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MINUTES

06/24/2026
Time: 7:30 PM
Location: Ransom District Library

- **Call to Order**
  - ***Board members: Mandi Quigley, Heidi Falkenstein, Kristin Anderson, Andrew Kuipers, Joe Gibson, Sarah DeJonge, Amber Green***
  - ***Absent: Joe Clemons, Tony McNeel***

- ***Action item: Approval of Minutes/Summary from 05/27/2026 Meeting:***
  - **Motion: Mandi**
  - **Second: Andrew**
  - **In favor: 5**
  - **Against: 0**

- **Public Comment: 3 minutes (maximum 15 minutes)**
  - N/A

- **Agenda Amendments/Additions**
  - **Tryout debrief**
    - Staggered times worked better. Need to set up times for a break between try out times. Would benefit from problem solving, where applicable, before tryouts and/or someone day of tryouts to problem solve.
  - **Tournament only team (can delete - see below in old business).**
  - **Futsal league in the winter**
  - **Coach reimbursement (grassroots and/or 4 v 4 for academy)**
  - **Partial discount for kids that are part of the team but do not dress for games**
    - Lots of discussion, differing opinions, no determination made.

- **New Business**
  - **U5/U6 Coach Reimbursement (carry over from 5/27/26 meeting)**
    - Academy coaches (U5/U6); U7/U8 already receive reimbursement; question regarding if we are going to do this why are we not for every level?
    - Heidi looked at the potential cost of this (2 assistant coaches per team): $1150. $2300 for 2 coaches per team.
    - ***Action item: Motion to approve the reimbursement of up to $500 for U5/U6 academy coaches, to be distributed at the discretion of the Academy and Coaching Director.***
    - **Motion:** Joe G
    - **2nd:** Andrew
    - **In favor:** 5
    - **Against:** 0

- **National 1 league: Kristin**
    - Pathway for teams at clubs that are not ECNL to be able to play at a higher level. Cannot apply at this time, however, Kristin asking that we consider this in the future(by next tryouts). Registration is $1200.
    - Andrew asked how tied we are to WMYSA? Would we consider GVSA? A few will look into this.
    - Action Item: Sub-committee to investigate and propose a plan: Sara, Kristin, Andrew.
- **Board member discount, extended family: Joe G**
    - For Board members that participate that do not have children in the program, would like to utilize this for extended families.
    - Current board members are not sure if there is an actual policy that covers this, we need to find the policy and review.
    - Mandi will try to locate and review the policy and communicate by the July meeting.
- **Scholarship committee/requests**
    - Outstanding requests that need to be reviewed.
    - Subcommittee to meet next week (Heidi, Mandi, Amber). Will bring back recommendations to the July meeting.
    - Would like to add the potential for compensated rooms for tournaments be put towards scholarships.
- **Coach first aid kits**
    - Wanting to have a kit on site?
    - Subcommittee will research what is needed and bring back recommendations: Kristin and Sarah.

- **Old Business**
    - **Highschool girls tournament only team: Kristin**
        - U19 Team-losing ½ players? What happens? Options-High School Freshman through Senior (Green/White): (Fall Season 2026)
            - WMYSA (2)
            - One team-tournament only (1) and other WMYSA
            - Both
        - Request: Board to approve plan.
        - Jason stepping down. Next coach focused on getting players prepared for college level.
        - **Action:** Item tabled for additional discussion at the next meeting.
    - ***3/25/26 Update: Will move to next month's agenda. Guest (Ryan) was going to come to this meeting to discuss the details, not able to attend due to perceived time constraints (also need to get something in writing from Ryan).***
    - ***4/29/26: Ryan has submitted an application, still waiting for additional emailed information, this will be tabled until the June meeting.***
    - ***6/24/26 Update: Can remove agenda item. No longer moving forward with a tournament team.***

- **Board Member Reports (None due to time)**
    - **Academy Director, Kristin Anderson**
    - **Coaching Coordinator, Sarah DeJonge**
    - **Uniform Coordinator, Vacant**
    - **Marketing Director, Amber Green**
    - **Registrar, Vacant**
    - **Secretary, Mandi Quigley**
    - **Field and Maintenance Coordinator, Joe Gibson and Andrew Kuipers**
    - **Treasurer, Heidi Falkenstein**

- **Vice-President, Joe Clemens**

- **President, Anthony McNeel**

- **Committee Reports**
  - **N/A**

- **Adjournment: 8:56 PM**
  - Motion: Mandi
  - 2nd: Joe G
  - In favor: 5
  - Against: 0