

**DISTRICT VII MEETING
MINUTES
November 8, 2017**

The District Commissioner brought the meeting to order at 7:35 P.M.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Dist. Commissioner, Asst. Commissioner, Sect.-Treasurer, D7PP, Coaching Leagues 2,7,8,10,11,13,15,16,19,20,21,22,23

MEMBERS EXCUSED: Registrar, Rules & Revisions, Recreation, League 6

MEMBERS ABSENT: Top Soccer, Referees Leagues 1,3,4,9,14,17,18,24,25,26

GUESTS: Richard Hernandez-Roosevelt, Chris Hernandez-Roosevelt

**MINUTES: M/S/C TO APPROVE THE MINUTES OF THE OCTOBER 11, 2017 MEETING AND
TO INCLUDE RATIFICATION OF THE E-MAIL POLL FOR THE HANFORD TOURNAMENT
UNANIMOUS**

REPORTS

REGISTRAR: See Commissioner's report.

TREASURER: We are working to repair some problems with the financials for the audit.

CUPS: John reported that our teams did very well in Founder's Cup. Results of the teams, that made Runner-up or Champion, was submitted. There were some problems with teams not qualifying for Cups..

ODP: No report

TOP SOCCER: John reported that the Pumpkin Fest was great, as usual. We had attendees from Top Soccer represented.

RECREATION: Karl submitted a written report. He included his notes from the Mini-Summit meeting held at the State office in October.

D7PP: We are still having problems with scores not being posted within the allotted time. We have had some issues. The program is growing and good ideas are being submitted.

COACHING: Mike commented on Karl's report, stating that the biggest problem is that leagues are confused by the new playing rule changes. Evidently, some league play does not use the build out line or small sided soccer mandates. **These are mandates and must be utilized.**

REFEREES: Pat submitted a written report. Note that a Grade 8 referee course will be held in Selma on Friday, November 17. The Assignor Course will be held on November 18 at the CYSA office. Registration can be done on CNRA.net.

COMMISSIONER'S REPORT: John has prepared a document for everyone that shows CYSA's Constitution and By Laws responsibilities, League and District. He has identified many areas where the leagues are not following the policies they have agreed on. Some of the mandates not being adhered to are:
Use of uncredentialed coaches in games and at practices,
Leagues not following the small sided soccer mandate,
Game cards not being turned in timely or not at all,

Red carded player passes not being collected and turned in to D7,
Coaches with blank passes, offering to write a pass at the game.
John feels that we should have a symposium for all league Presidents and their Board Members in 2018.

OLD BUSINESS: League fines need to be cleared ASAP. Fourteen leagues owe meeting fines, playing league fines and some registration fees. The leagues will receive a letter stating that the fees and fines must be paid within 60 days or the league will be put in bad standing.

Deadlines were brought up at the last meeting. Do we want to not accept teams after the deadlines or a policy of late fees? The consensus was to fine the league \$25.00 however no motion was made.

NEW BUSINESS: The district provided a list of “End of Season” in-house tournaments. Announcement was made that the Sanger Tournament is not a CYSA/Cal North or District 7 Event. Any team participating is not covered by insurance and liability rests on the coach.

GOOD OF THE GAME:

There being no further business, meeting was adjourned at 8:10 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Gladys Olsen, Secretary