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SYSL BOARD OF MANAGER'S MEETING Tuesday, May 11, 2004

CALL TO ORDER:

Meeting called to order at 7:55 p.m.

ROLL CALL:

Missing: Clarksburg, Our Lady of Guadalupe, Southgate and Valley Hi.

Guest:

Thank you to Vicki Castle of GH, past registrar, new secretary who picked up the delicious food for tonight's meeting. The Chinese food is a nice change.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

Suggest to list full names of those who make motions. This will help familiarize new members with the Board.

Need to add to Sac United Reports a request for financial statements needed from Sac United.

John Gerald of Woodland mot to approve, Sec by Sara Najarro of Woodland. 1 abstention, M/S/P

FIRST VICE REPORT:

No report.

(HEAD COACH REPORT:

First F clinic held, low turnout but this was expected for first clinic of the season.

E clinic in Woodland coming up. All Clinics are posted on the website.

National D clinic coming up, see CYSA website for information, <u>www.cysan.org</u>

SYSL will reimburse participants up to no more than \$150.00. Reimbursement will not be made until the coach passes the class and submits a copy of their certificate. This applies only to coaches for SYSL.

There is only one E/D clinic that has room available. Check the website.

Steve thanks Lupe Zamudio and John Gerald for providing maps to the location of the clinic sites hosted by their Clubs. This information is very helpful.

(HEAD REFEREE REPORT):

There are several scheduled clinics coming up. Woodland has the next one starting Monday, May 17. Ed Foster will be instructing this class. Another clinic will be held June 1, hosted by Parkway.

Check the website for dates and locations of all available clinics. Please notify the people in your Club. You do not have to host a clinic for people to attend.

Ques asked as to how many days a clinic lasts. The clinic lasts 4 days. All Clinics start at 6:00 p.m. and usually run through 9:30 p.m.

TREASURER'S REPORT:

Handout of profit and loss for last season. IRS is working on our returns. They have lost all but the Schedule As.

REGISTRAR'S REPORT:

A very busy month, first meeting was on April17th. Two Clubs were missing and have been contacted. WinReg workshop has been held for the new Registrars and was very successful due to the format.

A huge, huge thank you to Hope for allowing me to hold meetings at her office. Thank you to Janet and Michelle for preparing the supplies for training. Our silent partner Sam Steiner is an immense help for us in answering our questions on WinReg.

Norma Clarksburg, Greenhaven, ValleyHi, RiverPark, EastSac, SouthFlorin, TahoePark, and Southgate. Norma lives in the GH area.

The remaining Clubs will be Mercy's responsibility.

Next Registrars meeting is scheduled for June 26, tentatively at same location as others.

To date 144 players are registered thanks to Sac United.

Deadline for metro teams are July 9th. If there are tournaments in July then registration must be in a minimum of three weeks prior to date of tournament.

Club Managers, keep in contact with your registrar to make sure they have enough help.

VISITOR:

None.

SAC UNITED REPRESENTATIVE'S REPORT:

The olders, U15 tryouts and up are finished. About a 25 to 30% increase. Quite a few SYSL players have returned

River City, San Juan and Davis are starting to follow us in the type of training program we are offering.

There are teams in every age group but 18 boys.

SECRETARY'S REPORT:

Reminder to Clubs hosting meetings for the next couple of months. Please submit directions and location to the sites.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT:

Copies of minutes from The District 6 meeting are available. Not a lot covered at last months' meeting.

COMMITTEE REPORT:

Michelle has passed out the SYSL newsletter with standings for the last 5 games of the season. Although there are several teams who did not make up games, the Board awarded to issue pins based on these standings. Pins will be available by next Tuesday, and you can call 371-8309 to arrange to pick up the pins.

Nov 23rd has been voted on as rainout day for this season. Please remember to include this date in permit requests. If you are not able to obtain a field for that date, please notify Michelle immediately. At present, Nielsen Park is the only field not available on that date.

Clubs, if you have any change in your game fields, if there are some you are not using from last season, or a field has been renamed, please notify Michelle. Email is best form of contact, Mastinr@prodigy.net

372-7481 is fax number. Use whatever is best.

Mercy reminds Managers that the Registrar will also need a list of the club fields as they will need this for when they submit the teams, as they will need to assign a field for each team.

Each of the Club Registrars received two sets of mailing labels

Sara Najarro has scheduled a mandatory Metro meeting May 27 at Johnnie's sidewalk pizza. Completed applications must be submitted and if a team is short, the application will be denied. Club Managers must sign the applications to show their support for the teams. Each team's head coach <u>must submit a copy of their E license</u> with the application

No seeding for U19, there are about 30 teams. Need coordinator for this age group. Would like a guesstimate of the number of Metro teams the Clubs will be sending. Pkwy-1, Dix-8,Woodland-7,Guadalajara-2,GH-12, LP?, FR-1,SF-0, ES-0.,TP-2,Vhnot here, Southgate not here, Riverpark-0.

For clarification when registering teams with SYSL Registrar, Mercy, all coach applications must have a copy of the coach's license.

OLD BUSINESS:

Kombat had talked about purchasing group balls.

Secretary will list where in last years minutes this was discussed so that managers can view.

NEW BUSINESS:

South Florin is asking to change their uniform colors. Maroon shirt, with black grey and white on sleeves, black shorts and black socks.

Janet Sheets mot to accept new uniform, Alan Whisenand sec, one abstention.

Discussion: Does any other Club have black shorts and black socks. East Sac has a red shirt, black shorts and red socks. Motion passes to accept uniform.

Parks and Rec Dept has started charging for using of fields. In Woodland, they are charged \$1 for each player and \$10 for every out of town player on their roster. The City is proposing to raise the rate 500%, \$5 for each player and \$15 per team.

Woodland Soccer Club provides field maintenance, and provides own equipment. City only waters and cuts grass which they have to anyway. City is trying to make comparison with Little League, but city provides all maintenance for their fields. John Gerald has written the City protesting the fee increase and has notified the Soccer parents. He is attending the City Council meetings. This will be a great burden on the Club and registration will have to be increased to accommodate this.

SYSL has a contingency fund that had been set aside for needs of the Clubs but the amount is limited. This is one option for some financial assistance to the Clubs. John Gerald is contacting Soccer parents and will be addressing the City of Woodland regarding this.

GOOD OF GAME:

The Girls High School season is winding down, first round game this Friday. Several of the local teams are in Div 1. Check your local newspapers for schedules. Championship games will be held on Sunday.

ADJOURNMENT:

Robert Sperry mot to adjourn, Liz Lehrmann sec, meeting adjourned at 9:02 p.m.

June 8th meeting to be hosted by the At Florin History Center 7245 Fletcher Farm Drive, Sacramento Take 99 to Florin Rd East, make right on Fletcher Farms Drive A guide point is a white fence past Florin-Perkins Rd If you pass St Anthony's Church you have gone too far.