

DISTRICT VII MEETING MINUTES

November 13, 2007

The District Commissioner brought the meeting to order at 7:30 P.M.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Dist. Commissioner, Sect.-Treasurer, State Cup, Referees, Tournaments, ODP, D7PP, Top Soccer, Recreation, Association Cup, Founder's Cup
Leagues 1,3,5,7,9,12,13,14,15,16,19,20,21

MEMBERS EXCUSED: Asst. Commissioner, Registrar, Rules & Revisions

MEMBERS ABSENT: Coaching Leagues 2,4,6,8,10,11,18,22

GUESTS: David Hodgson, Tom Metry, Don Arney

MINUTES: M/S/C *To approve the minutes of the October 10,2007 meeting.* Unanimous

REPORTS

TREASURER: No Report

REGISTRATION: No report

RULES & REVISIONS: No report.

TOP SOCCER: The teams have returned from the Pumpkin Fest. They played 3 games and got t-shirts and medals. They had a great time. November 17 will be the last weekend of play. Awards will be given at Chukchansi Park.

RECREATION: District 7 needs Coach of the Year nominations from the leagues.

STATE CUP: Draw will be held this weekend in Pleasanton at 12:00 P.M. Too many applications have been brought into the District Office. They must go directly to CYSA. Bill asked that everyone make sure that the coaches read the State Cup Rules.

ASSOCIATION CUP: The draw will be held this Sunday. We would like to host U-11 teams at the Regional Park and U-13 teams in Lemoore

FOUNDER'S CUP: Draw will also be held this Sunday. Due to other commitments, Maureen will not be able to attend. Deadline for U-16 and U-19 is January 2, 2008. Discussion was held on Cup rule that says if the recipient gets three games in Cup then they will also serve three games in tournament or league games.

TOURNAMENTS: Some applications have come in. Tournaments are asking for too many teams. District tournaments are not on the web site. John will check.

REFEREES: Mick submitted a written report. Some referees still need to register. He has not received any nominations for District VII Youth Referee of the Year. Question was asked on the qualifications. Mick explained that leagues should nominate their best referee and the district will pick the winner.

D7PP: We have one weekend left of league play. Twenty red cards were issued last month. Leagues need to make sure that their teams are put in the proper division. Question was asked “ If a team doesn’t cut it, can they be moved down”. Answer, “When the schedule is made, it is too hard to move teams around, so the answer is no”.

COACHING: John requested, once again, that leagues send in nominations for the Coach of the Year.

ODP: Letters have been sent out to the players who have been invited back. We sent 40 girls and 11 were invited back, we sent approximately 80 boys and 20 were invited back. Tryouts will be held in May and Jonathan encouraged the leagues to send players to try out.

COMMISSIONER’S REPORT: All office fees have been paid. CYSA audit is going on now.

Rule changes for the CYSA AGM will be discussed at the January meeting.

When the leagues have decided on their AGMs, please let the office know immediately. Two leagues still have not sent in their statements on their status with IRS and 501c3. John has been attending some of the league play and feels they are doing well. The kids are out there playing. Referees are sometimes good and sometimes bad.

There will be problems in Founder’s Cup if the passes are not laminated. If you are attending a District VII tournament, passes do not need to be laminated but coaches must have their 1601s, passes and their approved roster (golden rod). Discussion was held on the importance of the 1601 forms and signatures.

THERE WILL BE NO MEETING IN DECEMBER.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS: None

NEW BUSINESS: None

GOOD OF THE GAME: Request was made that District VII get the leagues together for an exchange of ideas.

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned at 8:47 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Gladys Olsen
Secretary