

Bellevue Soccer Club

Executive Council Meeting Minutes

April 9, 2009

Board members in attendance: Bob Brandriff, Marvin Campbell, Larry Denton, Greg Fisher, Sarah Fisher, Kirk Nelson, Todd Smith, Jim Steele

Board members absent: Chris Drake, Dan Dunn, Denise Gehringer, Rich Locke, Sharon Moore, Steve Moore, Tina Story, Doug Whitfield

Call to Order

- No quorum

Presentation from Jeff Hulbert, NSSA

- Intent to form teams must be complete by May 1, 2009.
 - Coaches fill out the form online, representative from BSC approves the form, the president for BAS approves the form, NSSA approves the form
- There will not be a referee scheduler class held this year due to lack of interest.
- NSSA is thinking about having referee re-certification classes monthly.
- NSSA is thinking about starting a coaching education program called Right Start Program. This is **not official at this point** and will be taken to the NSSA Board on April 20, 2009.
 - Four components to the Right Start Program
 - 100% background check on new coaches, every four years after
 - Sportsmanship Program
 - Youth Modules for coaches, determined by the age the coach is coaching
 - Notebook for each coach and assistant U12 and younger
 - Notebook would contain places to hold player passes, waivers, rosters, etc.
 - Would also contain a coaching book with rules of the game, basic first aid, etc.
 - One other book, age-group appropriate
- NSSA is thinking about raising the coach fee from \$6.00 to \$12.00 to help offset the costs from the Right Start Program. This fee increase would include the cost of the Youth Modules.
- Academy Registration
 - U9 and U10 are currently allowed to be registered Academy Style by NSSA
 - There is a proposal at the April 20 meeting to allow U11 and U12 to be registered Academy Style
 - NSSA would consider allowing Academy Style Registration for U 7 and U8, but there is not a proposal at this point
 - All players are allowed to dual-register (on more than one team) which allows for tournament teams under Academy Registration