

Monthly Suffield Soccer Club Meeting - April 3, 2012

Attendance: 21 members including 5 board members, all teams represented except U11 Boys White, U12 Boys Blue, U13 Girls.

Motion made to accept minutes from March 6th meeting. All in favor, no opposed/no abstain.

Reminder to update Bysa.org profile

Immediate assistance needed for Director of Coaches, Dave Pasquariello, dolphan668@aol.com and Secretary, Janet Werenski, janet.werenski@cox.net

Assistant to DoC - This person will be responsible for ongoing evaluations of coaches and reviewing coaching applications. This position is also responsible for assisting during the tryout process and overseeing practice sessions and games for our SSC teams. The individual needs to possess at the minimum a USSF D license or equivalent UEFA license

Assistant to Secretary - This person will be responsible for coordinating with board members to establish agenda & generating meeting minutes for monthly board & club meetings.

Interested?? contact Dave or Janet

Important League Dates

April 4 – Schedules distributed to club contacts

April 14/15 – First weekend of play

April 18 – Cup schedule posted

June 16 – League ends

June 16 – Final day to enter game results and team contact information into web site

Leagues Schedules/schedules to Tricia, promow86@aol.com

Any 4/7 games – need to notify Tricia ASAP

4/14 & 4/15 games due to Tricia by 4/8

Final team schedules due to Tricia 4/15

New CUP rules – please print out and read.

Frozen cup rosters on 4/11. Get roster names to Nancy ASAP, nancy6453@aol.com

Coach licensing available for reimbursement by club. Youth Module, D-license, E-license, etc. See CJSA website for available training.

Any equipment needs, contact Chris Potter, tcpotter1@cox.net

SSC Scholarship criteria for High School seniors modified recently which has now opened up the scholarship to more seniors. You no longer have to play 2 years of High School soccer, just 5 years/10 seasons of travel soccer. Added last year was requirement for 10 volunteer hours. Club will be flexible with regard to volunteer hours for those who now meet new criteria. See www.suffieldsoccer.com for full criteria. Contact Deb Viets, tdviets@cox.net, for more information.

SSC has selected a new uniform provider, Xara, and new uniform distributor/store, SoccerNMoore in East Hartford. New contract provides Xara promotional dollars based on club Xara spend which can be used to purchase team equipment (goalie shirts/gloves, coach shirts, ball bags, pinneys, etc). Also provides \$2K toward our Tournament. New store will also have on-line store for our members to purchase items 24/7, for pickup or delivery. Uniform kit selected is same price (\$98) and we believe better quality than current style. Xara also offers girls/womens cut for shirts & shorts. Teams will be wearing Xara uniforms as of Fall 2012. All players will have fit check opportunity at tryouts.

New in 2012, CT is now requiring clubs to charge Sales Tax on apparel & spirit items sold. Sales tax not required if included in fee to play. Registration fee for 2012-2013season will include uniform (for most players).

Parent Education Night – May 31st – Please come learn about the club philosophy/goals to build a solid soccer foundation at the younger ages and help develop your child for High School and/or a higher level of play. Meet our NOGA paid coaching team!

Tryout Dates – new this year, we will have tryouts on the 2nd week of June. Hopefully, this will minimize conflicts with Lax, baseball and end of year school functions & exams. More to come on specific tryout schedule.

Next Club Meeting: Tuesday, May 1st 8:00pm. High School Room 203