



Suffield Soccer Club



March 3rd, 2011 Meeting Minutes

Raj Ghosh - President

- Important league dates
 - League schedules are supposed to be available to the SSC on 4/6. Will communicate as soon as available.
 - League play commences on the weekend of 4/16 & 4/17. League play ends on Saturday, 6/18
- Misc dates to consider when scheduling games
 - 5/7 Little League Opening Day - Parisi Tourney usually 2-3 weeks after.
 - 5/22 High School Prom
 - Weekend 6/4-6/5 Relay for Life , 6/5 Fireman's 5K run
 - 6/18 High School graduation
- Each team identified any changes to league level of play. If team has not yet provided info to Raj, must do by 3/18
- Great work by winter committees with updating, creating club policies. Now posted on website -Code of Conduct, Grievance Policy, Tryout Policy, Coach Selection Policy, Bylaws.
- Welcome New Board Members -Nancy Chamberlain, Registrar ; Kris Lambert, Director of Fundraising
- Immediate need for Interim V.P – Equipment/Uniform Needs primarily. Contact Raj, if you are interested
- Vice President & Treasurer, up for Election in June – please use on-line nomination form

Dave Pasquariello – Director of Coaches

- Club will be coordinating any needs for professional technical trainers for practices. If you feel your team would benefit from this, please contact Dave P. 5 teams identified thus far. No team fees will be applied this season.
- First Aid Training will be offered for coaches/mgrs. 2 days/times will be identified.

Nancy Chamberlain – Registrar

- Changes to league and/or CT Cup rosters must be communicated to Nancy no later than 3/15.
- CT Cup play – Only 3 teams have notified Nancy of their interest to play in CT Cup. Coach/mgr of team playing cup must log onto CJSA website to register team into Cup play. This is accomplished through a link to GotSoccer.com. Once you receive registration confirmation via email, forward that to nancy6453@aol.com by 3/15.

Tricia Martin – Referee Coordinator

- Max of 2 home friendly games during Spring season - Cup games don't count
- Final game schedules to be submitted to Tricia no later than 4/13. Afterwards, open fields are available for other teams.
- Schedule of referee's will be emailed to coaches & mgrs on Fridays. Please review schedule each Friday and verify that games are correct. Notification to Tricia of cancelled games within 48 hours to avoid unnecessary ref fees.

Note on Fields

- As snow melts/disappears, bare fields still need time to dry-out. Pls don't practice on fields until official notification occurs.

Debbie Viets – Treasurer

- Starting to plan for Suffield tournament on June 25/26. Coaches/mgrs please register your team thru Gotsoccer.com... access direct link via our website, under 2011 Tournament tab.
- Requesting all coaches/mgrs. to promote our tournament while they coordinate with other towns on games.
- Anyone interested in helping on tournament committee (ideas on activities, fundraising, food, etc) contact Debbie.
- Kris Lambert will be leading fundraising activities.

Janet Werenski – Secretary

- Any team Equipment Needs (pinnies, cones, goalie shirts, ice packs, etc), notify Janet
- Questions on website? Manager/team passwords, automatic game/practice reminders, etc - contact Janet

Practice times and games times were established for each team. Schedules being finalized and will be communicated to team by coach or team manager.

“Town Hall” / Parent Meeting regarding use of Technical Coaches - To be scheduled

Next Monthly Meeting: April 7th, 7:30pm @ High School