River City Youth Soccer League Board Meeting Minutes July 15, 2015

In attendance:

- ✓ Eileen Peebles, RCYSL President Mike Dallas, RCYSL Vice President
- ✓ Shannon Hall, Registrar Geoff Margolis, Referee Coordinator
- ✓ Bill Norris, Scheduling Coordinator
- ✓ David McKay, Treasurer
- ✓ Scott Wright, RSC Mike Fitzgerald, RCU
- ✓ Mario Carrasco, BAC AP
- ✓ Steve Teeters, SO
- ✓ Shannon Waites, FEC
- ✓ Greg Andrews, DD Tom Arnautović, Webmaster
- A. Call to order at 7:07pm
- B. Approval of minutes delayed
- C. Wilson Trophy Presentation \$1 back to club for every trophy ordered
- D. President's Report
 - a. District 6 meeting:
- i. Will allow league officials to hold player passes after suspected concussion.
- ii. RCYSL will send cards to Geoff M.
- iii. CPL goes to Larry Svetitch
- b. Tuesday, 7pm Concussion presentation by Dr. Sarah Preiss-Farzanegan to all Club Boards at Arden Park Rec Building, 1000 La Sierra Dr.
- c. Coaches get training at mandatory coaches meeting, or by watching video. Recommended that they do it at the meeting to benefit from the credibility of the presenting physicians and the discussion. Will have clipboards for sign in to give proper credit.
- d. Natomas requested to play in RCYSL. Board voted to decline the offer.
- e. Ongoing concern over lack of referees at Leagues within D6.
- f. CPL allows 16-19 age teams to play bronze or copper competitive tournaments. Winners would be reclassified for state cup.

D. Club Managers Report

- SI Needs U6 players.
- AP –
- RCU –
- BAC Oakie Park recovered
- RSC Lost referee coordinator.

- DD Fields lack water. School is building near fields. Working with family with a player that has additional needs.
- SO Ordered field marking and portable toilets.
- FEC Looking more players. Trying to get soccer goals from AP. FEC website being translated into Spanish.
- E. Officers Report
 - 1. Vice President –
 - 2. Sportsmanship -
 - 3. Secretary –
 - 4. Treasurer Financials emailed.
 - 5. Registrar 2626 players. Can't give documents to non-signatories. Badges ready Aug 1st. Clubs need to identify those without pictures or badges.
 - 6. Referee report
 - a. Only one returning referee coordinator
 - b. Rosemont needs a coordinator
 - c. Seeding tournament is paid at ¹/₂ game price
 - d. Next Tuesday requesting a financial impact report from each club on the referee fee proposal below. Responses should be sent to Mike Dallas as Eileen will be out of town until August 5th. With an email vote the following Tuesday via email.
 - e. Referee fees for RCYSL are lower than most. Propose increasing the fees:

U6	\$20	
U8	\$30	\$15
U10	\$30	\$25
U12	\$35	\$30
U14	\$40	\$35
U16	\$45	\$40
U19	\$50	\$45

- 7. Coaching coordinator
 - a. Aug 1st F Field Course moved to 4pm. All registrants have been notified, signup links have been updated to reflect new time.
 - b. Received the Recreational Coach Module developed by Paul Sapsford which has now been replaced by the USSF National F and CalNorth F Field component. League voted last year to mandate that all coaches with the grandfathered F licenses take this recreational coach module. Given the concussion requirement, consensus is to place course on the League website and encourage a good percentage of coaches to view & submit the quiz answers to the League. It's a tool to transition coaches who have not been trained in the new approaches and philosophies. Institute mandate next season.
- 8. Scheduling Coordinator Subject to change:
 - a. Club managers need to rank teams by July 31st, see forms.
 - b. U6 will have to wait a while longer.
 - c. o early November
- 9. Webmaster
 - a. FEC site has been translated to Spanish, age matrix clarified. Need a native speaker to review translation.
 - b. Re-occuring events such as the League meetings can't be inputted with a specific interval.
 - c. Parent's Corner reorganized

- d. Working on creating a sub-section for coaching kids with special needs.
- e. Next focus will be:
 - i. Continuing to develop the special needs section
 - ii. Concussion Awareness further developed
 - iii. Drought awareness regarding soccer fields
 - iv. Cleats in light of drought

E. Old Business

F. New Business

G. Adjournment 9:17pm