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Topics listed below:

- Cross Country survey
 - Andy
 - Feelings about the changes that had occurred
 - Sent to class reps
 - Sent Tuesday—some might not have chance to respond, but we have over 100 responses (ton for 7A)
 - People who don't have areas do NOT want them
 - Most popular thing was need for mats for road crossing
 - Musselwhite said issue with storage at Carrolton
 - Andy commented some coaches are wanting region pairings to rotate, but that would affect travel time, venues, region to region communication, etc
 - Andy said many of the advisory board were talked with a lot
 - Hopefully after break, try to get survey back from all classifications, crunch the #'s, see what's realistic to pursue in terms of improvements.
 - Region pairings—major issue with Area 1 (only 6 girls teams actually showed up)
 - Wanting region pairings to rotate (affects travel time, venues, etc.)
 - Area 2 had issues with communication
 - Mike—reminder went out to Private A for survey
 - Info to send to advisory board that girls/boys might not necessarily go back to back
 - Andy thinks the GHSA might lean toward keeping back to back because of the mindset of knocking out classifications together
 - Mike B. asked if there is any chance of looking back at the format of keeping it within 30 minutes (placing a person at the top of the hill to remove kids who are way behind)
 - Andy said we will at least address it to the advisory committee/GHSA, but doesn't foresee a change like this occurring.
- State XC Meet—next year—scholarships for XC, too, not combined with TF
 - We need to have two scholarships to distinguish XC kids next fall—will be part of the responsibility of the XC committee to handle, announce, etc.
- Fall newsletter
 - USATF GA Partnership (**Henson**)
 - State meet changes in venue
 - Continued partnership for clinic with ATC / future Glazier clinics for TF
- Clinic update

- Cathi—
 - Social Friday evening @ Sweetwater Brewery
 - Discount codes for individuals/groups need to be distributed
 - Fundraising vendor ideas for the clinic (**send any asap**)
 - **We need help with setup/management with the ATC for this; please consider taking the day off on that Friday to come help/mingle. We need to be seen.**
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- Upcoming election & process
 - Voting by coaches/members only
 - **Mike/Cathi recommends that we add to the by-laws an amendment for participation by the elected board members.**
 - **Description of the classification representation—needs to be written and not implied.**
 - **Scott Neal said if people know/identify their own strengths (at earlier meeting), it will be easier to determine committees, etc.**
 - **Henson will prepare a motion for the amendment mentioned below to the rest of the board to be voted on before the clinic.**
 - Amendment recommendation
 - **If someone is moved by realignment, etc., is addressed in the by-laws.**
 - **Any unable to complete term, President will have the power to appoint the new ones—75% attendance/participation at meetings is the minimum number discussed for being actively involved (including emails, etc.).**
 - **Meetings and/or activities of the association annually or will be roughly 9-12 times per year.**
 - **Special consideration of extenuating circumstances (family/medical/professional/etc.)**
 - **Goal is to get COMPLETE buy-in by those elected**

WORK SESSION in Dec. for dinner/social for us.

- **Cathi—footlocker, extend invitation to anybody coming to please come to ATC tent; be part of Team GA; bagels, coffee, etc. Spread the word to those headed to Charlotte.**
- **Having a work session of the GATFXCCA; dinner / discussion of clinic for next year, etc.**

In attendance/participation

Pearce

Beaudreau

Neal

Christie

Monk

Henson