

STAFFORD SOCCER CLUB
MONTHLY MEETING
September 8, 2011

Location: Ocean Acres Community Center

Time: 8:00 PM

Call to Order By: Angelo Cordasco, Pres.

Recreation Report

- Recreation Uniforms will be distributed tonight- the coaches will sign as they receive
- The club can order additional uniforms but they will not arrive for a few weeks
- This Friday there is an Intermediate 2 game and other games will begin on Saturday – Intermediate 2 will have an extra game due to odd number of teams so they will play Friday nights for the first half of season.
- So far there are 73 First Touch players, 8 clinic teams, 10 Superclinic teams, 4 Intermediate 1 teams and 5 Intermediate 2 teams.
- The Referees will be very young this Fall due to many of the older referees playing soccer – the coaches are asked to please be patient with them and give them a chance to grow into more experienced referees
- There are many late registrations this year (over 100 received by mail) so the club will look into reducing this in the future
- Coaches are asked to make sure they have reached out to all players on their roster by now – first by phone and follow up by email if needed.
- All Recreation coaches are reminded that they need to turn in their completed Kidsafe form and should complete the online concussion course by October.

Travel Report

- The Travel Season begins this week with Ocean Rec games on Saturday and the other games on Sunday
- Travel coaches are reminded to make contact with the opposing coach the week prior to the game to confirm times, field directions, jersey colors, etc.
- If a travel coach would like to hold a scrimmage, please make sure the coaches who practice on the field that is being used are notified so they can set up on another field
- Please make sure you give plenty of notice if planning to pre-play a game – Saturdays are the preferred day for pre-plays. Also, check Columbus Day weekend with the other coach to make sure you have plenty of time if a pre-play is needed because they are in a tournament.
- MOSA coaches are reminded to bring their completed game card to the games
- Money for the referees was distributed tonight

Thank you all for attending the meeting!