

North Royalton Soccer Club

Trustees Meeting – August 6, 2013

Meeting was called to order by Curt Keaton (Pete Ragone absent) at 7:36 PM.

Members in attendance included 8 board members (Curt Keaton, Todd Kauppila, Darrin Kwiatkowski, Dave Saunders, Rino Costa, Frank Werner, Guy DiSiena, and Diane Harbart,) Denzil Antonio, and 35 trustees. See Secretary's minutes for a complete list of members present.

I. Finances – Todd Kauppila

Todd reported that the club has about \$145,000 in its account now but after expenses this year, will probably have only about \$50,000. Club is good with their insurance through next August.

II. Registration – Dave Saunders

Dave reported to the trustees that all age group teams are at their maximum numbers except for U14 boys and high-school Co-Ed. Boys U14 still needs 3 more coaches. Anyone interested, please contact Dave. All U11 teams will be playing 8 v 8 this fall.

III. Uniforms/Equipment – Rino Costa

All uniforms have been ordered through Gearin' Up, and teams will have them before the start of games. Rino will send all in-house coaches an email when uniforms can be picked up.

Coaches can pick up their equipment bags following the meeting.

IV. Travel – Darrin Kwiatkowski and Jackie Miranda

- Travel games will begin Sunday, August 18, 2013.
- Darrin and Jackie will get player passes to coaches.
- All travel schedules will be posted on the website.
- Travel coaches need to print out game report sheets and take to game, and then submit them after the game.
- All new travel coaches must get their license within 1 year.
- Travel coaches are responsible for all ref fees and then they will be reimbursed by the club in November.

V. Scheduling – Frank Werner

- In-house teams can start practicing August 12, 2013. Travel teams can start now.
- Game schedules will be out by August 11, 2013 and will be sent to all in-house coaches and will be posted on the website.

- All coaches can sign up for practice times after the meeting. Selection of times is travel teams first and then in-house based on seniority.

VI. Referees – Guy DiSiena

Guy went over a few of the rules for the coaches so they could pass on to the parents:

1. No jewelry during games (putting tape over earrings is not allowed)
2. No parents behind the goal or sitting on the goal line. Parents should be on the sidelines opposite the players.
3. No pets at the Heasley
4. Do not yell at the refs. Any problems with the refs, please mark them on the scorecard and Guy will address them.

Guy made available training manuals for the munchkin and U8 coaches.

VII. New Business – Curt Keaton

1. Denzil Antonio, the new Technical Director for the club, spoke to all the coaches about his vision and direction for the NRSC. Denzil offered to run a training clinic for all in-house players and coaches on Saturday August 17, 2013 at Heasley.

Times will be as follows:

Munchkins – 9:00-10:30

U8 teams – 10:30-12:00

U11 teams - 1:00-2:30

U14 and high school teams – 2:30-4:00

Denzil will also do training with the travel teams. Denzil will visit travel practices throughout the fall session.

2. The club will offer footskills again this fall session. Footskills will be on Friday evenings again. Times and start date will be announced soon. Check website for details.
3. Club is trying to improve its website and especially its calendar. All coaches and parents are encouraged to check the website for information.

Meeting adjourned at 8:20 PM.