

GREAT BASIN YOUTH SOCCER LEAGUE MEETING
FEBRUARY 14, 2005

Rich was not able to attend the meeting, Pam Calhoun presided.

Quorum obtained.

Minutes from the last meeting: move to approve by Deb L., second by Vicki M. All in favor, none opposed, no abstentions.

Board Reports:

President (via Vicki L)

- Thank you for the contributions to the newsletter. It was nice to see some news from the North.
- Next newsletter deadline is 3/1/05.
- Fields:
 - We are waiting to hear from the RYSA. We probably won't be able to get on the fields until at least 3/10/05. The fields are still to wet from the recent snows. Everyone is advised to stay off the fields until we are notified that we are allowed on them.
 - For South Valley we will probably put the older players on the lower fields and the younger players on the upper fields.
 - Mendive: we're trying to make this a practice field only.
 - We will try to have Mira Loma 16 and up only, with no Saturday games.
 - We will have 4 fields at North Valley
 - Hopefully we'll have 4 fields at Edmonds.
- Team names: teams will be required to include their club name with their team name starting this fall. This is intended to promote the club structure of the league. Teams will not be allowed to include "FC" or "SC" unless they are part of a club. Independent teams are not associated with a club and cannot use that designation.
- The new scheduler will post team standings on the web site. The schedule will include the same information but will be presented in a different format.

Vice President – not here

Treasurer – written report submitted.

Secretary – written report submitted

- Maria Huynh has expressed an interest in becoming Secretary. Move to appoint Maria as secretary by Jeanie K, second by Dean K. All in favor, none opposed, no abstentions. Maria will assume these duties at the next meeting.

Registrar:

- 106 teams in competitive
- Now working on the rec teams.
- Requests to play up:

- Keyvn Holden: U14G playing on RSU Excell (U19). Move to approve by Arnie S, second by Rich N. All in favor, none opposed, no abstentions. We would like Roy Callahan send a letter of support for this since he coached her at McQueen.
- Jessica Cervenak, Lorelei Gettmes, and Brittany De Rosa. All are U16G who want to play in U19. Vicki M-move to approve providing parents have provided permission. Second by Jimmy H. All in favor, none opposed, no abstentions.
- Corina Harvey, U13G wants to play U16. Will A- move to approve that she be allowed to play only in the U16 bracket, but not if the team plays U17 or above. Second by Dean K. All in favor, none opposed, no abstentions.
- Brian Walker (14), Brian Garcia (15), Kyle Psilopoulos (15). This is a So Lake Tahoe team with only one 18 year old player. They have requested to play U17-19. Move to approve by Rich N, second by Doug B. All in favor, none opposed, no abstentions.
- Guadalupe Ruelas (14), Diego Villagrona (15), Matt Thompson (15). All have requested to play U19B.
 - Move to approve the two 15 year olds (Diego and Matt) by Will A, second by Dean K. All in favor, none opposed, no abstentions.
 - Regarding the 14 year old (Guadalupe), we are uncomfortable approving a 14 year old player for U19. Suggest that they register him as a player for U14. Then he can practice with the team and guest play on an age appropriate team. We will not approve for him to play at U19.

Commissioners' report: - nothing to report.

Northern VP:

- Joe Morelo is here from the National Police and Fire Games. They will be hosting a soccer tournament 7/25/05 at South Valley. They need volunteers for ball chasers etc. They also need referees. Contact Ron Flickenger or Steve Asher if you are interested in helping.
- Coaches Clinics: E clinic will be in two weeks, the D clinic will follow. See the website for dates.
 - Who pays for these? Initially the individual will pay.
 - This needs to be on the next agenda for discussion to see if the League can help with payment.
- State Cup:
 - See the web site for rules and regulations.
 - Forms must be typed.
 - Everything from the North must be turned in to Ron. NO EXCEPTIONS. DO NOT MAIL ANYTHING TO THE STATE.
 - Ron will verify all information is correct and included and will forward applications to the State.
 - Anything in Spanish must be translated.
 - Certified copy of the birth certificate plus two copies.

- If the team played last year you can put “on file” and hope that the birth certificates are still there, or you can bring them in again just to make sure.
- 4 teams from the north, 8 from the south.
- Teams will be seeded this year and distributed with both weak and strong teams in all brackets.
- We may have Friday night games.
- A State Cup meeting will be held up here. Date TBA.
- Don’t be late to your games.
- Dual registration: Pam and Ron are still working on this.

ODP:

- 6 teams participated in the Region IV tournament. B&G 87,89,90. All teams did well and represented Nevada well.
- The biggest issue is still that we can’t get the teams together for practices.
- It’s been suggested to have a practice every weekend in LV. The northern players would have to help with costs.
- They have developed a pool for all games.
- Tryouts and training are tentatively scheduled for 3/6 and 3/13 – depending on the fields. This may have to be changed if we can’t get on the fields.
- See the website for dates.
- Are trying to set up a mini-camp for June or July
- We would like to do concessions at South Valley.
 - This needs to go on the agenda for the next meeting.

Committee Reports:

Recreational – need more teams.

Club Reports:

Capital – everything is fine.

Carson – everything is fine.

Mammoth – not here

Northern Nevada soccer – not here

Quincy – not here

RSU – the web site has been updated.

Sagebrush – the Start Up tournament is coming up

Sierra Soccer – everything is fine.

Sierra Tahoe Soccer – need a set of nets with anchors. Full size. The League is not allowed to install anchors, have someone at the field do it. Also need corner flags.

Wendy requested 15 cases of paint, that is a lot, please verify amount needed.

Old business – all tabled

New Business:

Equipment requests:

- Sagebrush would like to borrow the temporary goals for the Start Up. The league hasn’t ordered these yet, check with Mo, also can use the Virginia Foothills goals.

- Move to allow the local clubs to utilize equipment for tournaments with the approval of the President by Arnie, second by Doug B, all in favor, none opposed, no abstentions.
- Mendive Middle school wants to borrow our goals. These are shared with AYSO, it's OK with GBYSL, but they need to get approval from AYSO as well.

Mammoth Storm paid all fees but has lost 2 players and they can no longer field a team. They are requesting a refund.

- Normal practice is to refund 50%.
- Vicki: suggest we keep \$150 fee and refund the rest.
- Pam: they can play 9v9 if they still want to play. The League can require that teams play a 9v9 for those games.
- Rich N: move that if they don't want to stay and play 9v9 that we refund all but \$150. Second by Will A. All in favor, none opposed, no abstentions.

Pam C: suggest that we allow the President a budget of up to \$5000.00 for equipment for the spring. So moved by Rich N, second by Vicki M. All in favor, none opposed, no abstentions.

Adjourn