



2024 MATA ANNUAL STATE BUSINESS MEETING

May 31, 2024

6:30pm-8:30pm

- A. Meeting called to order at 7:12:pm
 - a. Approved at 7:12pm
- B. 2023 Business Meeting Minutes motioned to approved
 - a. Approved at 7:13pm
 - b. No new old business
- C. Financial report-Amber Stanley
 - a. Kari Johnson is incoming Treasurer
 - b. Fiscally we are doing well
 - c. No scholarship monies dispersed
 - d. Non-profit status
 - i. According to Fidelis: “Presumptive approval for the last 12 months”
 - 1. When 2023’s tex returns are processed, the IRS will mail an official letter to be IRS Non-profit approved
 - e. Approved 7:16pm
- D. Membership-Caroline Siebens
 - a. Welcome Chimere Sterling: taking over membership
 - b. MATA Members: 261
 - c. Registered NATA members with MD Address: 479
 - d. Registered Members will get:
 - i. Weekly PRN
 - ii. Monthly CEU’s
 - iii. Quarterly Newsletters
 - iv. Annual salary and symposium info
 - v. Additional communications as needed
 - vi. Looking to set up local contacts for new MD AT residents
- E. NATA Update
 - a. NATA is celebrating its 75th Anniversary next year
 - b. Strategic plan at work:
 - i. Increased third party payers to more than 280 that reimburse for

- AT services
 - ii. Over 1 billion media impressions in the past quarter to education on AT impact and value around impending advances in health care
 - iii. NATA COPA hosted its first ever technology and trends conference to immerse members in elements of digital healthcare
 - iv. Elevated our communication strategy to deliver more personal value to members
 - v. Leveraged organizational partnerships to expand and unify our message
- c. NATA Symposium 2024 - New Orleans
- d. NATA Symposium 2025 - Orlando
- F. NATA Awards
 - a. Jane (Miraglia) McLean- NATA William T Griffin Award for Outstanding Leadership in Legislative Advocacy
- G. MAATA Awards
 - a. Dr. Emily Hildebrand- MAATA District Director's Award
- H. MAATA Update- Matt Gage
 - a. 220+ in Attendance (51 from MD)
 - b. 3512 District Members (488 MD)
 - c. Financially Strong
 - d. District Director and Treasurer Elections
 - e. 2025 Symposium May 2-4th @ the Founders Inn
 - f. Strategic Initiatives: See Presentation Slides

Committee Reports

- I. Governmental Affairs Committee-Jane Miraglia
 - a. Advocacy Day-Most likely January 9, 2025!!!
 - b. ATAC (Athletic Training Advocacy Committee) Quarterly public calls 6/11 @ 10:00am
 - i. Brittney White: Brittneyj.white@maryland.gov
 - ii. Felicia Wright: Felicia.wright@maryland.gov CC: MATAGovernmentAffairs@gmail.com
 - c. Find a next meeting:
 - https://www.mbp.state.md.us/board_meetings_at.aspx
 - d. Specialized Task Survey:
 - i. BOP does not want to remove specialized tasks that are now standard education as they do not want to grandfather more established ATs.
 - ii. Survey options come directly from the specialize tasks list
 - iii. Take the survey here: <https://forms.gle/y8ZmpNSGFAYaZDPR7>
 - iv. New Legislation:

1. Public and Non-Public Middle & High Schools Venue Specific EAP for Athletic Facilities
 - a. Public and private schools to include cardiac emergency response team in EAPs
 - b. Must coordinate with local EMS and First responders to integrate in to local emergency response protocols
 - c. Every person in cardiac emergency response team to be First aid, CPR and AED trained
 - d. Goes into effect July 1, 2024
 2. AEDs must now have Naloxone located within unit located within public buildings including public schools-goes into effect on October 1, 2024
 3. Coaches Mental Health Training
 - a. All coaches public high schools and colleges/universities to receive mental health training starting July 1, 2024
- v. Non-compete clause bill passed.
1. After June 1, 2025 non-compete contracts are no longer valid for any health care provider.
- J. COPA Committee-Looking for a chair
- K. Secondary Schools Committee-Melissa Read
- a. New Bills discussed during Gvt. Affairs
 - b. SMAC revised MPSSAA Physical form
 - c. Please fill out ATLAS Survey
 - i. 1 ambassador volunteer needed for ATLAS
 - d. SSAT Facebook group-MATA Secondary School Athletic Trainers
 - e. Directory posted on MATA Website
- L. Honors and Awards Committee-Heather Kholbus
- a. Hall of Fame Class of 2024
 - i. Marty McGinty
 - b. Most Distinguished Athletic Trainer
 - i. Chris Zinn
 - ii. Wes Robinson
 - c. Service Award
 - i. Adam Brown
 - d. Nominations always welcome
 - i. Will be moving to an online process
- M. Education & Symposium-Ashley Santo
- a. Quiz Bowl
 - i. Combined Maryland Team-Towson University and Frostburg University Students

- b. Symposium June 1, 2024- 7 CEU's
- N. Nominations and Elections-No report
- O. DEI Committee-Rachel Moore
 - a. Partnered with MAATA LGBTQ+ EDAC committees to spread similar messages
 - b. Improve social media and offer virtual CEU presentations
- P. Young Professionals-Mikey Stant
 - a. Welcome Mikey Stant and Jay Dillon as Co-Chairs
- Q. Leadership Transition
 - a. President-Rachel Moore
 - b. Vice President-Caroline Siebens
 - c. Secretary-Jaime Harris
 - d. Treasurer-Kari Johnson
 - e. Past President-Jean Perez
 - f. First Gentleman-Chris Moore
- R. THANK YOU GINA PALERMO!!!!
- S. New Business-No report
- T. Meeting adjourned at 8:02pm