

Minutes September 7, 2009
University Place Soccer Club

Attendance

Club Officers: Joe McNallan, Don Mears, Jim Schacht, Scott Falk, Richard Wunderle

Teams Represented: Thunderfrogs, Comets, Thunder, Diamonds, Zephyrs, Crusaders, Seawolves, Firecrackers, Velocity, Arsenal, Cobras, Falcons, Bullets, Chaos, Wizzards, Rapids, Panthers, Pumas, Blue Starz, Stars, Rockets, Mighty Eagles, Galaxy, Fireballs, Mirage, Sparks, Heat, Eagles, Lightning, Blue Lasers, Lazer Lynx, Blue Huskies, Seahawks, Blue Angels, Lady Bugs, Classics, Diamonds, Fusion, Pixies, Falcons, Jaguars, and Rovers.

Minutes were unanimously approved from August 10.

Reports

President

- The president's report was deferred and included in discussion of other reports.

Treasurer

- Financial statements were distributed and reviewed. Highlights include We have over \$58 thousand on hand in the bank and another \$6 thousand in our Pay Pal account. This is to be expected so soon after registration and before expenses have been paid.

Registrar/ TCPJSA

- Player cards are required for all players
- There were a few items of interest from TCPJSA:
 - registration deadline for the Presidents Cup is September 15.
 - Presidents Cup games will be played in November on the opposite day of league games.
- The format for the home league is that the teams play some games and then the league re-aligns itself.

Fields

- Discussion was held concerning the concussion law. Bottom line is that those not in compliance should not play or practice. This is a concern to the school district because it too must demonstrate compliance.
 - Per registrar only 3 teams are 100% in compliance.
 - Teams are advised to make sure the web site forms show them to be in compliance or to keep paper copies of the concussion forms with the coach and bring them to games.
- The fields are ready for games. Minor work is needed on Evergreen South to fix the nets.

- A round of applause was offered by all in attendance for the work of fields chair Scott Falk

Uniforms

- We were shorted on our uniform order. That is being dealt with.
- Additional uniforms should be available the week of September 7.

Referees

- The contract has not been received yet. It is expected the week of August 21

First VP

- Teams are urged to be kind to the referees. Coaches are responsible for the parents for their teams.
- In the event of controversy there is a referee web site that has a place for feed back. Please see PCSRA.org.

Games

- Games had been scheduled and some have been re-scheduled. Teams are reminded that the web site times and dates may not be accurate. Those interested should contact the coaches and managers.
- Teams are reminded that for U-11 and up the team is responsible for reporting their scores.
- In regard to missing referees, the rule is that the game still gets played.
- Also in regard to referees, they self assign. Teams are advised to be good to them in the interest of having them be willing to serve your team.

New Business

- Spanish leagues are forming and will be using our fields.
- Regional Training Centers are being created that will replace the Olympic Development system – older, outstanding players should be encouraged to sign up.
- The U10 girls team, Rapids is hosting a spaghetti feed and poker tournament to raise money.

Adjourned

- Meeting adjourned at approximately 8:00