

SYSL BOARD OF MANAGER'S MEETING
TUESDAY, August 14, 2001

CALL TO ORDER:

Meeting called to order at 7:50 p.m. by Kathy Ayala

ROLL CALL:

All Clubs in attendance.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

Julie DelAgua mot to accept minutes of 7/10, Dave Garza sec.

Guest: David Shagun

FIRST VICE REPORT:

Seeding meeting is scheduled for this week. Coaches in attendance need to be reminded that they are there for the whole of the Club and not only for their team. A list of the teams for the Clubs should be supplied with recommendations as to proper seeding order, Team Blue Jays should be seeded in A, etc. See list Janet has handed out as to who the representatives are. It is up to the Club Mngr to contact the individual representative as to the time and location of this meeting, Johnnie's Sidewalk Pizza at 7:00 p.m.

(HEAD COACH) REPORT:

130 F and 35 E. Last clinic this weekend in Woodland

(HEAD REFEREE) REPORT:

List passed out of names of Club Head referee. Please review, several corrections made as Managers were reviewing.

Several clinics recently completed with graduates for GH and Sac United, Dixon has added 8 additional referees.

One more referee class will be held in Woodland starting tomorrow, 8/14/01.

Land Park has one to be scheduled and is presently full, this will be at Belle Coolidge Community Center. Most of the attendees are from SYSL. A few are from out of the area. There is a possibility of another clinic to be held, may be in Valley Hi Club. There may not be another class until May of next year, will wait later in season to confirm.

There are 15-18 still interested, only have about 20 books of laws of the game available and this determines how many can attend the class.

Valley Hi has a location and may host the next clinic, Sept 10, 12, 17 and 19. Abt 6-9:15 p.m.

Have until Aug 30 to cater to our own League and then will open it to outsiders as interest is there.

TREASURER'S REPORT:

Handout of the monthly report submitted no questions from the floor.

REGISTRAR'S REPORT:

Will surpass 8200, we are the biggest league in the District with 612 teams. We had 525 last year.

Lamination will begin this Friday, Saturday, Monday, Friday and following Saturday. The Club registrar has the information. Any and all help is welcome.

Need at team of people, probably a minimum of 4 would be best.

The Dist Registrar has not approved a few Metro teams as material is still missing.

Question from the floor, how many days before lamination do you need to submit all the info for a team?

Ideally team information should be submitted 3-4 days prior. Include pictures with any registration.

Deadline to have teams filled is August 1.

There will be \$5.00 fine to change player passes now, \$15.00 after lamination and \$25.00 after seeding. It is up to the Clubs discretion as to any fine they may wish to charge above these rates.

SAC UNITED REPRESENTATIVE'S REPORT:

Busy time this year with tournaments, a total turnout of 78 teams. A few red cards, but all in all a good time was had.

U11 comp boys' team played at half time during the Necaxa team play. Almost 10,000 in audience. Comp used this as a fundraiser and made about \$4000.00.

A Northgate team worked the fundraiser and earned \$800.00.

U18 G flames, qualified in CYSA premier league. Technical Director Rick Caldwell named head coach at Sierra College, had been assistant for the last two years. Sierra College players had been assisting Competitive teams with training.

Clive Charles, coach of Portland men and women's team, asst. at world cup, had a presentation and was a good speaker addressing youth soccer concerns and comp particulars such as competitiveness from parents for the youth players. Player development is the big concern up to age 14.

Sac United will host other guest speakers, and will advise. All are invited.

SECRETARY'S REPORT:

The Parkway Club will be hosting the September meeting.

Will be held at the Fruitridge Comm Center. Take Hwy 80 to 5, exit Florin East.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT:

Coaches books and certificates of insurance are in, please pick these up from Michelle before you leave tonight.

Michelle does hand out the certificates to the Sac City Parks and Rec and Sac City School Dist.

Please have registrars check and make sure there are no U10 players on a Metro and Comp U12 team.

U10s can only play up on recreational teams.

Registrars need to be real careful before placing players on Metro and Comp teams.

COMMITTEE REPORT:

Janice Ward is showing three selections of the pin designed by the Dixon Club this year and a vote will be taken.

Michelle wants to cover seeding information. She has already selected the convenors for seeding. There are 34 U14b, 32 U14g, 13 U16b, 19 U16g, U16g will seed, and U16 b will be decided on by Thursday, they may not have to seed.

Maximum numbers on rosters, U10 is only 14, no more. Teams that have more than 14 will be sent back.

There is a Rule that teams in adjoining age group teams may not have the same team name.

Problem in the past is players playing on the wrong team.

Michelle needs to talk to each Club Manager that has a Metro team after the meeting, to discuss field assignments.

Kasey Cotula on metro teams -Aug 28 is mandatory coach meeting for Metro, League play begins Sept 8.

List is handed out of Metro teams and listing of dropped teams. One additional drop is the U14G

Woodland, Sportin Cristal.

Ques as to whether there is a fine for the teams?

What is SYSLs deadline for the teams to drop?

Kathy will find out at next Dist meeting if there is a fine and it will be handed down to the Clubs. No other leagues pay for their teams to go Metro.

Discussion was held at having Clubs be a little more accountable for the teams going Metro. A re-examination is needed for the teams interested in going Metro.

Are the U12 coaches aware that they may not be able to keep their U10 players, as they may be required to play up to U14? These are select teams and do not qualify for Class IV play.

A motion was introduced that the coaches who originally registered to play Metro and now dropping down to Rec play be suspended for first two league games, after seeding, so they are aware there are ramifications for doing this. Sec by John Gerald. There is no appeal as the executive board decided on this.

To serve this suspension, the Coach has to be at the field for each of the games, they cannot coach and the referee has to be informed before the game as they will be required to sign off on the suspension report.

Vote taken, 8 in favor, 5 against, 3 abstain. Three people had left before this vote was taken. M/S/P

There was a discussion about disbanding these teams as it is not too late to force Clubs to do so. It was felt that this should be considered.

A discussion ensued

- that possibly we should have the parents' signature included with submission of teams to Metro that they understand the travel involved with Metro. This information can be obtained as late as the first of July so the league will know the interest.
- Need someone in Club committed to seeing that the teams are formed if a Coach is interested
- Maybe need to take Metro out of rec

Valley Hi is not present to discuss.

OLD BUSINESS:

Vote taken for the pin design, 5 for A, 6 for B, 9 for C. Pin selected for winner pin. Let Janice know if you are interested in extra pins for your Club.

Ques abt U10 fields, is there an 18 yard box

Use SYSL book for U10.

Ques on Granite Park fields, Sac United practiced for abt a week and a half, Fields have been closed til Sept 1 due to irrigation problem. Still being maintained by developer, this was not maintained by the City. Will they be available for seeding? Not burned, may not be available.

Ques on updating website. One Club has very old info and have left messages with web master. As many emails are received they will need to include in their Subject line that this is an update request for the website. Action will be taken.

NEW BUSINESS:

GOOD OF GAME:

Tell Coaches, players cannot play with cast, or hinged knee braces can play with rubberized sleeves. No cast allowed, no soft material around a hard cast.

Knights' tickets will be available. SYSL night will be the last game of our season. How many does each club want to purchase. SYSL had requested 800 tickets last year and sold 760.

Mot by Mercy that SYSL purchases 600 tickets, purchase price \$7 and \$10.

ADJOURNMENT:

Motion to adjourn by Julie Delagua and sec Mark Cooley. Meeting adjourned at 9:30.

Respectfully submitted,

Marlene Vega
SYSL Secretary

September meeting to be hosted by the Parkway Club
at Fruitridge Community Center, same location as July meeting.