

**WR Kickers Meeting
Monday, July 17, 2017
Washington Field**

Present:

Marcia Bruns
Renee Fischer
Larrie Hayes
Deb Hagedorn

Lisa Kubis
Ron Piesik
Ron Rasmussen
Karen Stashek

Jason Wardour
Nate Weidman
Erin Wilson

Meeting called to order at 6:03 by Ron. Motion to approve last minutes made by Larrie, seconded by Jason. No discussion, motion carried.

President: None

Vice President: None

Secretary: None

Treasurer:

Larrie shared current state of the budget and discussed financial hand out. Online registration has really helped with expediency of money coming in. Renee asked which companies have not sent in banner sponsorship money. Motion to approve report made by Renee, seconded by Jason. No discussion. Motion carried.

Registrar:

Lisa shared that we have about 180 players registered. U-10 is open until September 1. Jason suggested that a couple of board members could visit schools. Many new U-10 boys for fall soccer. Kickers FB could send a message on Rec FB page regarding U-10 players? Registration numbers were sent out to Jason and Dan. By August 1, teams need to be formed and to the state. Motion to approve made by Nate, seconded by Renee. No discussion, motion carried.

Ref Assignor:

Karen shared that recertification clinic will be held on August 1 at hospital. She reported it was a fairly good season with only some trying times with U-10, but overall, very good experience. No negative calls. Seven league games left to play.

League meeting on August 26. Many issues to discuss. Karen had to reschedule 31 games due to weather. One club said team managers could coach if coaches not present. Number one complaint was about the uniforms. People said they are too similar. People questioned why Rhinelander is in our league. Motion to approve made by Deb, seconded by Nate. No discussion. Motion carried.

Coaching: None

Player Development:

Jason shared the thank you for Wood Trust and Safeway—framed jerseys. Discussion of the club adopting a third, bright-colored uniform top. Should we get a bright yellow? Green? Numbers on them. Jason will look into prices. Renee shared issue about a player who really struggles on her team. Jason said he could reach out to John Byom and parents. Report approved made by Renee, seconded by Larrie. No discussion, motion carried.

Fall Soccer

Ron shared that there are 108 signed up for fall soccer. Are we choosing a fall tourney? Motion made by Brian to let each team choose a fall tourney. Seconded by Renee. No discussion, motion carried. Shannon Shaw will do registering. Tara Duhlman may do spirit wear/uniforms. Deb discussed the positive impact Keith Wirtz has had on his players and asked if it would be possible for him to continue to coach this group.

Marcia shared frustration about player development and team formation. Very rushed discussion about state. Should have been earlier so board could discuss it. Nate shared concerned about fall soccer. Discussed A and B teams. Jason will bring to discussion of team forming. Ron will join as will Jim Wendels and Chris Feidt. 14/15 girl try-outs? August 1 rosters due. Try-outs for girls would be Monday, August 14, Monday, August 21. Meeting August 22 at 6:00 at Washington. Not half and half. Motion to approve fall soccer made by Renee, seconded by Erin. No discussion. Motion carried.

Tournament:

Erin shared that Oshkosh and Neenah are hosting a Neenah fall tourney on our weekend. Estimating 100 teams. Who approves? There should be a deadline to register. U-8 to U-12 only. Marketing team meets Sunday, 6:00 Next Home. Contacts being divided. Are we doing a quantity discount? \$50 off after 3 teams. Motion to approve report made by Marcia, seconded by Brian. No discussion, motion carried.

Communication:

Renee still working on newsletter. Will include fall tourney info.

New Business:

Perhaps stress being reciprocal with clubs for spring tourneys.

Tetra Brazil started today. Two coaches came and had nowhere to stay. Communication was not strong. Tania took it over after Mary started. About 50 players attended.

August 22, 6:00 Washington will be next meeting. Motion to adjourn made by Larrie, seconded by Renee. No discussion, motion carried.

Meeting adjourned at 7:52.