

**Longview Soccer Club Meeting  
February 7, 2022**

**In attendance**

James McGregor	Jill Burr	Jak Massey
Justin Fugleberg	Lori Hauswald	
Katie Rupley	Jenn Jolly	

**Meeting called to order at 6:08 pm**

**Approval of January's minutes**

Mac motioned to approve January's minutes; Lori seconded. All in favor, no opposed, motion passed.

**Pictures update**

Mac spoke to Melissa today and we're signed up for April 23<sup>rd</sup> for spring photos. Jenn said she can help with this. September 10<sup>th</sup> is set for our picture day in the fall. Melissa offers free 8x10 sponsor plaques to sponsors!

**Treasurer's report and updates**

Our checking account at the end of January had \$22,318.11. Savings hasn't changed and is \$1,319.90. We took in \$8,463 for spring registrations. We paid \$2,200 for insurance but we should be getting a refund from the water cannon. We've just had the usual phone, utilities, internet, etc. expenses. We'll work on revamping our budget next year. Mac motioned to accept January's treasurer's report, Justin seconded. All in favor, no opposed, motion passed.

Jak said if Jill and Lori use any of the designated \$800 for a child to play/scholarship to let her know. Jak said we're not doing \$20 scholarships and instead we're doing full scholarships for kids who absolutely need it. Jill said our \$20 scholarship criteria weren't very effective so people who didn't actually need it were getting it. So instead, we're going to see whether or not they sign up anyway—we'll help the kids who never sign up and pay for them from the \$800 fund. Jill is doing a great job tracking the kids who really wouldn't get to play. We all agreed this is a much better way to award scholarships than the old way. Mac motioned to accept this new method, Justin seconded. All in favor, no opposed, motion passed.

**Sponsor levels/price proposal: U6-U8 \$200, U9-U12 \$275, U13+ \$375**

Jenn did some math and came up with the above numbers that cover dry-fit uniforms. These prices make it so that we don't pay anything at all for jerseys, and shirts include the sponsor's name. ~~Jak~~ Jenn will email everyone the numbers and we'll vote on it in March.

### **CYSA operations update**

Lori and Jill said a few by-laws were clarified at the CYSA meeting. Also, refs were discussed, and perhaps every team needs to provide their own certified referee. Some referees aren't comfortable in all positions; we don't have a lot of people with experience.

### **Spring season/registration/sign-up status**

Registration closes on February 15<sup>th</sup> at midnight. We currently have 219 registered and we have two more walk-in registrations so the numbers will rise. We're short on coaches (contending with COVID and baseball). Jill said we need to contact Trieste about the website for coach clearance. We need Jackie to be available to clear coaches and stay in touch with them, but no one has heard from her and she wasn't at the last meeting. Mac said he'll find someone to help if no one hears from her. The coaches meeting(s) needs to be the week of March 21<sup>st</sup>. Jak said we need an agenda for the meeting; she suggested we use an old one as a guide but no one can find it. We're going to work on putting together an agenda. Maybe Jeff or Gary would have a copy of an old one? Wednesday March 23<sup>rd</sup> works for most people, and we'll have back to back meetings at 5:30 and 6:30 pm. Jenn needs a complete list of coaches information; Jill will get it to her as soon as it's available. We NEED more coaches, and also we don't know whether it will be co-ed or not—it depends on how many more people register.

Jill said we could use someone with a computer to help with registrations on Saturday. Jak might be able to help with numbers **receipts or as a greeter**—thank you to everyone who does our registrations!!

### **Facility and field conditions/porta potties/bathroom maintenance/women's league pricing discussion**

Field conditions are the same.

We're going to ask for a new set of goals for the grant we've been working on—it's due this Friday, February 11<sup>th</sup>. Mac and Jak will Zoom at 7:15 tomorrow, February 8<sup>th</sup> and Mac will get ahold of Jeff with any questions.

### **Concessions logistics/prep for spring**

Mac said we need to get the refrigerator and freezer to fit. Justin said he'd be happy to help. Jenn reached out to Eileen, who said they're not going to be able to do concessions for us. Eileen also said there were some things she needs to pick up from our concessions. Jenn put a bug in her ear about naming it after Marv. We all like the idea of having Marv's Snack Shack or Marv's Munchies.

### **Incidents and complaints**

Mac said that Sunday there was a referee not calling severe fouls for either side. He was concerned for the safety of the players. He let the center referee know who he was

and that he was concerned. He stayed very calm and thanked him for his work. Calls improved for the next game.

### **Marketing and promotions**

Jak did a great radio interview for us—thank you! She didn't have a chance to say that we need more members and volunteers, but she did get in some important thank-you's. We still have a free commercial available. We all thought we should save it for summer to promote fall season and the color fun run. She also found someone to be Dribble in the photo.

### **Uniforms and equipment**

Jenn said she needs ice packs; she will talk to DeaDea about it.

### **Old items/summer high school season?**

Jak is sending Jeff's blanket off next week.

### **New items/fundraisers**

Mac said we all need to think of some fundraisers. He'd like extra funds before summer so we can take care of our mowers and field maintenance.

Mac brought up putting our funds into a money market. Jak will reach out to Fiber Federal and see if we can or should start using it.

**Meeting adjourned at 7:12 pm**