

SSC Meeting Minutes January 10, 2018

Budget was verbally reviewed. Jahna will email copies next time. Jahna is not present at meeting.

The indoor has 115 kids registered. At \$100 per kid, this brings the club \$15,000 earmarked for the repair of the top fields with the Camerato landscaping. Games start this Saturday. Ends March 10th. 8am-12pm. Morning coaches will be responsible for setting up. Last session coaches will be responsible to break down and clean up.

We are still in between of making a decision for training company for rec. FSC is in the bid and Challenger too. Age groups will be established for parents to sign up for their training spots. This will avoid conflicts with coaches practices and training.

We are putting a plan in place to compensate the loss of Field 6 (will not be used in spring). Once we know more details we will update on field usage. Jerry can help get us Waterfront park and put rec games up there from 9am-2pm. It wouldn't cost us anything. Request to use HS turf too. We have permits for other locations and we have to get a little creative to where we can hold practices and games. Lights on field 3 need to be fixed. Rotate the fields. Beat up one main field that has lights and let the other fields rest. Utilize other locations for practices. PBA is supposed to get us lights.

We need a scheduler like in the past for coaches rec practices. This way there is no conflicts.

Rec registration will open Jan 15th. Hopefully we can create girls teams again depending on the numbers and the parade. Last time we had girls teams the format was 4v4. We are late already with our registration to be open versus other sports in town like baseball. For rec training, it will be individual player training, it will not be the team training. Field 5 will be used for travel training. Rec will be on field 4. The playing surfaces at the complex are limited. Everyone will have to be flexible.

We will not have permits for the fields before April 1st.

Raffle?? What is the update? Need Jen Pinto to give update.

Are we still pursuing the Father's Day Tournament? Without a solid plan as to what fields are being used it's hard to plan without knowing.

Change the game, March 13th. Speaker to come to organizations to bring the game back to the kids. More to come on this.

Jason Davis is looking to hosting an F license. Cathy can post it if he sends the info over to her. Also do the E license.

Website: Remove MOSA reference from the website. Put Jason title/contact on website.

Need EDP rep.

Change Jr. Bulldogs to Jr. Bombers but the change will go into effect in the fall because then we would have to reprint the passes. It's a bit more complex than it sounds so wait until the fall.

Girls travel teams, there aren't enough girls to make a decent travel team. We may combine 2 age groups into one. 7 can only play up on the 8 year olds. No one officially has put in a request to put in for the new u8 girls team. If a team is playing in a u8 division and the league puts the team into a u9 division because of lack of girls teams then that 7 year old on your team cannot play.

Boys teams, can we create 2 boys teams in same age group. Can we change the by laws and visit this again. This may not be a good idea because you will get complaints no matter how fair we try to be. We produce really good teams because we lose kids to other towns because we don't have a feeder system. If we have 2 teams, how are we going to break them up? We will table this another time.

We have 8 Midnj and 5 EDP teams is what we have for the spring 2018.

Meeting closed by Mary Ellen