



GYSC

GETTYSBURG YOUTH SOCCER CLUB

Board of Directors Meeting Minutes

Sunday, February 21, 2016, Gettysburg Eddies

Present: Jeremy Forrer (Vice President), Christie Bach (Secretary), Patty Wivell (Treasurer), Roger Williams (Director of Coaching), Phil Biesecker (Tournament Director), Erin Aumen (Fundraising), and Anne Cherry (Member at large).

1. Meeting called to order at 7:12 p.m.
2. January Meeting Minutes were presented by Christie Bach. Phil Biesecker made motion to approve. Second by Patty Wivell. Approved by all.
3. Treasurer's Report will be provided by Patty Wivell at the March Board of Directors meeting.
4. CPYSL Report-Christie Bach
 - a. Final team counts and fees were submitted and paid. GYSC team counts for our spring teams are: U9B, U10B, U11B, U12B, U13B, U10G, & U11G.
 - b. The following coaches attended the CPYSL Competition Committee Meeting: Roger Williams, Mike Bishop, and John Regentin. Team were placed in the divisions that coaches requested. The suggestion was made that Mo Oduor recommend division placements for each team at the end of each season.
5. Registrar Report- Player Adds- One U10 girl will be added to the U10G Fire team. One U11 boy will be added to the U11B Red Devils team. Both players have been participated in winter training and were evaluated by both Mo Oduor and each coach.
6. Fundraising Report-
 - a. Patty will contact a parent who expressed interest in helping the club where needed. We will ask that the parent organize a sub fundraiser. We are looking for the sub fundraising forms to be presented to our teams in the first week of spring practice.
7. Club/Team Reports-
 - a. CPYSL Spring League games will begin April 2, 2016.

b. Team practices will begin March 7, 2016 and goal keeping training will begin March 14, 2016. Weather and field conditions permitting.

c. Christie requested fields at Straban Township Park in addition to the fields we already have secured at Gettysburg High School. The status of the request will not be known until mid March.

9. Training and Development Update- GYSC coaches meeting will be held at Gettysburg Eddies on Thursday, March 3rd at 7pm.

8. New Business

a. Spring Tryouts-

1. Location-We will look at the availability of renting the Gettysburg Middle School turf fields for Sunday April 10 & 17, 2016 from 1-5 pm. Concern was expressed over the cost of the turf field in addition to paying Mo Oduor to evaluate the players.

2. Player Fees-Decreasing the player fees to \$200 per player per season for the 2016-2017 season was discussed by the board. Tryout fee would be included in the registration fee. This decrease in player cost would cost GYSC \$11,340 per year, but the opportunity to recover this cost would be possible with our 2016 Battlefield Blast Tournament.

b. Battlefield Blast Tournament will be held August 27 & 28, 2016. Fields have been secured for Gettysburg High School, Gettysburg Middle School, James Gettys Elementary, and Oakside Park. Phil Biesecker and Jeff Yingling are in the process of also working with Gettysburg College for fields as we may have to opportunity to expand the tournament this year.

c. Grant Application- Erin Aumen and Anne Cherry will work together to apply for soccer grants available through EPYSA. The US Soccer Foundation grants are no longer available. We will request funds for new goals that will be needed with the new changes coming to US youth soccer.

d. EPYSA AGM- Jeremy Forrer will attend the EPYSA Annual General Membership meeting to represent GYSC.

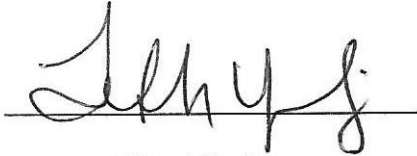
e. Spring Adds- due to the needs of new player adds for the spring 2016 season, Jeremy Forrer made by motion to approve the fee for new spring player adds for U9B, U10B, U11B, U12B, AND U13B for the amount of \$225. Second by Erin. Approved by all.

f. Winter Training- Concern was expressed over the lack of information and last minute notification of 2016 winter training. Several parents and coaches have voiced their concerns to board members. In efforts to improve club communication, Anne Cherry made the motion to have Winter training to be run administratively through GYSC for 2017. Details to be determined. Second by Erin Aumen. Approved by all.

g. Player Add Policy- The need for a new player add policy was expressed by Jeremy Forrer and Roger Williams.

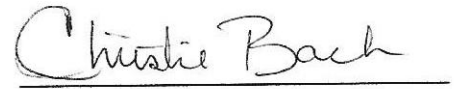
19. Meeting adjourned at 10:02 p.m. until February 28, 2016 to discuss more details regarding tryouts for fall 2016-spring 2017.

Minutes respectfully submitted by Christie Bach



Jeffrey Yingling

Board President



Christie Bach

Board Secretary