

NRASL AUGUST 2012 BOARD MEETING MINUTES

AUGUST 20,2012

Present:B. Smith, J. Hassler, G. Panagiotou, M. Smith, H. Schnell, P. Graham, J. Leigh, J. Grau, W. Fox, G. Fry, J. Jedlicka, C. Jackson, J. Vanover, D. Schuster,E. Palache

Began : 8:40pm

President: Jeff Grau-

Positions up for re-election this year-

President, Treasurer, Public Relations, Registrar, Boys Travel Director, In-house Coaching Director

Nomination Committee was formed by those willing to participate: George, Wayne, Jeff Hassler

Jim Leigh would like to be nominated to be President. Feels he could bring a positive influence and a lot of new direction to the League. Advised his first order of business would be to terminate the DOC Everett Palache. Would like to bring in Pro Coaching to run and direct the Children, Parents and Coaches. After questions and concerns were discussed between individual members and Jim , he withdrew his nomination .

Improving the Academy is a priority! Only have 35 U5 academy, only 100 u5/u6 kids total. Should there be an Academy practice night? Skills first half and games second half? Possible 30minute training and (3) 120 min game periods. Training sessions for Coaches, Referees? Will that be done by Coaches. George and Everett to meet and come up with a new plan.

Tournament Update: Improvements? Feedback? So far all feedback from other Coaches has been very positive! \$1441 in concession, \$1461 in shirts, \$31 in donations, \$200 in snow cones, \$204.79 from Frontline. All invoices have not been received yet to be paid.

Vice President: George Panagiotou-

Trees at Lear need to be trimmed. Maybe a Sponsorship in exchange. Complete survey so they can give to city to use to grant \$. Parks and Rec. would like to create space for all sports. Root Rd. put in swing set and make it a park for that side of town. Designate for U8and U9?

22 acres are avail near the baseball fields. George asks for 8 full size fields, parking etc. Possibly be able to host the Lorain Showcase?

Commissioner: Wayne Fox-

Putting together the info flyer for in-house. Field Map will be the same :

#1-#2 = U7/U8

#3,4,5= U9-11

#6,7= Academy U12-14

Practice Location: Primary: LIBERTY and Lear for in-house

Root for travel teams

No Field Sweet or Wilcox

Ref Clinic had about 22-27 refs and went well

League Wide Training will be at Root on September 14 and 28th

Concessions: Holly Schnell- Fall fundraiser? Crushers tickets?

NRASL night for the HS will be October 3 at 7pm. Wear Board shirt or, players shirt and get in for free. Also Senior night.

Need Ball boys for October 1st 5 and 7 pm.

DOC: Everett Palache- No report

Registrar: Cindy Jackson- Registration is open until Weds.

Field Manager: Pat Graham- Field Day at Lear. 11v11 fields playable. Need flags for spring. Would like #'s on them if possible. Good on paint. Seeding after Labor Day.

Treasurer: Jeff JEdlicka- NO report

PR: Brett Smith- Containers for ball drive, Bay Cup had 82 teams registered

Web Master/Girls Travel Dir.- Jeff Hassler- Season starts this week.

Boys Travel Director: Greg Fry- No report

Secretary: Judy Vanover- No report

Uniforms: Marcie Smith- Order for in-house is taken care of.

AASL Rep: Debi Schuster- No report

NOGSL Rep: Paula Fox- not present

