

## Fairfield County Football League Monthly Board Meeting – March 7, 2012

### Minutes

**Members in Attendance** – Jim Coley, Mitch Ross, Artie Water, Tom Grace, Kevin Conklin, Mike Cognetta, Tom O’Dea, Chris Santopietro, Matt Hefferan, Frank Lafranco, Mike Ruddy, Gerard Canavan, Marce Petroccio, Carmen Roda, Lance Grauber, Patrick Kelly, Joe Lato, Steve Santamaria, Tom Dexter, John McDermott, Carl Lenz

**Members Not in Attendance** – Ted Dumbauld, Brian Quinn

Meeting commenced at 7:13

A representative from USA Football discussed their service and how they may be able to benefit FCFL.

#### **President’s Report – Jim Coley**

Jim introduced Joe Lato and Steve Santamaria who are the new representatives from Weston. Discussion followed regarding the ballot and vote for policy and rule changes for the upcoming 2012 season. The ballot will be voted on at the April meeting and will be sent ahead of time under separate cover.

#### **Treasurer’s Report – Carmen Roda**

Dues will be \$1,500 per town and are due by the May meeting. There are no financial issues. Carmen also presented fund raising initiative for towns to consider that has been successful in Ridgefield.

#### **Old Business -**

Tom O’Dea presented an update for New Canaan’s initiatives for oversight of its operation.

#### **New Business –**

Chris Santopietro discussed the league and financial situation in Norwalk. Carmen Roda recommended that Norwalk open up its registration with no fee and that the \$1500 league membership fee be waived for Norwalk. In addition, FCFL opponents will be responsible for Norwalk’s portion of referee fees.

The meeting concluded at 8:44.

Respectfully submitted,

Mike Ruddy

Secretary