



# CHARIHO YOUTH SOCCER ASSOCIATION

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Affiliated with Soccer Rhode Island

The Monthly Meeting of the Chariho Youth Soccer Association was held on Thursday, Sept 1<sup>st</sup> 2011 at the First Baptist Church, Hope Valley. The meeting was called to order by Dan Orciari at 7:30 pm

## BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>President:</u> Dan Orciari                | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>Vice President:</u> Tom Sutcliffe              |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>Secretary:</u> David Gever                | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>Treasurer:</u> Sherri Jackson                  |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>Director of Referees:</u> Norm Ripstein   | <input type="checkbox"/> <u>Competitive Director:</u> Dennis Smail                    |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>Director of Coaches:</u> Ed Vazquez       | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>Director of Fundraising:</u> Susan St.Lawrence |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <u>Director of Public Relations:</u> Lisa Chatowski     | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>Director of Equipment:</u> Jeff St.Onge        |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>Director of Registration:</u> Leray Rinne | <input type="checkbox"/> <u>Director of Fields:</u> Ken Gordon                        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <u>Member At Large:</u> Jeff Duscha                     | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>Member At Large:</u> Mark Reynolds             |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>Member At Large:</u> Chris Allen          | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>Member At Large:</u> Anthony Gomez             |

Members Present – None

## SECRETARY'S REPORT

**MOTION** to accept Aug minutes, unanimous.

## CORRESPONDENCE

Group U6 / U8 Practices - Good attendance for U6 and U8 practices at Crandall and are going well

Photos Lost - Jessica DiOrio has lost last year's photos keep a look out.

Field Requests for Fall – Hopkinton and Richmond approved CYSA field use for the Fall 2011.

URI Night – URI night will occur 17 Aug 2011 all children wearing CYSA uniforms will be allowed to enter free.

## TREASURER'S REPORT

**MOTION** to accept Aug report, unanimous.

## DIRECTOR OF COMPETITIVE

Dan suggested that kids that are playing for the Middle School and the CYSA competitive games, that we waive the requirement that the kids must also play recreation games. **Motion was accepted.** If a child will be playing on The Middle School team, they will not receive a refund for the Competitive fee for that child. It will be the responsibility of each coach to work that out.

## DIRECTOR OF COACHES

Michelle Carpenter accepted a team. She will take Ryan Richard's former team. All background checks have not been updated. 2 coaches don't have their equipment yet.

## DIRECTOR OF REFEREES

Some kids who have registered as wanting to referee, need to take the exam. New URI referee date is Labor Day at 4:00 PM. Sep 24th will be Norm's training date. Must register for it when it appears on the website. Norm worked up the referee increase fee schedule. Norm's increase of 15% was accepted. And round up to the next dollar for any non-integer increase. Need to vote on changing the by-laws to remove the fees so to allow more flexibility in fee schedule.

### **DIRECTOR OF EQUIPMENT**

Trailer is at Ninigret park. Some damage to U8 nets. Would like better communications with Charlestown so that Jeff can plan his schedule better.

### **DIRECTOR OF FIELDS**

Field lining completed and Port a Johns ordered for the season.

### **DIRECTOR OF REGISTRATION**

Question arose as to whether a child who will be playing on the Middle school team will get their recreation registration fee refunded upon request. Decided to refund the registration fee for those that have decided to play Middle School team in lieu of CYSA recreation league. Leray will respond to those requests for refunds. About 22 kids are in limbo as of this meeting, i.e. they don't know what team they are on. This is due to a problem with the database. It will be cleared up shortly.

### **DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC RELATIONS**

We have enough sponsors (about 70 of them) for all teams.

### **DIRECTOR OF FUND RAISING**

Raffle tickets are ready. Water and Gatorade will be placed in the trailer when the uniforms are distributed on Sep 6th.

### **OLD BUSINESS**

Charlestown Park and Rec – Jay Primiano investing making a barrier around track of bushes.

### **NEW BUSINESS**

Rain Out - Phone tree volunteers assigned

Insurance for Indoor and Property – Delayed until next meeting. Mark Reynolds has the information

Field Building - Jeff St.Onge has looked at shed options and has concluded that we should use our own design and have it built. It must be approved by Charlestown (Jay). Can start with plans that Norm had done long ago. Need to find out the requirements first.

**PUBLIC FORUM ADJOUNED 8:39 PM. Next meeting will be Oct 6<sup>th</sup>, 2011, First Baptist Church, Hope Valley.**