

STAFFORD SOCCER CLUB
MONTHLY MEETING
March 31, 2011

Location: Ocean Acres Community Center

Time: 8:30 PM

Attendance: per sign-in sheet

Call to Order By: Angelo Cordasco, Pres.

Travel Report/Fields

- Roger Budd stated that the fields will continue to be closed for practices during bad weather to preserve them. Also, the Town is not able to line the fields during rain, so we will have to bear with it until they can get out there.
- The coaches are responsible to make sure corner flags are up during the games and the goals are weighted down with sandbags. The last coach on the field during the day is responsible for putting away the corner flags.
- Please do not remove the nets if you do not have to – If they must be moved around, please only move the smaller nets and make sure they are returned to the original location.
- Coaches must notify Gary if there is a last minute pre-play or cancellation to make sure the club does not have to pay the referee fees for no game.
- If a trainer practice is cancelled for any reason, the coach must make sure that the trainer is notified of the cancellation.
- Travel Evaluations for the Fall 2011/Spring 2012 Seasons will take place during the week of May 16 – Further information will be posted soon.

Recreation Report

- Most of the Recreation Uniforms have been handed out tonight and most of the teams have been practicing already, except for the clinic
- Doug stated there are about 400 children in the Recreation league
- Rainouts for clinic will not be rescheduled as extra games are built in, so the schedule will pick up on the next date.
- The first Intermediate game is scheduled for this Friday and the superclinic will begin playing on Saturday.
- Intramural players need to make sure they complete registration with the club to make sure they are covered by the club's insurance

Treasurer Report

- Bonnie stated that the Club is still trying to collect outstanding Travel Team registrations and money not yet paid for Travel Team uniform orders.

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- Next year the Travel registration fees will have to be due sooner to prevent the club from paying fines for teams that fold at the last minute
- Also, the Travel Coaches will be provided with the process where they will be responsible for ordering their own uniforms and collecting the money for them

MOSA Report

- Keith said the Mia Hamm Foundation is looking to hold festivals in October (Round the Clock Tournaments) and needs clubs to sponsor them.
- The T.O.P. Soccer Program was held in East Brunswick, which is becoming larger each year
- A Concussion Certificate will eventually be required by the Towns in NJ of all coaches playing on their fields – Information is at the CDC Website
- The First VP, Member at Large, and Treasurer officer positions are up for election at MOSA
- MOSA asked that all coaches read the MOSA rules and please remember to bring the game cards to the games
- A coach or club is not allowed to cut a player from a Team; the player has to release himself/herself
- There will be no more pass packets in the future – clubs will be given the blank cards to print on. Also, the cost is expected to remain the same.

Thank you to all those who attended!