

Manheim Soccer Club Board Mtg Minutes 1/18/2010

Present: Lyn Carvell, Lora Crills, Jen Kready, Jen Greene, Kia Hoffman, Nancy Sensenig, John Fellenbaum, Matt Goss, Bill Middleton, Brooks Hasting, Mike Horvath, Anthony and Christi Kemp

Meeting called to order by President Lyn Carvell

Mike Horvath is asking that the Jr. High stay together for training-at U14 do 2 Rec teams or 1 decent travel team.

- Lyn will reply to all the emails to let them know there will be try outs and to sign up for either Rec or Travel.
- Have until the end of March Lanco Registration, any late fees will be waived if we, MSC, is recruiting for spots on one of the teams.
- Need at least 1 Rec coach and 1 Travel coach.

Anthony and Christi Kemp want information on what was happening with a certain coach and wanted to hear it from the Board.

- Explained that this is not the first offense, but the third and that the Club can be fined for these offenses. All offenses have been addressed with him in the past.
 - said coach had sent a letter to the Board, but because of the holidays the Board has not had a chance to review it together.
 - Said coach had not tried to contact his Coordinator, but other coaches. Similar situations have come up before and the Coordinator was contacted for guidance. One of 2 things should have been done: 1) played short players or 2) forfeited the game not played with players that were not on his roster.
 - Anthony said he will be the Head Coach for this season if this coach is still suspended, but will need an assistant.
 - Bill suggested asking for certain schedules then kids that play U11 can also play U12
 - Anthony also feels that the age appropriate rule for Travel should be done away with. It was explained that situations are dealt with on a case by case basis.
- Mike, Anthony and Christi all left after this discussion.

November/December Board Meeting Minutes were approved.

Field Manager: Mowing contract is due, if current company stays with same price Club will stay with them. If not, Wayne will open it up to bids.

Registrar: 160 or so kids registered so far. Positive response so far on the under 5 program, maybe start Fall of 2010. Nancy would like a copy of Registrar job description and policies and procedures that she may be responsible for.

Auxiliary: Next month Club needs to decide what gift we are giving for the fundraiser, Get packets together for fundraiser

Girls Travel Coord.: No report, No tryouts because there will be no new teams.

Boys Travel Coord.: Tryouts will be sometime in February. Nancy asked to be copied on the email with dates, incase she gets any questions regarding it.

U6 Coord.: No report Coordinator needed

U8 Coord.: Matt would like to separate the boys and girls in U8. Girls seem to be disappearing from the program and this may help. Other clubs are doing this as well. If there are not enough to split the boys and girls then the teams will stay co-ed.

- have maybe 4 teams for both boys and girls

- Maybe have all the girls on one team to practice together and then divide them up game day so they get used to playing with a different coach and players each week.

- also discussed that a lot of clubs don't even have their U8 teams practice they show up game day to play

All were in favor of splitting boys and girls at the U8 level, if the numbers are there.

Boys Rec: getting phone calls that parents are interested in coaching. Still need a Coordinator-Lora done in the Spring.

Girls Rec: Need Coordinator

Equipment Manager: Had set up a date in December and no one showed up. Will set up 2 more dates now that the holidays are over. Coaches MUST hand in equipment to make sure everything is there that they need and if they don't hand it in they get nothing new.

Training: Had 15 attendees for the training done in January. John was the trainer. Brooks said course was very informative and he learned a lot. 7 of the 15 attendees were from our club. Maybe look at a D-course for this summer. Thank you John for your hard work. Thank you Lyn and Brooks for securing the locations and organizing.

1st games April 11th and the end of season tournament is the weekend of June 8th.

Coaches meeting Monday, March 1st. Pick up equipment, short training session, schedule fields for practice and meet with their coordinators.

Philadelphia Union- \$ 1200 is their least expensive package for 4 season tickets, maybe they have other promotional items

Penn Twp Days: Club will not participate this year. Not much interest last year in our stand. Not doing registration like other clubs because it is in the middle of our season.

Coaches Code of Conduct: Will have this ready for Coaches to sign at the Coaches meeting. Will also need packets of rules for each coach. Rules also available on the EPYSA website to review at anytime.

Packet for each Board Member of rules and expectations

Letter from Martin: Nancy feels Martin has not defended himself
- Lyn to do a letter to Martin asking him to meet with the Executive Board, all were in favor.

Next meeting Monday, February 15th at 7pm.

Meeting adjourned at 2045.