

**OHIO VALLEY KARTING ASSOCIATION
SPECIAL BOARD MEETING MINUTES
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 7, 2021**

CALL TO ORDER: President Aaron Banfield called the special meeting to order at 7:05 p.m. via Zoom and explained notification was issued this afternoon for this meeting.

SPORTSMANSHIP: Aaron Banfield shared an email that was received from Driver C's parent expressing concern about comments made by another parent. Driver D's parent reported on the circumstances and extended an apology. He explained his comments were directed to his driver and not intended to be taken as being about wrecking somebody. Banfield explained the primary concern was comments made off the track and reported they were heard by a board member as well. He noted that we are trying to improve sportsmanship and said people need to be aware of the comments they make and how they can be perceived. Driver D's parent said he appreciated the opportunity to talk and he does not want any hard feelings; he will keep his comments to himself. Banfield will follow up with the other family.

ADJOURNMENT: Aaron Banfield made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:40 p.m. The motion was seconded by Bruce Wyke and passed unanimously.

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT: A. Banfield, R. Coombs, T. Cradlebaugh, S. Golladay, M. Heber, J. Holliday, R. Landes, M. Lewis, R. McKibben, B. Schroeder, and B. Wyke.

MEMBERS / VISITORS PRESENT: L. Coombs, D. Cradlebaugh, and Driver D Parent.

Respectfully submitted by Lynda Coombs, OVKA Secretary, 10/25/2021