

USAW Illinois WSO February Board Meeting Agenda

Attendees	Present
Gwen Chamberlin	Y
Brian Lahr	N
Tim Piper	Y
Alex Arquilla	Y
Corinne Grotenhuis	Y
Elliot Ganet	Y
Casey Knuth	N
Taylor Perry	Y
Jessica Taylor	N

Agenda

1. Call to Order / Role Call
2. WSO Committees Discussion – Determine which committees we want
Things we do: Financial, social media, Outreach, Scholarships, State Records, Equipment, IL State, Donations, Newsletter, other?
3. Coaching Development Scholarships –
Preliminary Selection
Final Selections
4. Equipment Order Update – Gwen
5. 2025 IL State Planning
Social Push
Town Hall Meeting?
6. 2025 Second Quarter Newsletter – Tim
7. University Outreach – Taylor, Elliot
8. Upcoming Meets -
2025 Illinois WSO Championship May 3-4, 2025
2025 4th Annual Steve Sakoulas Summer Open July 12, 2025
2025 Mid-American Championships October 25-26, 2025
9. Any Other Business?
10. Date / Time of next meeting?

Minutes

1. Group discussed forming sub-committees. We will discuss it more at future meetings.
2. Coaching Development Scholarships – The group unanimously agreed the following scholarships will be awarded:
BIPOC: Jaylon Smith, Lilly Cottenham, Alvaro Pulido, Anjali Shah
Women's: Allie Ancona, Danielle Colan, Anni Womack, Dawnella Bowser
3. The existing WSO equipment and platform was moved to [The Bar Gym](#) March 8 2025.

The Eleiko equipment purchase is in progress. USAW says they will pay the invoice March 27.

4. We will organize an in-person WSO Town Hall meeting on the first day of the 2025 Illinois State meet. Corinne and Jessica will organize the agenda.
5. University Outreach – Elliot will be speaking with Rockford University.
6. Taylor Perry has resigned from the IL WSO, due to her moving out of state. We thank her for her service to the community and wish her well in future adventures.

Since the board knew of this pending resignation, agreed with USAW prior to the January IL WSO 2025 election results that future empty slots would be filled with the person who received the second highest number of votes from that election. [Election Results](#)

7. Next Meeting Sunday April 13, 2025, 5p CST