

BURLINGAME AYSO BOARD MEETING MINUTES [DRAFT FOR APPROVAL]

Regular Meeting of the Board to administer 2021-22 Season in the time of COVID

DATE: July 20th, 2021, 7:30pm-9:00pm

LOCATION: A Zoom with a view

PREPARED BY: Nick Skelton, Secretary

Attendees:

- Jacquie Haggarty, RC
- Alex Wong, Treasurer
- Duff Beach, Regional Coach Admin
- Niki Armstrong, Regional Ref Admin
- Jean Gordon, Registrar
- Gary Rainville, Uniforms
- Jim Brogan, Regional Safety Director
- Trent Wright, CVPA
- Bill Clifford, Webmaster
- Nick Skelton, Secretary
- Aleks Krumins, Winter Select Coordinator
- Lorie Rakstins, fields

- Andrew Haskell, U16/18 DC
- Neil Chalasini, U14 DC
- Brian Anderson, U12DC
- Adam Glass, U12DC
- John Paulson, U12DC
- Kerry Laddaram, Jamboree & Playground
- Chandra Lund, U7DC
- Jamie Russo, U10DC
- Christina Tsui, U10DC
- Gretchen Kindberg, Role?
- Rick Sandor, Referee Administration
- 1. Call to Order meeting called to order at 7:30pm; attendees as listed above.
- 2. Update
 - a. Don't forget to register as a volunteer
 - b. Golden Gate Camp 8/6
 - i. registration closed for intermediate coaching class
 - ii. camp may not be held; may offer 1 day training instead
 - iii. Jacquie to find out more details
 - c. UK Socca' contract has been signed
 - i. three volunteers this year
 - d. Practices can start 8/23
- 3. Masks for 2021 fall season
 - a. not required according to CDC recommendations
 - b. Should we have a consideration of vaccination status? JB would love this, but not sure if possible. How to verify and enforce? We do not plan to do this.
 - c. JB: propose that coaches at least mask; harder for players. AG: this would limit connection between coach and players (ability to see facial expressions)
 - d. JB: Masked spectators? Strongly recommend. Referees should not have to enforce this. Push back to coaches (parent volunteer on each team?)

- e. RS: It would be hard for us to mandate stricter regulations than whatever regulations are being enforced at the state and local level. We can strongly recommend, if not require.
- f. Discuss further at the Safety Committee (or get more input from the rest of the Board?)
- g. Notify parents that mask policy is being considered (e.g. recommend masks and vaccinations for players, coaches and spectators but not required; subject to changes pandemic evolves); allow parents to withdraw if they are not comfortable.

4. Treasurer's Report (AW)

- a. next time
- 5. Regional Registrar Update (CG)
 - a. most age groups closed (maxed out referees); some still open if space available (see spreadsheet). U6 and below still open.
 - b. JG plans to form teams starting 8/2. Start with U16 and U19 since they start practices sooner. Then move to divisions that are close to max enrollment. 7U and 8U need to be updated.
 - c. Refunds will be offered until the end of July (almost full). Will offer refunds after this if withdrawal due to covid policy.
 - d. Banner going up on Broadway this week.
- 6. Regional Coach Admin (DB)
 - a. Next time; coach training to be scheduled
 - b. Not sure yet how to hold meetings with Coaches
- 7. Division Coordinator reports
- 8. Safety Report (JB)
 - a. nothing new beyond mask discussion above
 - b. Would be good to have bad air policy in place in case fires affect air quality
- 9. Referee Report
 - a. GG Camp has been cancelled except National
 - b. Working on emailing to get referees ready; recruitment will be required
 - c. CVP & RVP programs will be run this year; will need to factor handling loss of games due to poor air quality; RS and NA ro come up with proposal next time.
 - d. AYSO-U will be going away this year (mid season) so will need to train on the new system; certifications *should* transfer.
 - e. Need a new Referee equipment coordinator
 - f. Preseason referees meeting TBD
 - g. Referee appreciation evening at the Quakes (\$38 + post-game seminar) 8/17
- 10. Equipment
- 11. Web
- 12. Volunteer Appreciation
- 13. Fields Update (LR and AG)
 - a. fields have been requested for 14U and down
 - b. Need to add on times for 16U, 19U and training
 - c. AG working on on-line tool to assign / select practice fields
 - d. City will not line Cuernavaca; we will have to do it. Coordinate with BSC as they use it three days a week
 - e. LR will line Village in 2 weeks
 - f. Benchmarks set up at Washington for City tp line
 - g. JG to send out email to request volunteers to help with field setup / breakdown fields during the season
 - h. City has taken responsibility for large goals (fixed and nets replaced)

a. nothing!

MEETING END (at 8:30 PM)

Proposed Calendar for 2021-22 season

Early August - Coaches Meetings

Mid August - Pre-season Ref Meetings

8/17 - Referee Appreciation Night

8/23 (Monday) - Fields open for first practices

[8/21 - U16/U19 season begins]

9/6 (Monday) - Labor Day weekend

9/11 (Saturday) - Opening day / first games

9/19 (Sunday) - Photo day (non-game day)

9/26 - (Sunday) - Photo makeup day (non-game day)

10/2-3 - Doubleheader weekend

10/3 - Silent Sunday

10/23 - Regular season ends

10/30 - Last day of season for U8 and younger

10/30-31 - Burlingame Cup

11/6-7 - Burlingame Cup (Semis/Finals 11/7)