

# WOODLAND SOCCER CLUB MINUTES

## February 12, 2009

7:05 Meeting came to order

**President, Robert Marin** started the meeting by handing out 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> place pins to rec teams who placed in fall.

ROBERT ANNOUNCED THAT BRANDON MARIN WAS NOMINATED FOR REFEREE OF THE YEAR. THIS IS A VERY PRESTIGIOUS AWARD AND HE IS ONE OF OUR VERY OWN.

John Gerald motioned that we, the club present Brandon with a Flag Set and Sergio seconded the motion. More to follow on Brandon's success...

Robert then announced, starting this year, Team Representation was going to be very important and that a fine would be enforced to teams who did not have representation to each monthly board meeting. (details on fines/penalties to come)

A lot of information is given at these meetings and it is important that a representative is present to obtain and report this information back to their team.

SYSL UPDATE: Metro is adopting the rule where parents will sit on one side of the field and the players and coaches on the opposite side of the field, during games.

Our club will host District 6 prelims and finals next year.

District 6 had 54K kids and SYSL has 8K kids.

Field positions – on 3/31 field positions will change. It is possible that we may only have 2 turf fields (WHS and all soccer field) along with Dave Douglas.

Light Bill – Robert is working on confirming the bills. Codes are valid thru 3/31/09.

Web Maintenance – N/A

**John Gerald:** John will collect \$150 from each team. This check will be collected with the team registration packages. This \$150.00 will be held until each team has completed 15 voluntary hours. A team may opt out of volunteering and the \$150.00 letting the club know that they will pay the fee and do not intend on completing 15 hours....

This is an option. John will keep track of hours as well. If a team is interested in helping at an event, they must contact John to schedule days and hours. This is the only way John can keep track. **TEAMS ARE ASKED NOT TO SHOW UP AT AN EVENT WITHOUT CONTACTING JOHN FIRST. THEIR HOURS WILL NOT COUNT IF THEY DO NOT CLEAR IT WITH JOHN.**

**David Zoldak:** David recapped on the indoor season and commented that indoor was available year round.

Spring: Websites have been sent to all coaches for their club. Coaches are urged to contact David with any questions or concerns they may have.

Sergio will schedule fields for Spring Season.  
Tryouts will take place March 14<sup>th</sup> for Spring soccer.  
2<sup>nd</sup> weekend in April is the estimated time for season to start.

**Fall Registration:** Fee will be \$95.00 per player. 1 scholarship per team is all that is offered. If more than one player is in need of help, it is the teams responsibility to fundraise or collect for the child in need.

**Coaches Report:** Andres Olmedo will hold coaches clinics throughout the year beginning in Spring.

John Gerald is available for coaches who are new to the league and who may have any questions or help getting their team started.

**Metro Rep:** Peter Holmes

Coaches must apply to be a Metro Coach.

**Coach Qualifications:** Head coach must have E License and Assistant to have at least an F License and at least one of the coaches must have a Referee License.

**Team Qualification:** Rec Team must have been in A, B or C League in order to move to Metro.

Metro Forms are on website and can be obtained by email on 5/14/09

**WOODLAND SUNSHINE CLASSIC TOURNAMENT:** Dates are 8/22 & 8/23

Metro Team Divisions: U10B – U16B and U10G – U19G

**Referee Art Harris:** Art will hold a Memorial Day Referee Clinic.

## **NEW BUSINESS**

Chivas group has contacted club to see if they can be part of WSC. They have been informed that they will need to register under WSC and play with WSC Rules, uniforms, etc...

Separate meeting to be held with WSC Board and Chivas, to finalize details.

Closing: Parks and Rec meetings are held the last Monday of the month – 100 kids, parents and coaches attended the last meeting. Great support from WSC!!!!

February 23<sup>rd</sup> is the next meeting at the Community Center. Please come out and support our club!

Meeting adjourned. **NEXT MEETING MARCH 12, 2009 @ 7PM**

