

Sacramento Youth Soccer League

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SYSL Board Meeting

Tuesday, October 13, 2009

CALL TO ORDER:

Meeting called to order at 7:43 by Sarah Najarro, SYSL First Vice President

ROLL CALL: All present except Clarksburg, Valley Hi, and Southgate. Woodland hosted and Robert introduced Board members who served us dinner.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

Motion to approve made by South Florin, seconded by Land Park. Motion passed unanimously.

FIRST VICE REPORT:

Sarah reported that in the first half of the Recreational soccer season, there were 8 red cards handed out in SYSL, two of which were to coaches. In contrast, there are no less than 15 red cards each week in Metro. Make sure that your club referees check the Coaches' passes. Game cards are coming in late and not filled out correctly.

HEAD COACH REPORT:

Please remind your coaches that they need to be good role models. We are having our usual problems with teams running up scores. Clubs need to remind coaches about sportsmanship. Ideas were discussed like the Positive Coaching Alliance or taking away points for excessive goals as they do in many tournaments.

HEAD REFEREE REPORT:

As Ed has been touring around the different clubs observing referees, he would say that the best he's witnessed so far in terms of proper dress, pre-game inspections, etc...have been Land Park and West Sacramento. Some clubs have been playing with uncertified referees. They need to take the course and get certified. Badges need to be either 2009 or 2010 – 2008 are no longer valid.

If a red card is given in Metro or CPL, it goes to Larry Svetich. Recreational red cards go to Sarah Najarro. Referee complaints go to Ed Foster. Referee Send Off reports – they have 48 hours to complete but best by 24. They are really easy to do online.

Player check-ins – No casts, jewelry, or duplicate numbers.

Referee of the Year – get names to Ed. He will come observe.

October 23 – Inservice at Ethel I. Baker in Fruitridge. "Conquering Problems in Youth Soccer". 6-7 will focus on u6 - u10 and 7-9:30 will focus on u12 - u19.

TREASURER'S REPORT:

N/A

REGISTRAR'S REPORT:

N/A

SECRETARY'S REPORT:

Valley Hi will host the next meeting. Place to be determined.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT:

N/A

COMMITTEE REPORT:

Metro: All scores need to be called or emailed in by 6pm Saturday night. District Cup Applications need to be in to Marlene by October 19.

OLD BUSINESS:

New second half schedules will be posted online by Friday. Master schedules will be available for Club Managers to pickup at 7pm on Tuesday 10/23 at Johnnie's Sidewalk Pizza in West Sac.

Need to schedule fields for Sunday Nov 22 as the rainout/makeup day if necessary.

Land Park Rec tournament Oct 17-18. Check the LP website for more information.

NEW BUSINESS:

Problems/concerns with fields. Discussion about how fields are scheduled through Parks and Recreation for the City fields. Fields needed to be requested by September 18. Other organizations can also put in for the same fields. Then they are shared. We need to somehow coordinate between SYSL clubs to make sure we're not stepping on each other's boundaries.

Coaches' manuals are here for the taking.

GOOD OF GAME:

Thanks to Woodland for hosting and providing the delicious food and drinks.

ADJOURNMENT:

Motion to adjourn by Woodland. Seconded by Southgate. Meeting adjourned at 9:43.

NEXT MEETING: Host Club: Valley Hi Location: TBD

See SYSL website for map and directions.