

WYSA Board Meeting

4/8/09

Present: Chris McPherson, Matt Martin, Jon Shoulta, Chuck Calkins, Terri Dufour, Kevin Concaugh, Heather Carey, Scott Jones, Michelle George, Dan Carey and visitor: Gavin Ducker.

Joint Spring Club: Gavin Ducker presented and led a discussion about the future of youth soccer in our communities. See attached presentation information. We reviewed the pros and cons of having a joint club. Gavin invited WYSA/NOVAS to send at least two representatives to an upcoming soccer summit that will be held with all of the local soccer groups attending. Chuck and Chris volunteered to attend.

Travel: We will be having a coaches meeting next Wed night. We have 12 teams comprised of 160 players at this time. We are still working on field availability with the town. A discussion was held about uniforms: some are interested in purchasing their own so that they can have their own number. Chuck will follow up with Marnie about this.

Revolution Academy: Michelle George has again arranged for the New England Revolution team to come up and do a clinic and then a camp for our players. The Clinic will be held on 4/18 at 9:30 and at 11:00 at the Colby Football Field. The Camp will be held from 6/20-6/23 afternoon sessions will be for older kids and the evening sessions will be for the younger kids.

Rec: We are short approximately 12 coaches. There will be a meeting for coaches during the week of April vacation. If the coaches attend Mark Serdjenian's clinic, they will receive 1 player free for the season as long as they show proof of attending and follow through with coaching for us for the season.

Fields: The town will do the lining of the fields, but we must bill them monthly.

Refs: We are ok with the number of refs we have for the season.