

Harvard Soccer Club  
Meeting Minutes  
September 11, 2016, 7:00 PM, Harvard Congregational Church

## Attendees

Peter Foley, Rika Stevenson, Paul Cohen, Andrew Thomas, Keith Bilafer, Ruth LovettSmith, Brian Stahl, Epiphany Vera, Jin Qian, Carlos Munoz (7:40)

Challenger: Jon and Camila

## Agenda

### Action Items:

- Make a decision on field maintenance and get back to Doug.
- Send out reminder to coaches to report scores.
- Follow up with Allyson regarding getting scores to NVYSL.
- Send email out to in-town parents regarding where spectators should sit.
- Look into the possibility of a net at Waite, behind the goal.
- Need to order more paint for lining.

### Prior Action Items:

- Potential Breakers outing for girls' teams.
- Do we allow play ups based on May 2015 meeting discussions as it doesn't align with our current policy?
- Evan and Reese do to a project for HSC.

August Minutes approved.

### NVYSL Update

- Possible 5/6 post season tournament at Rec level.

### Travel Update

- 171 players registered for Fall travel.
- Girls 5/6 games went smoothly.
- Boys 5/6 went smoothly as well.
- There were some uniform issues. Parents were not aware they needed to order.
- Send out reminder to coaches to report scores.
- Need someone to input scores to the league. Follow up with Allyson.
- May have about 4 teams for Pepperell Fall Classic. Ted should have patches.
- There was email feedback regarding the club, from a prior board member, regarding the boy's teams. Get feedback on the girl's side as well.

### Challenger Update

- Get the fields cut – Waite and Park. Reach out to Ted if not mowed by Thurs.
- Clinics start Tues for U8/U10.
- HSC Facebook page has been set up by Jon and Camila.
- Mini-kickers to start the 27<sup>th</sup> and 30<sup>th</sup>.

#### In-Town Update

- First set of games went well.
- Send email out to parents instructing them on where spectators should sit.
- U7 playing U8 seemed a little intimidated.
- Some parent feedback regarding splitting genders.
- U6 has 8 teams and things went well.
- In-town uniforms came in late. Was told 9/4 and they arrived 9/9.

#### Coach/Player Development

- No update.

#### Finances

- Things are fine cash wise. Will have a season budget update at the next meeting.

#### Equipment

- U6 needs pinnies for teams.
- Soccer Stuff: 1 bill paid, 1 bill to be paid.

#### Fields

- Look into the possibility of a net at Waite, behind the goal.
- Nets that needed to be replaced have been replaced.
- Need to order more paint for lining.
- Jin thinks red may be too dark. Look for a lighter red.
- Field maintenance at Waite should start immediately. Over-seeding and aeration. We'll pay approximately 20% of the cost.

#### Misc

- Laura Thomas and PTO arranging a Fun Fest. Possible date October 22.
- 50 tickets for the October 23 Revs game, Sunday at 4:00. Drawing for 15 passes for the rally tunnel.
- Coaches want to use a phone app for team communication. Carlos to look into this more. Need to make sure it's secure and what information is visible.
- Board agreed to the need for a PR Roll. Help with press, Facebook updates, club emails etc.

Meeting Ended 8:30 pm