Rochester District Youth Soccer League Board Meeting - Agenda

September 20, 2015 6:00-8:00 PM - JCC Room 1

Absences: Sue Gurak, Janet Wright, Donna Kephart, Brad Schreiber, Marc Dall, Andrew Knoblauch, Mark VanDellon, Jackie VanDellon, Lou Boyon, Mike Mallaber,

Attendees: George Hebert, Neil Fisher, Beth Guzzetta, DJ Maggio, Karen May, Brian Charles, Bret Dangelmaier, Paul Walters, Peppy Ehrlich,

- 1. Hebert/Regruit/Best meeting update George
 - a. NYSWYSA decisions on US Soccer Small Sided Game changes
 - i. Calendar year registration to begin for 2016-17 season
 - ii. All other changes to be implemented for 2017-18 season
 - b. General discussion review

2. Final Rule decisions:

- a. Heading in younger matches heading will be allowed. Goalie punts are banned for U9-10 matches. Penalty is an indirect free kick from the top of the penalty box nearest the foul.
- b. Club passes there will be none.
- c. Call up rule reinstated as follows:
 - i. No secondary or suspended players may be called up
 - ii. Maximum number of call ups per match -3
 - iii. Maximum 2 age group call up difference, e.g. U19 call up U16, U17 call up U14, etc. but player must be at least on a U13 roster. (Players rostered on U12 and below can NOT be called up.)
 - iv. Maximum number of call ups for an individual 4 across all teams in club
 - v. Individual must come from a lower RDSYL age group or within the same age group but a lower division for the same club
 - vi. The team utilizing the call up player must completely fill out the appropriate form and include the call up player on the team roster. The call up player pass and completed form must be submitted to the referee before the start of the game.
 - vii. Any sanctions apply as if player is on the older roster.
 - viii. The unauthorized use of a call up player will be considered a use of an illegal player and dealt with according to RDYSL rules.
- d. No change to number of primary/secondary players on rosters for 2015-16 season since many rosters will have already been set. League will return to a maximum of 3 secondary players for all current age groups for 2016-17 season. (Recall the number of secondary players was increased due to the elimination of the call up rule.)
- 3. Rules Review (see attachments) minor revisions were made and are included on the attachment included.
- 4. September 27 Presidents Meeting Agenda agenda was set and will be distributed to board and Presidents ASAP.
- 5. 2016 DC Assignments still in progress. Brad and Beth are to finalize ASAP.

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6. League Processes

- a. 2015 concussion training update Marc Dall, absent thus no update
- b. Division Coordinator "Decision Matrix" review all "Gm 1 only" to be changed to "First reported occurrence only"
- c. Teams posting scores after matches rejected
- d. Paying referees via RefPay vs on field payment rejected
- e. Formation of "premiere" division rejected
- f. U10 player participation awards coordinator Karen May will take over this responsibility.
- 7. Board apparel suggestions several suggestions were made.