



New Jersey Division of the  
United States Fencing Association, Inc.



Meeting of the Tournament Committee  
at Clinton Fencing Club

**24 Cokesbury Road, Lebanon, NJ**

**August 23, 2011, 7:00-9:00pm**

X	Chair	Gene Packer		X	Member	Abdelwahab Abdelaziz
X	Ex-officio	George Bowden		X	Member	Ralph Bellantoni
X	Ex-officio	Steve Caputo		X	Member	Dawn Johnston
X	Ex-officio	Bill Nunley		X	Member	Ahmed Satter
X	Ex-officio	Tom Tishman		X	Member	Paul Szmaida
					Member	Jennifer Yamin

**Agenda**

1. Selection of Chair for 2011-12
2. Willingness of any members to serve on National Committees so that we are represented in national decisions
3. Consideration of proposed calendar tournament requests

**Minutes:**

1. Motion to reelect Gene Packer as Tournament Committee Chair for 2011-2012  
Motion: Steve Caputo  
Second: Paul Szmaida  
Unanimously approved through April 30, 2012
2. Review of tournament requests for September through November 2011.
3. The Executive Committee has informed the Tournament Committee they will only be in place from now until April 30, 2012. A new committee will be put in place on May 1 each season with the mandate to begin working on the following season's calendar on a timely basis. The Executive Committee will solicit new applicants for TC beginning March 15, 2012.
4. Next Meeting: **Tentatively** set for Tuesday, September 13, 2011, in Fairlawn