TCL Meeting Minutes
January 8, 2008
Holiday Inn, Greensboro

Attendance

Kevin Bilodeau (WOW), Brian Holt (TCYSA); Tab Haigler (URYSA), Ricky Cooper (NDSL), Ed Harris (MYSA), Tim Dezego (DCUSA), Demp Bradford (TCL), David Trivette (YCCSA), Jeff Jenkins (KSA; PTFC); Matt Beck (GUS), Robert Oliver (young boys commissioner), Garry Norman (NTSC; TCL President), Gary Olive (TCL; PTFC); Tim Gilbert (CYSA), Clay Showalter (CCSC), John Stang (TASC), Doug Rogers (PSA); Pat Hunt (GRYSA); and Derek Robinson (BSC).

Member Associations Not Present – ICRD; GYS; JSC

The meeting was called to order at 7:30 pm by Garry Norman.

Approval of Minutes

The first item of business was the approval of the minutes of the December 4, 2007 Meeting. Upon motion duly made and seconded, the minutes were unanimously approved.

Officers' Reports

The next item of business was the presentation of the Officer's Reports, as follows:

- Treasurer Report – Maurice Coreil was unable to attend.
- Younger Boys Commissioner – Robert Oliver reported that there were no issues to report.
- Younger Girls Commissioner – Kim Kerns was not able to attend.
- Older Boys & Girls Commissioner – Ricky Cooper indicated that there was nothing to report.
- D&A – Tom Cartee was unable to attend.

Old Business

The items of old business covered at the meeting were as follows:

- **Age Group Divisions/Brackets.** Demp Bradford reviewed the brackets and numbers of teams asking all clubs to verify the accuracy of the list and report any issue to him directly. He reminded everyone that each team will have 2 reschedule dates to cover the spring breaks.

- **TCL Clinic** – February 2 – Glenn HS 8:30 to 3:30. The following work assignments for each club were reviewed:

  30th prep day – NTSC, GUS, TCYSA, JSC
  Lunch – KSA
  Doughnuts – TASC
  Check In – GRYSA, PSA, GYSA
  Lunch Clean Up – BSC, NDSL, ICRD
  End of Day Clean Up – DCUSA, WOW, YCCSA, URYSA

New Business

- **Proposal for Rescheduling Procedures** – Robert Oliver made the following proposal in addition to the current rule regarding rescheduling:

  Any match that is cancelled must be rescheduled within one week of the original playing date or may be deemed a forfeit by the appropriate commissioner. Forfeits may be appealed to the TCL Executive Board by providing the appropriate documentation that an effort was in fact made to reschedule the match.

A technical amendment to the existing rule was also proposed to change the required TCL contact from tclsoccer@aol.com to "the appropriate commissioner".

A motion was made by Doug Rogers PSA, and seconded by Matt Beck GUS that this proposal and technical amendment be approved. The motion was approved by vote of the members present.

- **Age Group Brackets**. A discussion then ensued regarding the bracketing of teams into first and second divisions and why it only happens in the spring.

- **Carding of Coaches**. A discussion was then held regarding the enforcement of the rule that only carded team officials will be allowed to coach a game (due to risk management). Only individuals who have passed risk management and can prove so (coaches pass) will be allowed to coach.

- **Events**. A list of upcoming events was presented by Garry Norman

There being no further business to discuss the meeting was adjourned at 8:20 pm.

The next meeting will be held February 5, 2008 at 7:30pm.

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