

South Plainfield Soccer Association Meeting Minutes

Date of Meeting: January 26, 2006
Meeting Type: General Meeting
Minutes filed on: January 29, 2006

Attendees: Paul Baldasarre U-16 Fire, Frank Licato U-14 Fire, Patrick Flanagan U-12 Bullets, Echo Sikel U-10 Rockets, Bill Butrico U-9 Storm, Gary Herbster U-16 Lightning, Paul Seyffart U-11 Hotspurs, Millie K. Hunt U-13 Sonics, Tom Lanza U-13 Sonics, Bruce Hunt U-13 Sonics, Al Vill U-12 Bullets, Paul Billich U-13 Spirit, Scott Bishop U-16 Fire, Vijay Bijlani U-14 Ice, Tracy Lundy U-12 Bullets, Frank Mitrano Roma (Garden State League), Sam Pauls U-113 Power, Paul Tuyp U-9 Strikerz, Anthony Celintano, U-11 Hotspurs, Debbie Krawice

The following handouts were distributed: Meeting Minutes for the December 05 general meeting, Executive Board Meeting Minutes (given to Executive Board members only), Financial statement, Table of how teams will receive Spring Training, Meeting Agenda, NJYSA Liability Insurance info, NJYSA Accident Medical Insurance info, NJYSA Filing a Medical Claim info and Amateur Sports Accident Proof of Loss (medical claim form for Bollinger Insurance Co.

Meeting Minutes were reviewed individually and approved.

- 1) Financial-The treasury has a positive balance of about \$2,500.00. THERE IS STILL A LARGE AMOUNT OF TRAINING MONEY THAT IS OUTSTANDING FROM THE FALL TRAINING SESSIONS. The club needs this to be turned in. Just this past week the Treasurer received a check from a coach dated in October. DON'T hold on to any money to make it easier. If you are doing that you are making it HARDER. We Need the Money!
 - a) Individual bills will be sent out and payment or arrangement must be made before March 1, 2006
- 2) Field Status-There are many broken sprinkler heads on our fields. This will require a serious commitment to make repairs. Repairs are not expected to be expensive as the club already has most of the materials needed.
- 3) Training Sessions- The club has use of Veterans Park on Tuesday and Fridays beginning April 1, 2006 (after 4pm)
 - a) You the coach will be responsible to turn on the lights. If you don't know how, that's not a problem contact a Board Member (or another coach that are sure knows) so you can be instructed.
 - b) Non-Volunteer Coaching (Trainers) a table was handed out illustrating how each team was expecting to receive their spring training
 - c) There is a New Trainer Prem-Soccer run by Will Hume
 - d) USA will run several camps this year at Kenneth Ave
 - i) Soccer Squirts
 - ii) Summer Camps

- 4) Coaches Training-Coaches training sessions are set there are approximately 18 coaches who have signed up.
 - a) Dates of the sessions are Saturday 2-25, Saturday March 4 and Saturday March 11
 - b) Location is the PAL
 - c) Spencer Rockman will run the training session
 - d) Wear Sneakers you are going to Run
- 5) Snack Stand- There is not much to talk about on this issue. We are coming up on being 1 year past the proposed opening.
 - a) The Snack Stand was discussed at the last Recreation Committee meeting. Several people were caught unawares with regard to the problems we have been having.
- 6) Basket Bingo- is all set for Wednesday February 15, 2006 at Sacred Heart Church. Tickets can be purchased in Advance for \$20.00.
 - a) Each team is responsible to fill a basket.
 - i) Ideas for a basket are Catalog Basket, Napkin Basket, Spring/New Baby Basket, Drinking Basket, Golf Basket, Beach Basket, Card File Basket, Media Basket, Magazine Basket, Window Box Basket, Beverage Tote Basket
 - b) We need adults to help work at the event
 - c) All tickets sales must be returned to Al Vill by February 12
 - d) All Items to fill baskets must be given Deb Krawice by February 12
 - e) All Money to fill baskets must be given to Millie hunt so she can cut a check to Deb Krawice by February 12
- 7) Lawn Mower Purchase- No actual word yet on what the town is going to do (either purchase a lawn mower for us or give us money towards the lawn mower we would buy)
- 8) Domain Name and Web site are up for renewal- No discussion just put out there as info.
- 9) Lisa Krehan Scholarship-is a \$1,000.00 scholarship for Seniors who have played traveling Soccer for 5 seasons (that's 2-1/2 seasonal years).
 - a) Anyone interested in entering the contest for the scholarship should see Al, Vill
- 10) Open Items-
 - a) Frank Mitrano resigned from the Executive Board
 - i) Frank is moving to Italy and will not be able to continue on the Executive Board or as a Club Member. Frank thanked everyone for all of the interaction over the years.
 - b) Referee Certification class- Sat. March 18th, Sat March 25th and Monday March 27th
 - i) To sign up for the Referee Certification go to the USSF web site
 - c) Canning weekend is the Weekend before Opening Day Thursday March 9, Friday March 10, Sat. March 11, and if a coach wants to run a canning effort on Sunday March 12th Please see Paul Baldassarre before March 12th

Meeting concluded approximately 9:15pm