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SYSL BOARD OF MANAGER'S MEETING Tuesday, May 14, 2002

CALL TO ORDER:

Meeting called to order at 7:45m p.m.

ROLL CALL:

All Clubs in attendance but West Sacramento and River Park.

APROVAL OF MINUTES:

Tom Bistline motion to approve minutes as submitted, M/S/P.

Visitors are Vern Mello from Southgate, and the Treasurer, and Vice President from the Southgate Club. Desiree Calderon is visiting from the Fruitridge Club.

FIRST VICE REPORT:

No report.

(HEAD COACH REPORT:

Steve Martinez reported that an E clinic is coming up this weekend and there may be availability to fill another spot if anyone is interested. The pre-F clinic is also being held this weekend. It is suggested that all coaches interested in going Metro in the near future take the F clinic this year so they will be ready for the E clinic. Kathy Ayala reminded the Clubs that it is not easy to request waivers for coaches who need to take the F clinic in the same year they need to get their E, she would prefer not to have to do waivers.

E/D clinic to be held this year and Steve has info and applications, he also has forms for any club wanting to host the clinic. Please see him after the meeting.

Contact Zac Cherrix at 916-863-1753 for information on an E clinic. This is an out of league clinic so need to be aware you will have to pay for the whole clinic. If you wish to take a clinic out of league let the board know so we can request some reimbursement for your cost.

(HEAD REFEREE REPORT:

Seven Referee clinics are scheduled for this season. Information as to time and place are all on the web, at ww.sysl.com.

Applications are coming in off the web; there are blanks available tonight for anyone not having access to website. SYSL pays for the instructor and the books.

\$30.00 check submitted with registration will be refunded for anyone from our league that passes the course. Applications must be submitted with a stamped self-addressed envelope so checks can be returned for those who pass. If a stamped envelope is not provided, Don will not mail the check but will tear it up. Check web sites for address of upcoming sessions.

There was a question as to whether a team needed to be made available for the training class. That decision will be up to the instructor and the hosting club.

Don has a list of head referees and there are several clubs with no head referees listed. West Sacramento and Tahoe Park managers need to see Don after the meeting to furnish a name of a representative for the Head Referee positions.

There is an addition to playing rules regarding referees. SYSL would like to request that 'each club provide at least one certified referee for every two U/14 team and above. These names must be submitted to the Executive board for approval prior to the seeding tournament each season. Failure to supply this information will result in teams U14 and above being dropped for the season'.

This is an amendment request to the rule in place. This is important as it concerns the safety of the children.

Mark Cooley mot to amend the playing league rule that each club supply a list of a certified referee for every two U14 and above teams or the teams will be dropped, Lupe Zamudio seconds the motion.

Discussion—Mercy requested a friendly amendment allowing the teams that have to be dropped be allowed to continue play in unsanctioned game. The amendment was not accepted.

Question from the floor, if a club is a referee shy what team is left out?

Answer: There are several months left in the season for the Clubs to come up with certified referees. The decision as to which team will have to be dropped will be left up to the individual Club.

A Coach will need to be notified in advance of the game if there is a problem with supplying the required certified referees. If at least one certified referee is provided for the center, then parents from each team can run lines for the opposing team.

Motion passes.

TREASURER'S REPORT:

Treasurer is out of town for a family emergency. No report.

REGISTRAR'S REPORT:

A registrar meeting was held last month and each Club was present except East Sacramento. Mercy will be meeting with East Sac tomorrow.

Registration is coming in, have already received two teams for Sac United. There are about 800 players just from GH and Sac United. Managers will need to remind the Metro Coaches from last season that they must return the birth certificates and copies of licenses so the registrars will be able to prepare the packages for this season.

A request from the floor to go over the deadlines for registration. At least 2/3 of the Clubs prior years numbers must be submitted to Mercy or Melissa by June 15.

July 8 or 10 all team registration must be in for metro, which includes all pictures, and licenses for the metros coaches and team birth certificates.

SAC UNITED REPRESENTATIVE'S REPORT:

U14 and under have held tryouts, have one team in each age group and gender for U14 and up. Tryout window for U15 and above is at May 15, most teams have been formed. No boundaries for U15 and above, so we are starting to see a lot of player movement, viability of team is becoming an issue. There was no U15 girls' team last year, but an U16 girls' has been formed this year.

John is submitted a list of coaches to be approved for Sac United. Copy submitted. Dave Buno mot to approve the coaches as submitted, Mark Cooley, M/S/P.

Sac United has retained the services of Archimedes Desilvera. Archie is abt 25 and had played professionally in Brazil. He married an American woman from Lincoln, CA and moved to the area. He will work with U14 boys and the U16 and U17 girls.

The second weekend of ODP tryouts will be held this weekend at Granite Park and Kennedy. Check the D6 web site for the times for each age group.

SECRETARY'S REPORT:

Next meeting will be hosted by South Florin at the Florin Historical Society on Please don't forget to sign in.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT:

Cherry Island has a full size goal post to get rid of, let Kathy know if anyone is interested and she will provide information for a contact person.

Metro working rosters must be turned in to Tom Bistline before the first week in June, as he must submit these to the District the first week in June. Coaches must have licenses or they will not be allowed to coach. If the team cannot play Metro it will not be allowed to stay together as a team and play in rec. The team will need to be disbanded.

FYI—an appeal was filed by a parent to USYSF, requesting that their child be allowed to play wherever they want to play and USYSF approved and ordered CYSA to open all boundaries. CYSA has boundaries for u14 and below, the player must play within their own district and league.

USYSF is saying children belong to the parents and the parents can choose where their child plays. CYSA contends that if the parent chooses to play in our program, they must follow our rules. The decision is being appealed.

Class 4 district tournament the first weekend in August is a charity tournament. See Kathy for the paperwork. This is for U14 and above teams, boys only. Team registration should be submitted the same time as Metro. Coach license not required for this tournament. The District is hoping to expand this next year to include more teams.

COMMITTEE REPORT:

Tom Bistline apologizes for not getting a mailer out for metro, will try to get something out on the website. He submitted a list of 39 teams that have requested to play Metro. He is still finalizing the licenses for Head and Asst coaches. He has had contact with a representative from all the Clubs that are interested in playing metro. Tom wants the district applications sent to him no later than May 31. If not received by that date the team cannot be approved.

Reminder; child that is U10 cannot play U12 metro there is no playing up for metro in this age group. U12 and up allows players to play up one age group. Any further movement requires permission of the board.

A coach for an U19 boy's team from Elk Grove contacted Tom saying that he missed EG tryouts and wants to move to SYSL. This will be investigated.

Janice Ward is looking for someone to take on her position to handle the design and ordering of pins for the league and winners.

East Sac is responsible for designing the league pin this year. She would like to have at least three drawings submitted no later than the July meeting, so they can be voted on. The company who makes the pins will fine-tune the drawings. Requirements are a form of the capitol, SYSL and the season year must be in the drawing.

Drawings are also needed for the winner and runner-up pins. Anyone can submit drawing for these, or we will use last year's pins.

OLD BUSINESS:

No old business.

<u>NEW BUSINESS:</u>
There was a request form Parkway regarding a winning team who alleges not receiving their pins. Janice request she be provided with the team name and she will check into this.

Parkway has a new uniform to submit for approval. These are the same colors but a different style. Red body with white sleeves, white and blue trims on neck and sleeves, red socks, royal blue shorts.

John Gerald mot to accept, Dave Buno sec. M/S/P

Kathy asks for information on any schools that need to be added or deleted on the insurance forms. Please see her tonight.

Dave Buno had question regarding the player that we gave the right to play in younger age group last year. This was a Land Park player and the manager reports the parent was satisfied with the vote and thanks the board.

A question was raised about U8 play. There are two different sets of written rulings about whether U8 plays quarters or halves. The rule is only one coach has to agree to play halves for the game to be played with halves. Both coaches must agree for quarters to be played. The South Florin Club had brought this up last season. These need to be corrected on our handouts for this season.

GOOD OF GAME:

Don says playoffs are on at ARC for Division 1, Davis is playing Sheldon, and Bella Vista will be playing Elk Grove.

Semi finals are this Thursday for girls' varsity Division 2. Granite vs. Folsom, Ponderosa vs. Sierra.

Div 4 Forestlake vs Christian, Sac Country Day vs Mariposa. This is good soccer and everyone should take the opportunity to watch the games. There is a fee to enter the fields.

The City of Sacramento has middle school league ongoing for last 6 yrs playing at Kit Carson School.

ADJOURNMENT:

Meeting adjourned at 9:00 p.m.

The June Board of Managers meeting will be hosted by
South Florin at the Florin Community History Center
7245 Fletcher Farms Dr
Hwy 99 So to Florin Rd East
Take Florin all the way past Florin Perkins Rd
take a right on Fletcher Farms Dr and the yellow building on the right