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BONNEVILLE YOUTH SOCCER LEAGUE

Bonneville Youth Soccer League – December BYSL Board Meeting – December 7, 2006
at the Idaho Falls Library

Attendees: Board members: Carol Hoffman, Kip Archibald, Myrna Garcia, Mark Oliver, Don Dahl, Debbie Shepherd, Amber Lawless and Denise Hansen. Other attendees: Ed Wicher and Dean Cook.

Meeting was called to order by Carol Hoffman

Since the Annual General Meeting in November, one of the newly elected Board Members, James Williams, decided that he will not be able to serve on the Board and has resigned. The procedure to fill this Board vacancy was discussed and it was determined to place an advertisement in the paper that at the January 11, 2007 Board meeting a special election will be held to replace this one vacancy. Eligible voters are the same as those eligible to vote in last month's Annual General Meeting. Interested candidates and eligible voters who wish to designate an alternate for their vote should contact BYSL Vice President Kip Archibald by January 3, 2007. Votes will be cast during the January Board Meeting.

The November Board meeting minutes were approved.

The following 2 - yr. playup request was presented, discussed and approved by the Board:

-Jaxson Cook to U-11/U-12 Amber Lawless' boys team.

Registrar Report (Myrna Garcia) – February 1, 2007 is the deadline for Spring Registrations to be submitted to IYSA. US Club deadline is later when the team starts to practice/play.

Treasurer Report (Debbie Shepherd) –

All new officers have signed the required bank cards for BYSL accounts.

An auditor has determined that some expenses related to Presidents Cup were charged to the State Cup hosted by BYSL. BYSL should receive some additional proceeds from State Cup.

Fees for teams not registered with IYSA were discussed. A question arose as to whether these players should be charged a smaller fee since BYSL will incur less registration

expense for these players. The BYSL budget will be reviewed and this subject will be discussed more in the January meeting.

The treasurer reports the following balances:

Operation Funds	\$ 91,753.88
Dedicated Funds	28,122.11
Total BYSL funds	\$ 119,875.99

IF Shoot Out (Todd & Kathy Hampton – not in attendance) – A shootout meeting will be held December 13 at Carol Hoffman’s home. The host hotel will be the Shilo Inn. Shirt and Pin designs are being solicited.

YDP - With the resignation of James Williams from the Board, the Board approved the appointment of Chuck Lawless and James Williams to serve as co-directors for the YDP program. March 15 is the YDP registration deadline. Many coaches are interested in the Youth Module.

U-11/U12 (Denise Hansen) – Only 20 registrations for Spring season have been received to date but this number is expected to increase significantly. An ad will be placed in the local paper and an email reminder sent to previous players. Registration deadline remains January 15, 2007.

Junior High (Mark Oliver) – Nothing to report.

Far Post – No Report, next issue will be early in January.

Director of Coaching (Amber Lawless)- Will work to get Coach Training courses scheduled.

Fields / Field Development – Ed Wicher and Mackay Hanks were both present and discussed potential grants to help with further development of the soccer complex. The group needs a good cost estimate to assist with grant submittal. Possible INL engineering support was discussed. A Field Development group will meet to address issues further.

Snake River League and District II (Dean Cook) – IYSA’s District IV has been disestablished and Twin Falls north has been combined with District II. Regardless of what league/national affiliation a team has, teams will play each other and special schedule considerations will be made for State Cup qualifying teams within the District. This will increase travel for some teams since Twin Falls teams will now be in the schedule.

Snake River League Commitment sheets for all teams are required to be sent to Dean Cook by February 7, 2007. This commitment sheet is now available on the BYSL website. Teams will not be scheduled games unless this form is submitted.

IYSA's Presidents Cup has been cancelled indefinitely. Teton/Jackson Hole reportedly will host a spring tournament and Twin Falls may try to host a tournament also.

Next Board Meeting will be January 11, 2006 at 7:00 pm at the Idaho Falls Library.

Rooms are reserved at the Idaho Falls Library for upcoming Board meetings as follows:
1/11/2007, 2/1/2007, 3/8/2007, 4/5/2007 and 5/10/2007.