

**MINNESOTA YOUTH SOCCER ASSOCIATION
Competitive Committee (CC) Meeting Minutes
Saturday, May 8, 2010**

The meeting was called to order by MYSA Competitive Director Roberta Kruse at 9:05 a.m.

Present: Mark Mahowald, Ira Gurewitz, Berry Arrowsmith, Lynn Forder, Mark DeFor, Rollin Timm and Roberta Kruse

Absent: Steve May, Don Cox and Marty McDermott

Guests: Ranae Orr, MYSA Director of League Operations and Gary Flandrick, Champlin-Dayton Rebels

Agenda

Kruse presented the agenda

Approval of Minutes

Kruse moved, DeFor seconded, to approve the April CC Meeting Minutes as submitted. The motion passed.

Presentations

Flandrick discussed and presented a rule proposal authored by the Champlin-Dayton Rebels Soccer Club regarding the transfer deadline.

Unfinished Business None.

New Business

Discuss Positives/Negatives of Mandatory Meeting/Scheduling – Overall went well with good attendance. East wants to switch and have older age groups first next year. South shared some concerns expressed by one of their clubs. More discussion will take place as the group plans for the 2010-2011 Soccer Year.

Review Regional/State Format Sheets – The group talked about some minor changes to the seeding process. *Arrowsmith moved, DeFor seconded, to change the format for the leagues where there are six statewide leagues to eliminate regional games, all teams play in playoffs with the league winner going straight to the championship game at playoffs. This would send six league playoff winners to state. The motion passed.* Favor: Arrowsmith, DeFor, Timm, Forder and Gurewitz. Oppose: Mahowald.

North Boys Vacant.

North Girls

Arrowsmith inquired about an email blast query for the Competitive Reps to use.

South Boys

Forder noted that she could not find games online since the U9 and U10's don't keep standings.

South Girls Absent.

East Boys Absent.

East Girls Nothing to report.

West Boys Vacant.

West Girls

Gurewitz asked the staff to email the Competitive Rep. job description to the committee members.

Northwest Boys Absent.

Northwest Girls Vacant.

Southwest Boys Nothing to report.

Southwest Girls Nothing to report.

“For the Good of Soccer”

Arrowsmith asked for clarification on whom to send reimbursement reports for referee clinics. Orr stated they should go to Candace Daley, MYSA Executive Director.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:10 a.m.

Submitted by
Ranae Orr, MYSA Director of League Operations