

Travel Directors Report – May 2011
Jim Wadleigh

1. Travel Committee

- a. Travel Committee met May 3rd
- b. Added Mike Newhouse to travel committee to represent older girls with Kerry Shaheen and Dan Riggott. Sal Calafiore and Garry Straker represent boys teams.
- c. Coaches recommended that we hold to 12-13 players for 8v8 and 16-18 players for 11v11 teams.
- d. Committee recommended breaking out backpack cost from uniform
- e. Finalized uniform cost at \$135
- f. Long discussion on U9 team make up – US soccer recommends even teams, coaches felt we should have them ability based. Decision/agreement was not met.

2. Fall Preparations

- a. Dates set for Travel tryouts as May 31st thru June 10th
- b. Open registrations for Fall Travel tryouts
- c. Fees agreed to be \$225 for dues and \$135 for Uniform or \$155 for Uniform and backpack
- d. Held new player information meeting on Sunday May 15th (**40 – 50 attendees**)
- e. Still need to open Coach registrations
- f. Rich Williams will be using a new player evaluation process

3. Tournament

- a. Boys teams finished 21 wins, 7 ties and 24 losses
- b. Girls teams finished 25 wins, 11 ties and 28 losses
- c. 1 Hartwell player red card was given (After reviewing with Kevin Suarez, the call should have been a yellow and not a Red)
- d. 1 Westport coach red card was given
- e. 1 Hartwell parent ran onto field to contest a call (**Parent Code of Conduct**)
- f. 1 Farmington parent ran onto the field to contest a call
 - i. Spoke to Farmington Travel Director and he thinks we should not allow Boys U10 team (would be U11 next year) into our tournament

4. Other

- a. Still need an equipment coordinator for Travel
- b.