AYSO: REGION 23 BOARD MEETING

MEETING: September 8, 2019

Meeting Start time: 6:44

Members Present: Mario Rivera Jeremy Davis Jamal Chavez **Monique Davis Heather Murphy** Vanessa Camacho **Brian Francis** Stephanie Miller Martha Francis **Ray Napoles** Vicky Law Manuel Julian Carlo Marquez Lynn Julian Marc Melnik **Yvette Salas Susan Torres**

Janae Rivera David Perez-new member

Notes approval @6:44

OLD NEWS

- Coach Courses

Went well. 8u and 10u had a good turnout. In each division we only have 2-3 coaches without a certification (6u-12u). Coordinators may remind their coaches that if they are not certified, they cannot go to Area Playoffs.

- Referee Course

Around 20 were certified.

- National Anthem

More positive feedback than expected. It's been a great experience for the region. Suggestion: Region flag, California flag to be held weekly by different kids. We will look into girl scouts possibly adding a flag pole as a project.

NEW NEWS

- Picture Day Recap

Very well overall. Everything stayed on time for the most part. Parents seemed happy. Suggestions: In the package this year, there is no coach plaque. We are ordering a team picture for each team to have for ratings. Makeup day pictures, at Newton, 9/28.

Idea: Possibly have Picture Day at Newton on the weekend of the Moon Festival and have an event that day.

- Fundraiser information

Approx numbers will be in this week. Parents can turn in their fundraisers in a box at the ref table.

- Coach/Referee mid-season meetings (Thursday, 9-19-19)

Coach at 6:15, Referee at 7:00, fields will be closed

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints on Colima.

We want to review how to complete a game card. Pizza will be ordered.

Make sure to mention the move of practices to Newton.

- Referee Course (9-21-19) @ 8:30

Need two teams to play a scrimmage

@ Newton. The course will be about an hour, and the game will start at 9:30.

Jeremy has sent an email out to the region. After this day, at least 1 of the ref's sent need to be certified.

- Snack Bar Update

Has been doing well. We've been making between 800-900. Yesterday was about 1700. The money is going into the general fund to help keep registration down.

Board members can now get 50% off at the snack bar.

FYI-- There is a snack bar schedule. The teams that were assigned help out 1 hour per season. Sending 2 people=10 points.

General Funds- \$86,700

- Lights for Newton and moving to Newton (October)

Beginning October 1 through November 8, practices will be moved to Newton with the same company as last year. We will open Newton at 5:30.

Jeremy will speak to Schabarum to see how late we can practice there to alleviate the crowd at Newton. Regardless, the SW corner of Newton will be designated for the lower divisions.

- Galaxy Game Sunday 9/28

Josh and Jeremy will go early to tailgate with region canopies. Everyone bring their own food and drinks. We'd like to go in at least 30 minutes before the game to get enough seats to sit together as a region. Tickets are \$22, get them now and purchase your parking pass ahead of time.

- Region Movie Night (October 5?)

November 9.... Kicking and Screaming. Ray will take care of Tech.

FUTURE NEWS

- Volunteer Appreciation Day

November 2 @ Schabarum

Ratings will be at 9:30-11:00, and Volunteer Day at 11:30. Food served at noon. Volunteer game 1:30 Irene will send out more information and we will discuss further at next month's meeting.

Possible EXPO: March 20-22, in Anaheim.

Reminder: No pets.

End time: 8:10

NEXT MEETING IS SUNDAY, OCTOBER 13, 2019 (6:30PM)

"No act of kindness, no matter how small, is ever wasted!!

- Aesop