

Rochester District Youth Soccer League Board Meeting

Wednesday, October 10, 2012 (7:00-9:00 P.M.)

JCC 1200 Edgewood Avenue

Attendees:

Mary Arter, Lou Boyon, Brian Charles, Howie DeLooze, George Hebert, Neil Fisher, Beth Guzzetta, Chris Brower, Jacky VanDellon, Mark VanDellon, Karen May, Peppy Erlich, Donna Kephart, Sue Gurak, Paul Walters, Marc Dall, Bret Danglemaier, Janet Wright

1. Introductions- Welcome to Marc (U8), Paul (U9 B), Chris (U13 G), and Bret (U14 G)
2. Board Clothing- shirts, jackets? Mary to research.
3. Board Member Contract- Expectations of the commitment of the DC's and Board members, do we need a contract? No.
4. 2013 Season Budget- Financial review on track for this fall. No player fee increases. Board is in agreement to invest in a formal review after General Meeting in November.
5. Field Location Variance Request- denied request to club currently in RDYSL.
6. Rules Review-Complete first pass
 - a. Post Season Review: Rules, Processes, Education
 - Policy on sharing game reports outside RDYSL/RRU/BRU-recommend no sharing of game reports: Will not provide game reports unless asked for in writing as a part of an appeal.
 - Policy on use of name, logo for use of promotion- discussed a few years ago. Decision: Use long version policy created and add to website.
 - Due date for roster variance requests: Yes. Must be received by NYSWest by February 1.
 - Better communication around division placement: No action
 - Add requirement for game observer role, provided by club to control spectators and coaches-rostered role: No action.
 - Rules for bullying/cyberbullying: Handout to be included in coaches' packet.
 - Provide training on team registration at AGM: Karen May to send ideas to board.
 - Rule 802: More meaningful fines for fines not sitting on opposite sides or sitting on endlines: No change
 - Rule 802: Fine for duplicate jersey numbers: No. Tracking data online for this year. Revisit next year.
 - ZTP: Review Zero Tolerance Policy- continue to remind ref unit.
 - Zero Tolerance-allow coaches to respectfully ask for clarification of a call: No change
 - Rule 310.4: If player receives a third yellow, is he eligible to be called up before next game—rule only deals with red cards. Already added to rules.
 - Rule 411.2.2.d: Clarify 60 minute wait period for lightening—when does 60 minutes start? No action. See rules.

- Rule 417.2.b and Rule 802.11: Inconsistency on fine to be charged for field/time changes. No action
- Rule 310: Allow small club affiliations for callups (up to 20 teams)? There were 304 callups over 154 games. 50/50 Girls vs Boys; 50/50 win/loss; 26 teams used callups. Further discussion and data collection will continue.
- Rule 402: Allow 7'x21' up to 8'x 24' goals at U11-12: Waiting to hear from NYS West.
- Rule 501: Assess team penalty points for coach ejections? 2 penalty points for coach ejection? No change on coach ejections; 2 penalty points for LOPC for red card; 0 points for non LOPC for red card.
- Rule 700.4: Require fields to have technical area marked? Revisit in Nov mtg.
- Rule 802: Fine or otherwise allow a board member attending a game in official capacity to add observations to a game report? NO
- Rule 802: Circumstances that mitigate or waive fees/fines: Yes-Teams/clubs need to communicate to RDYSL in timely manner. (B. Charles to get Game # to webmaster)
- Rule 802: Impose fine if team wears different color jersey than what they put on registration form: No. Require home and away jerseys.

Upcoming meeting

Nov. 7 –Board Meeting @JCC 7-9pm

Adjourned: 9:00pm

Respectively submitted,
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