mailto:Alicia.Looney@gmail.com)
  - Collecting nominations through Dec Belt Test / Christmas Banquet
  - Elections at January 2011 meeting; must be current KABBA Member (Dues Paid) to be eligible to vote



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**Announcements / Bereavements** – Health concerns: John Bates, John Cortest, Diana Hilburn, and Jim Mathias

**Next Meeting** – January 15, 2011 @ 12:15 - Kim's Academy Main School

**Attendees at November 13, 2010 Meeting:**

Ron Hawkins  
Cindy Hawkins  
Ted Ibarra  
Terese Lewis  
Alicia Looney  
Leslie May  
Scott McKinney  
Janice Meinhardt  
Craig Mundt  
Robert Stankey  
Nicole VanNatta  
Mark Waller  
Susan Zurowski