

**Recreation Directors Report
January 2011
Sue Buckley and Tim Cavanaugh**

Registration

Spring Registration underway, very few issues

- Multiple child discount not working, per Sandy she had to turn this off because of the winter clinics
- Payment due too high because of different factors. Sandy is correcting these.
- People forgetting to enter their special request, primarily coaches forgetting to say they will coach
- Coach Registration link not active, Sandy will activate
- Some cancellations, working with Janine to refund and cancel registration.
- New questions added, optional fields asking what type of volunteer work they would like to do. Few responses. No Treasurer candidates. Some are Travel, some are general club administration. I will pass that information along as received.

Fields

Met with Ray Purtell to discuss Spring Rec Fields. Doug Werner will meet another time to discuss Travel Fields.

- Ray would like to know summer field plans and would like an update when meeting with Doug. Rich is on point for this response.
- Naubuc field will be ready this spring, although he would like us to wait until 5/1 to use the field.
- More fields will be configured for 3 v 3 play this spring since 1st grade will continue this format, this includes Smith Upper.
- Discussed taking Hebron Avenue #4 out of circulation this fall for field improvement. Ray will begin conversations with the appropriate parties.
- Discussed approach for handling rogue teams playing at Smith and Addison. He said that he would like to be contacted early on if this is continuing. Ideally, he would like to work with these teams to get them a permit to play.

Training

Met with Rich just before he left for his vacation to discuss Rec Spring Training.

- K-2 Focus – weekly or biweekly training (Academy format). A division would all train on the same night and the day of the week would alternate weekly. Times/Dates communicated well in advance. (Rich to cover in more detail).
- Discussed Nayaug as the optimal training location, especially if Travel can do the same. Keeps the trainers from traveling, maximizes their training hours.

Sponsors

Communication to t-shirts sponsors handled two ways; T-shirt sponsor only or T-shirt and tournament sponsor.

- T-shirt sponsor only have all been sent a request for 2011 (this week). Positive responses are already being received. Sponsorship for the year is \$1000.
- Mary Kay is reaching out to combined sponsors.
- New interested sponsors (Moes, Jacques Realty and Goddard School) were also contacted this week with sponsorship options. No commitments have been made yet.