

## **Directors of Coaching Meeting**

NC Youth Soccer Association State Office

April 5, 2016 – 10:30 AM

Clarion Hotel, Greensboro

### **Attendance**

Trevor Spencer (ACYSA), Bryan Farnsworth (CASL), Bret Malone (CASL), Dan Popik (CASL), Jeff Schellenberger (CVYSA), Gregg Munn (CSA), Tyler Andrus (CSA), Steve Magee (CUFC), Frank Fitzgerald (CSL), Ted Awana (EWSA), Jeff Ferrell (EWSA), Peter Broadley (FCCA), Winston Pennington (GCCSA), Wade Forte (GUSA), Steve Diamond (GUSA), June Tutterrow (ICRD), Todd Jeffery (IFC), Cam Ormsby (JASA), Jeremy Weeks (LNSC), Keenan Harward (MHAA), Eric Wehr (MHAA), Michael Walser (NCUSA), Omar Chahid (PGSA), David Upchurch (PSA/PTFC), Andy Giordano (PGSA), Fil Wilkinson (SSA), Brendan Chamberlain (SSL), Mark Simpson (TCYSA), Chris Nugent (TCYSA), Kacy Charlton (TESC), George Tasedan (TESC), Eder Quintanilla (TESC), Steven Curfman (TFC), John Cirillo (TUSA), Derek Harrell (WCWAA), Carson Porter (WHYFC), Andrew Truek ( WYSA).

### **Others in Attendance:**

Bill Furjanic (NCYSA), Bradley Morrison (NCYSA), Jane Matejcik (NCYSA), Colby Morton (NCYSA), Debbie Morton (NCYSA), Marvin Bishop (NCYSA), John Koslick (NCYSA); Guest Speaker – Dr. Jennifer Etnier

### **Reading and approval of the October 6, 2015 DOC Meeting Minutes**

Tabled until next meeting.

## **NEW BUSINESS**

### **Guest Speakers**

- **Dr. Jennifer Etnier – “Keep’ em Kicking: Keeping Children in Soccer.**  
Persistence in the face of failure. Why do we lose soccer players and how to keep them coming back each year for a game that is FUN. Don’t take the “fun” out of why you play the game. What are your values as a coach and mentor? Focus on challenging the player to be the best they can be. Please contact Bill Furjanic for more information on Dr. Etnier’s talk.
- **Region I and III TOPSoccer Symposium**  
Bill and Jane attended the Symposium in Miami. Very informative. If you wish to start a TOPSoccer Program, let Bill or Jane know that you have vested person. A program can be started with as little as 3-4 participants.

### **Coaching Education**

Hosting Coaching Courses for 2016:

- National Youth Course – Wilmington – June 3-5 and June 10-12
- Performance Center for the “C” course (those that didn’t pass the C) - to Be held in Raleigh on October 14-16
- National C Course in Charlotte – Phase 1 November 5-12, 2016  
Phase 2 February 3-5, 2017

### **NCYSA Youth Soccer Academy**

The spring Showcase will be held April 23-24 at Bryan Park in Greensboro. GUSA will host. The tentative date for the fall Showcase is October 29-30 TBD. To fulfill Academy coaching requirements, the NYC and F online courses need to be completed.

### **ODP**

Brief discussion with the DOC’s on a new marketing plan and programming coming soon.

### **Recreation**

- Jane Matejcek shared the Regional Recreation Meeting sites and agendas for the upcoming spring meetings. If you wish to host a NC Soccer Recreation Roadshow, there is an application process so please contact Jane at the NCYSA State office or [jane@ncsoccer.org](mailto:jane@ncsoccer.org)
- The Recreation Newsletter is a great tool for players, coaches and parents – Sideline Beacon. Please utilize this free service.
- NCYSA applied and received a GRANT from USYS for Recreation. This is a great boost for NCYSA’s Recreation program and you will be seeing more information coming soon.

### **Meeting Adjourned**

Minutes respectfully taken and written by Debbie Morton.