

AYSO Regional Board Meeting, Region #83, Five Cities September 21, 2006

Attendance: Tom Lebens, Duaine Suprinski, Linda Mae Suprinski, Cindy Collins, Jim Vargo, Gary Bentley, Ralph Juarez, Patrice Eley, Mike Stevens, Veronica Nevis, John Oberg, Jose Quintana, Dave Wilcox, Jill Olson, Warren Clift, Carol Zepeda(?) and our youth player representative Anna.

Called to order: 6:45 pm

Approval of minutes: Aug 17th minutes approved.

Treasurers Report: Mike Stevens

- Post season has been reconciled. The tournament broke even. Final payments need to be issued.

Auditors Report: Tom Cook

- Not present

Reports:

Regional Assessment Program- Tom Lebens

- Application has been finalized. We qualified for the Platinum award for the 3rd year in a row.

Coach Administrator- Dave Wilcox

- Reminder: U10/U12 certification will be held on Sat 9-23-06 at 1 pm.

Player Ratings review- Tom Lebens

- Reviewed the process currently in place
- Gary Bentley suggested that the ratings are done too early in the year and suggested doing them later in the year.
- Carol Zepeda suggested either awarding points or taking away points if a rating cards are not turned in.

Team Balancing process review- Tom Lebens

- Tom Lebens reviewed the process as well as reminded everyone of what a time consuming process this is.
- A copy of the Team Balancing process was handed out at the April board meeting.

5 Goal Rule review- Tom Lebens and Warren Clift

- Five Goal Rule guideline was handed out to everyone to review.
- A suggestion to drop the 5 goal rule to 3 goals was made. The feeling behind this was that the underdog team has more of a chance to catch up.
- It was suggested that coaches on the winning team use a discreet method for pulling their players back and giving the underdog team a chance to catch up.
- Suggestions were: Using a code that all the players know of ahead of time, having a dominant player sit out a quarter, have a coach to coach chat before the game if you know you have a weak team and/or if you have a strong team, meter your goals from the beginning of the game.

Referee Administrator – Jose Quintana

- We have good coverage at this point and there are no issues.

Safety Director – Duane Suprinski:

- Reminder to everyone that there is 90 days to file an injury claim.

Child and Volunteer Protection – Cindy Collins:

- No report

Registration- Linda Mae Suprinski:

- No report

Field / Facilities – Eliseo Romero:

- No report

Sponsor Coordinator – Ralph Juarez

- No report

Post Season – Jill Olsen

- Last years refunds are in the works

U5 Program – Gary Bentley and Linda Mae Suprinski

- So far this year is going great.

VIP – Linda Mae Suprinski and Lamont Simonaro

- Linda Mae is not happy that the VIP team has to be moved to Margaret Harloe. She will not have the audience the VIP team had while at Don Roberts.
- VIP will also need a set of goals at Harloe.

Old Business

Approval of Volunteers for FS 2006 season – Cindy Collins

- No objection at this time.

New Business

Equipment Insurance Program- Tom Lebens

- Pended until October meeting

Meeting adjourned at 8:27 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Rochelle Reaves
Region 83 Secretary