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TO: FJI Executive Committee Meeting

FROM: Dr. Ricardo Menendez, FJI President/dje

DATE: 05-26-2021

RE: Minutes of the May 26, 2021 meeting are in **BOLD print**

LOCATION: Zoom call

Meeting called to Order at 8:40 pm Eastern Time.

1. CALL TO ORDER - Roll call and seating of Executive Committee

a. FJI Executive Committee:

- i. President: Dr. Ricardo Menendez, present**
- ii. Executive Vice President: Michael Szejter, present**
- iii. Northern Region Vice President: Scott Olson, not present (excused)**
- iv. Central Region Vice President: Danny Rodriguez, present**
- v. Southern Region Vice President: Humberto Lopez, not present (excused)**
- vi. Treasurer: Richard Leys, present**
- vii. Recording Secretary: David J. Ellis, present**
- viii. Director Of Operations: N/A**

2. NEW BUSINESS:

a. DISCUSSION:

Dr. Ricardo Menendez received an e-mail stating the 2021 Sunshine State Games (Judo Part) is scheduled for Memorial Day weekend. Dr. Menendez contact OJ from Florida Sports Foundation. OJ told Ricardo that FJI could hold the 2021 Sunshine States Games (Judo Part) preferable before the End of September 2021. It was discussed maybe Mid-September 2021.

MOTION:

To tentatively schedule 2021 Sunshine State Games (Judo Part) on September 18, 2021 (to not interfere with 2021 USJA/USJA Nationals) and tentatively at Congress Middle School.

- Agreed on by all present at the meeting.**

b. DISCUSSION:

According to Richard Leys, FJI is yet to receive reimbursement for last 2 Sunshine State Games (Judo Part) for years 2018 and 2019 to FJI. Agreement was \$10 per head. Ricardo to e-mail OJ to try to get the wheels in motion to getting the money for those 2 years.

c. DISCUSSION:



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Ricardo stated possible 2-day camp in FJI especially for Juniors and get a Sanction from USA Judo. Ricardo stated if no other location available, offering his club dojo for the camp.

d. DISCUSSION:

Ricardo stated that we need to get FJI back out in social media and via e-mail blast. David stated that his Florida_Judo Yahoo! Group is dead and not accessible because Yahoo! Groups is no longer in existence. David is created a new Florida_Judo Google Group but only have about 60 to 80 e-mail address currently.

e. DISCUSSION:

Danny Rodriquez stated he does not currently have checks to pay for Club Registration. Danny recommends that FJI get a PayPal account or something similar to allow people to pay using the system other than checks or money orders. Richard stated he will look into getting a PayPal account (which we might already have that). Richard states after he gets it setup that he will send the information for David to put on FJI Websites to pay for Club Registrations and Sanctions.

3. ADJOURNMENT

Adjourned at 9:20 pm Eastern time