

WGPO Board meeting held on April 7, 2025.

In attendance: Laurie Cohen (President), Bennett Jacobstein (Vice President), Jan Cardia (Treasurer), William Cody (Secretary), John Harris (Board member) and Josh Greenway (Board member). Absent: Shan Abbasi (Board member)

1. Laurie Cohen called the meeting to order at 5:10 pm eastern time.
2. John Harris presented an update of Code of Conduct. A discussion of an official WGPO tournament rulebook. John is hoping to have this in place for Saint Louis Word Cup.
3. Laurie Cohen is still working on the WESPA letter regarding rating tournaments.
4. Charles is still working on info@wordgameplayers.org.
5. A discussion on our insurance and tournaments are covered. Clubs are not covered. A discussion about getting insurance for our Canada tournaments?
6. A policy needs to be made on choosing where the Word Cup will be held. The board has agreed to form a Championship Committee with Laurie, Jan, Josh, and Bennett meeting after April 15.
7. The Word Cup location will hopefully be announced at Saint Louis Word Cup.
8. National Scrabble Day is April 13, 2025.
9. Laurie closed the meeting at 6:35 pm.

William Cody, Secretary of WGPO.