

CMO35 2016 SPRING MEETING

Meeting opened: 12:20 pm

Roll Call: All teams present except – Nashoba

Old Business:

Minutes read and accepted. One Item added – Vote to approve player ban passed (Italia player). A new team was accepted – Uxbridge, Al Pimental manager. Problem with the state roster system was corrected. The roster freeze date was discussed and left unchanged. Players left on roster that are no longer playing was discussed, no changes made. The Spring schedule was discussed and game dates and byes explained. The option of Division C playing their July 10th game on April 2nd was left to the team managers to reschedule or leave as is. Grafton field changed to Riverview field, Brimfield & Chicopee changed to Flint St. field, Sturbridge changed to the HS Cage field. The new team Uxbridge will play at Sutton St. field.

Officers Reports:

President – Craig is standing down at the conclusion of the Spring season. VP Peter Silverman will act as President for the Fall season. Craig asked for a volunteer to fill the VP position. Everyone was reminded that passcards were not required on game day however you must have a roster. No roster no game. Players are required to show a picture ID when asked by the referee.

Vice President – Not available.

Secretary – Roster system is working well, still working on adding players after the roster freeze. The three division schedule has been set and no changes can be made, any conflicts will have to be rescheduled. All bylaw fines and cards have been updated on the web-site.

Referee Assignor – Dale has recruited 2 or 3 new referees and has asked for feedback on their performance. Still having difficulty getting enough referees, the problem is state wide. Dale asked that team managers bring color copies of the roster whenever possible because the black & white pictures are not always recognizable.

Competition Committee - Jay explained how extra games are added or reduced from the standard two game suspension.

New Business:

It was decided to implement a trail bylaw for the 2016 Spring and Fall seasons. At the end of each season a \$200 check will be sent, in the name of the first place team in each of the three divisions, to the youth soccer league of their choice. The Youth League must be a public, non-profit league. This trial bylaw is to be revisited at the 2016 AGM.

Meeting Closed: 1:25 pm