

WR Kickers Board Meeting 4/6/2025

Attendees: Megan, Rachel, Phil, Karen, Mike, Malissa, Troi, Stephanie, Clarissa, Rae, Darin, Brian,

Absent: Larrie

Meeting called to order:

Review last meeting minutes:

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1M4HUhDIIzfJA_MR7Jpu2suNSy1a0Se03FLBNAyYeNTs/edit?usp=drivesdk

A motion to approve the minutes was made by Darin and seconded by Megan. The motion passed.

President Updates: Megan

- Tryout Dates for State Leagues - window is 5/30 - 6/20, 11U - 15U offer on June 14, 16U-19U offer on June 20
 - 11U-15U — week of June 2nd, exact dates pending CWSL schedule
 - 16U-19U - pending feedback from Keith
 - U14/15 - half the current U14 team will be freshman and not going on a state league
- Academy Updates
 - Flyer posted and registration is open, 11 registered so far
 - Steve & Eric are running it, with 2 high school students
 - Y1 in Rapids on April 24th
- Rotary Grant - Ideas?
 - 2 benches per field, scholarship fund, numbered pinnies, game ball bags, first aid kits, pug nets or game balls
- Fun recognition for players going forward
 - Starting May 1st, - July 20th, nominate players or coaches weekly for upholding our mission
 - Recognition on FaceBook or future newsletter
- May Meeting we will need to update WRKSC Bylaws/policies
 - Review respective sections prior to next meeting
- Missions and values Updates
 - <https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/1QXytyHIYle94kM9uJXt0mTMszQnht-0LYufJMIOWmOc/edit?usp=sharing>

Motion Phil, second Karen - mission

Motion Phil, Troi - vision and values

- League schedules should be available mid April (April 17th or later)

Vice President Updates: Mike

- Nothing to report

Secretary updates: Rachel

- Nothing to report

Communication updates: Phil

- Google Email Setup - Delayed - Phil is looking into this

- Walking path update
 - Tentative work is being done in July
 - Field 4 will remain close to its current size but will move slightly
 - No walking path in front of varsity “dug outs” or bleachers (Field 5)
- Kickers New Website
 - Reviewed progress so far - hope to have available before the Cranberry Clash
 - Would like to include more pictures from teams
 - Homepage with Calendar - fed from PlayMetrics
 - information about upcoming Training and Camps
 - About Page
 - Team Programs
 - Coaches - Language about Becoming a Coach

Treasurer Updates: Larrie

- Not in attendance

Registration updates: Karen

- Uniforms
 - Survey parents to see if we should do a new uniform this fall or wait until 2026
 - Motion was made by Mike and seconded by Troi to sign with the new company for 4 years at the ambition level. Contract start to be based on parent feedback (Fall of 25 or Fall of 26). The motion passed.

Tournament Updates: Malissa

- 38 teams registered - 3 U9/10 G, 4 CO, 4 11/12 Co, 8 U11 G, 5 U13/14 C, 6 U13-15 girls, 8 high school - (48 in total last year)
- Sponsorships - donations are at about \$4579 - plus porto-potty/ wash station - 6 Madison tickets & scarves
- Concessions - need to meet with Stephanie for concessions - RASI still does ordering
- Clothing from last year - maybe add one new color

Referee Updates: Rae

- 25 refs for tournament already
- Districtwide 138 refs that have not re-certified - 16 from Rapids

Director of Coaching Updates: Darin

- Had coaches/managers meeting on 4/1 and covered expectations
- Coaching webinars this next week

Director of player developments: Brian

- Nothing to report

Volunteer Coordinators: Troi and Clarissa

- A motion was made by Rachel and seconded by Mike that families with a Senior Kickers player are exempt from all tournament hours for this senior. The motion passed.
- There should not be any girls high school games that weekend

Concessions Coordinator: Stephanie

- Will touch base with Malissa about tournament

A motion was made by Phil and seconded by Troi to adjourn. The motion passed.

The next meeting will be on Wednesday May 21st at 6:30 at Washington Library