

## CMO35 Pre-Fall Board of Directors Meeting

July 29, 2018 Coffee Mug Auburn, Ma.

Meeting Opened: 9:45 am

Roll Call: Peter, Roland, Fred, Jack & Anthony.

Meeting minutes: Spring 2018 not read.

Presidents opening statement: Peter thanked everyone for attending. He noted that the League needs to consider a replacement because due to his new address he will be leaving our League for one closer to his home. He will remain as President through the Fall season. Peter also suggested two items for future discussion; the use of team or league sponsors and how that would be implemented and second, the possibility of a 'Field Trip Field'. This would be turf fields that the League would 'rent' for early Spring games for teams whose field is not playable due to the weather.

Old Business: There were many discussions on possible improvements to the league. The dissent issue was discussed in length. The yellow card dissent rule wasn't implemented strongly enough during the Spring season. Two teams had three or more dissent cards issued. The penalty for dissent and all other cards was decided to follow the following rule:

### Team cards;

1. Three dissent cards in a season will require a warning sent to the team.
2. The fourth dissent card in a season the team will lose one point in the standings.
3. The fifth dissent card and any additional dissent cards in a season the team will lose two points in the standings.
4. Five cards of any kind in a single game the team will forfeit the game, the score reported as a 3 v 0 loss to the forfeiting team and a \$25 fine imposed. [If losing lose 3 points, if winning lose 0 points]

### Player cards;

1. Three dissent cards in a season will result in a two-game suspension and \$25 fine.
2. Four or more dissent cards in a season will result in a five-game suspension and \$50 fine.
3. The existing three yellow cards of any kind in a season will remain at a one game suspension. Only three or more dissent cards will differ.

New Business: Captain arm bands will be distributed to all teams. Bylaw 2.6 will be enforced. Only the team 'Captains' may address the referee.

Meeting Closed: 11:30 am