

Kickers Meeting
Tuesday, January 26, 2016
First Weber Realty

Present:

Marcia Bruns
Renee Fischer
Lisa Kubis
Kirk Willard

Debbie Hagedorn
Larrie Hayes
Dan Sullivan

Ron Rasmussen
Karen Stashek
Nate Weidman

Meeting called to order by Ron Rasmussen at 7:30.

After attending a league meeting in Wausau, Nate Weidman was made aware that our current U-10 boys teams would need their rosters changed to meet regulations.

Nate W. shared information from the league meeting. A discussion was held regarding six, seven, and eight year-olds playing for Kickers. The club currently has five players who are not able to play because they would be playing "up" more than two years. Our by-laws say nothing about this age limit, but our rosters will not be accepted by the state if we have players who are not 8 years-old by August 1. There could be exceptions made, but we would have to petition the state. Other area clubs have guidelines of players from ages 8-18, and a discussion was held regarding our club adopting this age policy as well. Nate shared new rosters for three new teams the the board. All three meet the 50/50 rule, and all players are at least 8 years-old by August 1. We will have one U-9 team. Dan Sullivan moved to accept the rosters as listed and to notify four players that, because of team rules, they will not be able to play. Their money will be refunded. This motion was seconded by Larrie Hayes. No discussion, motion carried. Lisa Kubis will contact all parents of U-10 boys to alert them of roster changes, and she will also alert the parents of the four young players that their money will be refunded and they will not be able to play.

Ron Rasmussen shared with the members that the British Soccer Camp reps keep calling. A discussion was held regarding what direction the club should have with either British Soccer camp or Chicago Fire. Debbie Hagedorn agreed to send out an email to the membership to discover if any member(s) would be interested in organizing and running either camp for club members.

Uniform try-ons will be held at MSTC on January 31st and February 7th.

A brief explanation of the upcoming home tourney was given by Renee Fischer. Renee also shared a sample Kickers newsletter to be edited and sent out to membership. Renee also shared her efforts of updating both the Facebook page and website.

Meeting adjourned at 8:35 by Ron Rasmussen.