

March 31, 2009



**Vegas Classic, Inc.
By-Laws**

**Chapter I:
The Organization**

§ 1.1 Purpose.

The primary purpose of this organization is exclusively to foster National or International Amateur Sports Competition within the meaning of Section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986. The specific purposes are to provide services to the community through sports and to conduct National or International competition in sports or to support and develop amateur participants of all ages for that competition. This is to protect and promote the mutual interests of its purpose to serve Deaf community including CODA, siblings, and interested parties.

§ 1.2 Location of the Organization and Place of Meeting.

The registered office shall be located at 3908 Diamond Ridge Street, Las Vegas, Nevada, 89129 unless otherwise established by the Board of Directors. In events of 3908 Diamond Ridge Street, Las Vegas, Nevada, 89129, being not available for use, the registered office shall be established elsewhere as determined by Board of Directors.

§ 1.3 Mailing.

All mailings shall be sent to Vegas Classic, Inc., P.O. Box 35944, Las Vegas, Nevada 89133-5933 unless otherwise established by the Board of Directors.

§ 1.4 Colors.

Vegas Classic, Inc. shall have its own reserved colors: Purple, and Silver.

**Chapter II:
Executives**

§ 2.1 Board of Directors.

Board of Directors shall consist of: Chairman of Executive Officer, President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, Board at Large, and Area Director.

§ 2.2 Chief Executive Officer.

Chief Executive Officer involves making decisions, oversee teams and fellowships, approve and veto motions, and has the power to terminate officers.

§ 2.3 President.

President supervises staff and works closely with Chief Executive Officer. However, the President does not have the power to veto or pass. Members of the body go through the President before they can go through Chief Executive Officer.

§ 2.4 Vice President.

The Vice-President assists the president and substitutes the president in his absence. The Vice President deals with grievances and leads the meditation.

§ 2.5 Secretary.

Secretary contact and spread information of any type relating to the organization through telephone, e-mail, "snail mail" or newsletters. This position is the liaison between the Chief Executive Officer and the members and nonmembers. One is responsible for passing out flyers, newsletters, press release, agendas, memos, minutes, and provide refreshments. Details and organization are the Secretary's strong suits. One file and maintain records of the organization.

§ 2.6 Treasurer.

The Treasurer handles all financial aspects of the organization. The Treasurer is responsible for bank statements, invoices, sale receipts, and funds collected through membership fees, sponsorships, pledges, donations, ticket orders, and fund-raising events. Tax recording and bookkeeping are also one's responsibility.

§ 2.7 Board At Large

Board At Large are persons who were formerly Board of Directors or Officer of Vegas Classic, Inc. This position requires one to promote and communicate extensively with current Board of Directors and Officers. One can act as public relation and promote the said organization to the public.

§ 2.8 Area Director.

Area Director consults with issues and promotions covered within Vegas Classic, Inc. through our civil communities in our counties. This position requires one to communicate extensively with the communities and to receive support for the Organization throughout the communities in United States and International.

§ 2.9 Number of Representatives.

At all time, not less three (3) of the Directors shall be persons who represent Vegas Classic, Inc. The Executive Director shall be a member of the Board ex officio.

§ 2.10 Death, Resignation, or Removal of Director(s).

Should a Director die, resign, or be removed, may be filled by the lower ranks as they promote and serve for the duration of the unexpired term. Should vices not be available, Officers and Members are deemed to elect for a new director to replace absentee Director. However, the Chief Executive Officer appoints the Treasurer.

§ 2.11 Director Candidates and Their Terms.

Director(s) shall serve two (2) years per term. Maximum terms served shall be two (2) terms. The candidate(s) must be in good standing with the community and other organizations. Candidate(s) shall not be blacklisted anywhere in the United States. One should a member of Vegas Classic, Inc. for a year prior becoming a candidate to be one of the Officers or Board of Directors.

§ 2.12 Civil and Criminal Law Violations.

Civil and criminal law violations following the organization's By-Laws will lead to suspension for Officer(s) and Director(s). If the issue is not resolved, then termination would be the next best solution. Based upon the level of severity in one's felony case will be determined before termination is to be issued during one's suspension. For misdemeanors, admonishment towards Officer(s) and Director(s) will be issued at first. If it does not work, then suspension is issued.

§ 2.13 Removal from Office.

Director may be removed from office, with or without cause, by an affirmative vote of a majority of the Directors present at a duly called meeting, provided that not less than five (5) days and not more than thirty (30) days notice of such meeting, stating that removal of such Director is to be on the agenda, shall be given to each Director.

§ 2.14 Compensations.

No compensation shall be paid to any member of the Board of Directors for services as a active member of the Board; however, if an Officer or Active Member made a motion of that kind, the Board would consider such said requests at the next meeting date.

§ 2.15 Meeting Frequencies.

The Board of Directors must meet every three (3) months and may hold the meeting at such times and places as a majority of the Directors in office determine. The Active Members may call a meeting of the Board.

§ 2.16 Special Meetings.

Special meetings of the Board of Directors may be called at any time upon request of the Director(s), Officer(s), or Active Member provided that any such request shall specify the purpose of the meeting. Such a meeting shall be held with within twenty-four (24) hours of such a request. Such requests must be done via email.

§ 2.17 Waiver of Notice.

Majority votes waiver of notice before or during the meeting, and the Secretary shall enter it in the minutes or other records of the meeting.

§ 2.18 Quorum.

At all meetings of the Board of Directors, majority of the Directors then in office shall be necessary and sufficient to constitute a quorum for the transaction of business. At least three (3) Directors shall be necessary and sufficient. Shall less than three (3) Directors, meeting will be postponed until next following month.

§ 2.19 Majority Voting.

Except where otherwise required by law, the articles, or these By-Laws, the affirmative vote of a majority of the Directors present at a duly held meeting shall be sufficient for any action.

§ 2.20 Action Notations.

Any action required or permitted at a meeting of the Board of Directors may be taken by a written action, provided that all of the Directors approve the action. The written action is effective when signed by Chief Executive Officer and the President, unless otherwise provided in the action.

§ 2.21 Robert's Rules of Order.

Robert's Rules of Order is commonly used.

**Chapter III:
Officers**

§ 3.1 Officers.

Officers shall consist of Athletic Director, and Sport Coordinator.

§ 3.2 Athletic Director.

Athletic Director is responsible for all aspects of team sport, event activity, uniforms, abiding Local, Regional, and National policies. This position requires maintaining of team equipment, uniforms, and miscellaneous related to each team.

§ 3.3 Sport Coordinator.

Sport Coordinator shall be witness and become part of delegate meetings. One is responsible for sport and event investigations and uphold By-Laws given by each organization. One is under oath abiding Coach's Code and must abide by Local, Regional, and National regulations and its policies according to each sport or other activity. One is to be a host of the sport/event tournament if hosting one is to take place.

§ 3.4 Removal of Officer(s).

Any Officer or Director may be removed, with cause, by an affirmative vote of a majority of the Directors present at a duly held meeting of the Board of Directors, for which notice stating such purposes has been given in advance of the meeting.

§ 3.5 Office Vacancies and Promotions.

A vacancy in an office because of death, resignation, or removal may be filled by the lower ranks as they promote.

§ 3.6 Board Limitations

Knowing that Chairman Executive Officer, President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, Board At Large, and Area Director of the organization shall be members of the Board of Directors, all other officers need be paid members of the Board.

Chapter IV: Committees

§ 4.1 Committee.

The committee would consist of paid members only upon establishment.

- (a) Members of this committee oversee the success of the project proposed by each member.
- (b) Current members, who made the proposal, shall be responsible for all aspects of said projects.
- (c) Committee works closely with Athletic Director and Sport Coordinator.

Chapter V: Members and Membership

§ 5.1 Individual Qualifications.

Adult membership of Vegas Classic, Inc. shall be open to individuals who are:

- (a) Above the age of sixteen (16);
- (b) deaf, hard of hearing, or hearing with an interest in deaf culture;
- (c) without discrimination;
- (d) able to communicate through sign language;
- (e) in good standing with the community and other organizations;
- (f) allowed to vote at public meetings;
- (g) not blacklisted anywhere in the United States.

Junior membership of Vegas Classic, Inc. will be open to individuals who are:

- (a) From age thirteen (13) years old to fifteen (15) years old
- (b) deaf, hard of hearing, or hearing with an interest in deaf culture;
- (c) without discrimination;
- (d) able to communicate through sign language;
- (e) not allowed to vote at Vegas Classic, Inc. meetings;
- (f) allowed to make a business proposal at Vegas Classic, Inc.
- (g) to have parent's or guardian's sign approval and waiver form to become a member.

Youth membership of Vegas Classic, Inc. will be open to individuals who are:

- (a) From age five (5) years old to age twelve (12) years old;
- (b) deaf, hard of hearing, or hearing with an interest in deaf culture;

- (c) without discrimination;
- (d) able to communicate through sign language;
- (e) not allowed to vote at Vegas Classic, Inc. meetings;
- (f) allowed to make a business proposal;
- (g) to have parents' or guardian's sign approval and waiver form to become a member.

§ 5.2 Membership Qualifications.

The membership includes all individuals, persons, corporations, proprietorships, associations, partnerships, and organizations interested in the promotion of the purposes of this organization and who are deemed qualified for membership.

§ 5.3 Membership Length.

The length of membership of Vegas Classic, Inc. is one (1) year from the date of the enrollment.

§ 5.4 Membership Fees and Subscription.

The membership due is \$10.00 per year. Membership due is \$5.00 per year for current students and \$5.00 for senior citizens over fifty-five (55) years old and up. Officers' membership due is \$5.00 per year. Active members are entitled to subscribe the organization's newsletters via mail or electronic mail. The cost of the subscription via "snail" mail is \$2.00 every three months or \$8.00 per year. Electronic mail subscriptions are free.

§ 5.5 Membership Suspension.

If the member(s) does not pay the required membership dues before thirty (30) days, the member(s) will be suspended. Suspension will be lifted once the member(s) pays for membership dues plus the fine of 50% of the total in full. Participants are not allowed to participate in any tournaments or games if membership dues are not paid in full.

§ 5.6 Grievances.

Members may file grievances against any Director(s), Officer(s) or Member(s) within the organization, participate in general public meeting, and vote for candidates running for office positions. However, they are not allowed to participate in Directors' meetings. Members may give ideas relating to the objectives and purposes of this organization and who are deemed qualified for membership under terms established by the Board of Directors and has met all conditions for membership.

§ 5.7 General Meetings.

General meeting for members will meet quarterly. An meeting shall be held at a date, time, and place determined by the Board of Directors, with written notice to each member providing at least ten (10) days in advance of the meeting. Director of the organization shall chair the meeting. Robert's Rule of Order will govern motion, voting, and other conduct of the meeting.

§ 5.8 Organization's Oath.

Membership opportunity to all regardless of race, color, creed, national origin, ancestry, sex, martial status, disability, religious, political affiliation, or sexual orientation with Vegas Classic, Inc.

§ 5.9 Sports Participation.

Paid members are allowed to sign up and participate in programs available and represented as Vegas Classic, Inc.

Chapter VI: Policy

§ 6.1 Indemnification.

To the full extent permitted by the Nevada Nonprofit Corporation Act, as amended from time to time, or by other provisions of law, each person who was or is a party or is threatened to be made a party to any threatened, pending, or completed action, suit or proceeding, wherever and by whomsoever brought, including any such proceeding by or in the right of the organization, whether civil, criminal, administrative, or investigative, by reason of the fact that he or she is or was a Member, Director, or Officer of the organization, shall be indemnified by the organization by an affirmative vote of a majority of the Directors present at a duly called meeting of the Board of the Directors, against expenses, including attorneys' fees, judgments, fines, and amount paid in settlement actually and reasonably incurred by such person in connection with such action. The indemnification shall inure to the benefit of the heirs, executors, and administrators of such person.

§ 6.2 Fiscal Year.

The fiscal year of the organization is beginning of each year, January 1st.

§ 6.3 Auditing

President shall appoint two (2) auditors to review bookkeeping that *include*; statements, invoices, receipts, and funds collected by our current Treasurer.

§ 6.4 Withdrawal

In order to withdraw funds from our organization's account, two (2) signatures which will be from our current President and Treasurer will be required on every withdrawal requests. If President are said to be unable to honor his signature for any particular reason, alternative signature shall be made by our current Vice President.

Chapter VII: Amendment to By-Laws

§ 7.1 Amendments.

The By-Laws may be amended, altered, or repealed by the Board of Directors or the organization by a majority of a quorum vote at any regular or special meeting; provided however, that the Officers may from time to time specify particular provisions of the By-Laws which shall not be amended or repealed by the Board of Directors.

§ 7.2 By-Laws Review.

By-Laws are reviewed after a year of its development every year.

Certification

I certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the By-Laws of the Vegas Classic, Inc, duly adopted by the organization on March 31st, 2009.

Bonita Leek
Secretary