

Berkshire County Youth Soccer League
BOD Meeting
October 21, 2008

Present: B. Farley, W. Metclf, D. Larocque, C. Schnopp., J.Hunt, B. Koziara, T.Alfonsi,
B. Yehle, R. Swann, C. Dumas, D. Supranowicz

Quorum present, meeting convened 7:04 PM.

OLD BUSINESS:

Previous meeting Minutes: accepted unanimously

Action Item: C. Schnopp will make minor corrections necessary for “members present” at meeting and for sequence of events referenced in “games in question. J. Hunt moved to accept minutes with impending amendments, W. Metcalf second, all in favor.

Member Attendance: no issue; B. Monteleone not present.

U8 Co-ed division: continued; amendments pending.

Bobcat Coach Warning: W. Metclf contacted offending coach [REDACTED]. The coach offered an explanation. W. Metclf discussed the BOD position and reviewed the ZTP with the coach.

Bobcat ZTP Forms: B. Farley confirmed with club coordinator [REDACTED] that signed ZTP forms for club members are in her possession.

Team Entry Form: continued; amendments pending

Leagues Committee Input(MYSA): continued

Delegation of BOD Duties: continued

Action Item: D. Larocque will revise and distribute to members.

Maple Limitation: continued; W. Metcalf indicated the MYSA rule mandates that any roster listing more than 8 MAPLE players constitutes a MAPLE team and is disqualified for county league competition.

League Rule: continued; B. Farley will seek input regarding tryout timing form Leagues Committee.

NEW BUSINESS:

Complaint Against Referee: D. Supranowicz was approached as a board member by a parent concerned with the assignment of a particular referee, [REDACTED], to a U14 girls game. ([REDACTED] was recently reinstated as a referee after a misconduct suspension.)

Action Item: B. Farley will seek input regarding BCYSL jurisdiction over the matter from MYSA director J. Burrill.

Action Item: C. Schnopp will reference previous minutes for record of discussion with game assignor regarding the reassignment of [REDACTED].

Agenda items for Spring Season:

- 1) maple limitation
- 2) playoffs
- 3) delayed game assignment to officials until last 3 weeks of season
- 4) consider all clubs being required to have board of directors
- 5) black out dates for Columbus Day tournament

Action Item: R. Swann will research scheduling in other MA leagues.

6) set date/time for annual referee meeting

7) U16 teams:

- must teams play in league season to qualify for MTOC? Minimum 3 games to qualify?
- may a local team competing in another county league represent BCYSL at MTOC
- is a team comprised of players from different clubs (due to low registration numbers per club) qualified to compete as a county league team?

Action Item: B. Farley will consult with the Leagues Committee on these questions.

Future meetings scheduled for Tuesdays, November 18th and January 20th.

Meeting adjourned at 9:03 PM

Respectfully submitted,
Cathy Schnopp
Secretary, BCYSL