



**Shakopee Soccer Association**  
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## **General Board Meeting Minutes July 15, 2007**

1. The general board meeting of the Shakopee Soccer Association was called to order at approximately 6:37 p.m. at Lion's Park by Mark Teslow.

Present: Mark Teslow, Darla Teslow, Tom Temple, Dan Meehan, Steve Curren, Tim Root, Cheryl Besser

Not Present: Mickey Willard, Peggy Dokka-Thorson, Todd Feely, Michele Monroe

2. **Approval of agenda:**  
Motion to approve the amended agenda by Tim Root, second by Dan, motion passed.
  - Add Spring Rec and State tournament
3. **Approval of minutes:**  
Minutes from July 1, 2007 were reviewed, moved to accept the minutes by Tim Root, second by Darla, motion passed.
4. **Director reports:**  
**Treasurer:**  
No report

### **Coaching Director:**

Tim presented information for Todd in his absence. Todd emailed the Burnsville Soccer club to ask them if they found that a Spring Rec program had been valuable for them and they replied yes, stated that it has helped to build their travel program.

He also asked them whether they post the team rosters on their web site after tryouts are completed and concerns regarding privacy issues. They replied that they do post the rosters with full names of players and that it complies with privacy laws. As SSA only places the first name and last initial of player information, we should be okay.

Todd submitted his resignation. His final day is July 29.

### **Registrar:**

Fall Travel: Currently no U9 teams, 3 U10 Boys, 9 U10 Girls, 8 U11 Boys, no U11 Girls, 10 U12 Boys and 3 U12 Girls have registered for fall travel.

Currently 33 have signed up for fall travel and 68 for fall Rec.

### **Referee Coordinator:**

Done with summer season; 2 games left but referee coverage intact. Darla is working on refs for District games. She has sent emails and is awaiting confirmation from those emails.

### **Fundraising Director & Communication Director:**

Dan has created flyers for the 2008 traveling season including the information that \$125 down payment registration is due this fall at tryouts with the remainder payable later. Will amend the flyer to list what the remainder is by age bracket ~ registration fees for the 2008 travel season include the tryout fee and online registration fee required by the online provider - Cogran Systems.

Mark requested that a reminder also gets placed in the newspaper regarding Fall Travel and Fall Rec.



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### Equipment Coordinator:

Dan is working with Valley Sports on the fall Rec jerseys ~ was quoted \$15.99 per jersey. Mark asks whether this is a competitive price and Dan states it is, compared to other places he has checked. The jerseys are reversible, board agreed on price and Dan will order in the morning. He has blood jerseys for U17 Girls, U16 Boys, U14 and U13 teams. No other blood jerseys are available due to returns/swaps of jerseys.

Darla needs 7 sets of corner flags for Districts. Dan will pull them together for her.

### Field Coordinator:

Goals will be moved from Tappa to the complex Tuesday the 17<sup>th</sup> for Districts.

The resting of fields 1 and 2 will be up to Bill Eagan from the city, Tim talked with the city and they know that it is a problem, but no decision and no certainty on whether they will be rested as the city needs them.

The building at the complex is supposed to be ready on Wednesday 7/18. Fences behind the goals, particularly on the 17<sup>th</sup> Avenue side, were supposed to be put in as part of building project. Tim inquired about these and they may be installed by fall.

### Volunteer Coordinator:

No Report

### Rec. Coordinator :

Steve put together Recreation manual putting all his notes/email information into the manual.

Kevin Brown is on board.

Real online registration is in the works, but will not be available for Fall Rec or Fall Travel registrations in August.

Tom/Mark are working on this. Will get the credit card processing information this week.

Micro Soccer flyers will be distributed the 2<sup>nd</sup> week in August. Dan has them created.

Steve will contact all registered rec players by August 1<sup>st</sup>. Will need three fields for Rec.

Steve submitted the Rec budget to Mark.

### Tournament Director:

No Report.

### 5. Upcoming Events / Calendar Review:

Nothing discussed.

### 6. Old Business:

Nothing discussed.

### 7. Districts Playoffs:

Tom handed out list of District teams and their field assignments.

Volunteers still need to be coordinated. Darla will contact Mickey to see how this is going. If no volunteers lined up, the U17 Boys will be asked to help out or Darla will find some volunteers. Suggestion made to contact Karen Bohn.

Darla will check with the city to see if we are able to use the complex building for concessions the day of District games. If not, we will set up tables underneath the building overhang. Therefore, we should not require tents.



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Tim provided the city with the MYSAs guidelines for field markings. Since it is important to have the fields correct for the District games, Mark and Darla will check the fields at the complex on Tuesday to determine which fields may need to be fixed.

SSA should bring in an estimated \$1860 from hosting Districts

### 8. Spring Rec Program:

Talked with city about possibility of fields for Spring Rec ~ city not sure where they could put us as all fields are used for spring sports, at the schools, complex, etc. City is really not sure they could find us any fields to use.

### 9. State tournament:

Discussion held on number of teams that are in a position to go to state. U17 boys are automatic first berth, U11 red boys are in 2<sup>nd</sup> place, U17 girls are in 2<sup>nd</sup> place, several 3<sup>rd</sup> place teams (U16 boys, U14 girls, U13 boys). SSA has stated it will pay 1/2 of the cost for teams who go to state and has budgeted for 4 teams. It looks like we potentially could have more teams than that going to the state tournament. The income from hosting Districts can be used.

### 10. Adjourn meeting:

Motion made by Tom Temple, second by Darla to adjourn meeting at 8:05 p.m., motion passed.

**Phone message pick-up duty for July 17 – August 7: Darla  
August 7 – August 21: Dan**

Minutes submitted by:  
Cheryl Besser  
Substitute Secretary