

Meeting Minutes – Southern Lehigh Soccer

Date: May 13, 2019

Meeting called to order at 8:04 PM

Attendance:

Board members: Karen Weissman, Bridget Graver, Dotti Sarko, Mylene Fooij, Curt Snyder, Justin Driscoll, Jason Cassaday, Julie Schaible, Kelly Schwartz, Matt Hagens

Absent: None

Other community members: Julie Oltman (U16boys) Carlos Huaman(U13 girls) Michael Mulvaney (U12 boys)

BOARD REPORTS:

President: Bridget Graver

- Scholarship award/money: two recipients (Konrad Bernardino, Alyssa Minguillon), school notified of recipients, will be presented at athletic award presentation at the high school at the end of May
- Field closure next Tuesday May 21st with a rain date of May 22 for lawn maintenance at US Park
- Waiting to hear from township on what future repairs they are planning on doing to the fields at the US Park
- Bridget on committee through the US township to discuss “open space” in the township and looking into turf field in the future

Vice President:

-VACANT

Treasurer: Dotti Sarko

- Account balance given
- Budget was approved
- PTS training: discussion on rates per team (should be getting “league discount”), all PTS training should be organized through the club
- Registration discounts discussed: (will discuss more and come up with a definitive plan approved by board members)

Possible discounts/ideas discussed were:

- Discount for board members: one free travel registration or recreation discount per year
- Discount for coaches: \$25 discount per coach with a maximum of 3 coaches per team, board member coaches also to get a discount for a second player registration
- Discount for multi-children family registrations (3 or more)

- Discussion on how to use some of the money in the budget in the future: example: team indoor league fees, more tournament money to teams, lighting fields

Secretary: Karen Weissman

-nothing to report

Registrar: Mylene Fooij

-Went to seminar for EPYSA for new registration system (Soccer Connect) all data needs to be submitted to system, software program with different access rights, has a system called Team Connect similar to TeamSnap, all coaches, board members, etc. will need to get a login to register, new risk management training for all coaches, managers, etc., all clearances need to be downloaded to their site, need a risk management coordinator (Jason Cassaday offered to help with this) discussion to convert over to Team Connect for ease of use, issue brought up that many parents use TeamSnap for other sports, can try to use both systems, more discussion and details to follow

Director of Travel: Jason Cassaday

-Travel teams established, coaches have let players know

Director of Recreation: Curt Snyder

-Using Lower Milford fields

-PTS sessions requested for U12 boys for Spring, Bridget will talk to PTS

-Coaching training needed for new coaches for the Fall.... could invest in some coaching training in late summer/early fall

Director of Intramurals: Julie Schaible

-Two sessions for intramurals completed, make up training rescheduled with Matt/PTS

Director of Support: Justin Driscoll

-Needs to order uniforms mid June

Director of Communications/Webmaster: Matt Hagens

- Registration/payment link open- would like payments by end of May

Director of Fundraising: Kelly Schwartz:

-Individual Team fundraising: allowed as long as the fundraiser is explained ahead of time and approved by the board

ADJOURNMENT/NEXT MEETING:

-Meeting adjourned at 10:16 PM

-Next meeting June10, 2019 at 8:00 PM