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## BONNEVILLE YOUTH SOCCER LEAGUE

### Bonneville Youth Soccer League

#### Minutes of June 2007 BYSL Board Meeting

June 7, 2007 at the Idaho Falls Library

Attendees: Board members: Carol Hoffman, Kip Archibald, Debbie Shepherd, Don Dahl, Amber Lawless, Denise Hansen, Jamie Prestwich, Mackay Hanks, Myrna Garcia.

#### **Minutes**

Don Dahl moved that the minutes for the May Board meeting be approved. Motion passed.

#### **YDP (Amber Lawless for Chuck Lawless)**

YDP is holding summer Open Play now through July on Wednesdays from 6:30-8:30 for players up through U-12. Cost is \$6.00 if player was registered in YDP in Fall 2006 or Spring 2007 season and \$15 if not.

#### **Snake River League/District II**

A District II meeting was held during State Cup. Main issues continue as the State Cup format for some divisions resulted in only one game at State or bye days during the tournament. Registration problems remain but IYSA is reportedly going to implement electronic registration soon. IYSA is forming a committee to try to address these State Cup and President's Cup issues. They will be done via tele-conferencing. Jeff Schoen is the District II representative, but those interested can sit in. Carlos Flores (District II Commissioner) can provide information.

#### **Shootout**

Directors for next year have been contacted. BYSL may consider special accommodations to encourage college coaches to attend the shootout for the benefit of potential college players.

#### **Registrar Report (Myrna Garcia)**

-Fees for next year were discussed and currently there is no known need to raise them.

-After discussion on issues with registering BYSL US Club teams through GCYSL, Don Dahl moved that BYSL establish its own US Club Affiliation contingent on the BYSL Registrar verifying that this would still allow sufficient flexibility for regional teams to be established if that was desired. Motion passed.

-The U11/U12 registration deadline for Fall 2007 will be July 16, 2007.

-The U11/U12 registration deadline for Spring 2008 will be Jan. 15, 2008

-The Spring 2008 Registration deadline for U13 and above teams will be Jan. 1, 2008.

-If High School tryouts begin Aug. 6, 2007, it is expected that Jr. High tryouts will begin August 9.

Tryouts for Spring 2008 were discussed and the following tentative dates were established:

-Thursday, October 18, 2007 - BYSL Open House for all prospective players to meet Coaches and Club Officers.

-Saturday, October 20, 2007 - U13 and U14 tryouts 10:00-12:00 a.m. and 2:00-4:00 p.m..

-Saturday, November 3, 2007 - U15-U19 tryouts 10:00-12:00 a.m. and 2:00-4:00 p.m..

### **Treasurer Report (Debbie Shepherd)**

As of June 7, 2007

Operating Funds -\$123,777.32

Dedicated Funds - \$26,361.35

Total BYSL Funds - \$150,138.67

### **U-11/U12 (Denise Hansen)**

Registration improvements were discussed including identifying coaches in advance of team assignments and continuing the policy of the Director having authority to determine final team assignments with input from coaches at the director's discretion.

### **Junior High – No Report**

### **Director of Coaching (Amber Lawless)**

-The BYSL-sponsored D course is currently underway.

-A C course will be held Oct 25-28 and Nov. 1-4 in Boise.

**Equipment** – No report.

### **Far Post – (Jamie Prestwich)**

By the end of July, articles are needed for the next Far Post

### **Fields / Field Development (Mackay Hanks, Ed Wicher)**

-Need wider support for the new fields at the complex including letters of support.

-Need to have meetings with clubs and teams to get the word out on the needed support.

-The Soccer complex may be done in three phases, the first phase which built the current fields, phase 2 which will put in additional fields on the south end, and a future phase 3 for additional fields on the north end.

-Board members expressed concern that there will be a small sided field shortage for upcoming seasons.

### **3 v. 3 (Jamie Prestwich)**

The tournament to be hosted by BYSL was cancelled due to lack of team signups. Some of the teams have registered in other 3 v. 3 tournaments.

Meeting was adjourned.

**Next Board Meeting** is scheduled for July 12 at 8:00 p.m. **at the Idaho Falls Library.**