

TYSA - Meeting Minutes

Start time 7:35PM

Attending: Rob Strong, Dave Seltz, Rich Defronzo, Cheryl McCarthy, Jim Waterman, Peter Desjardins, Jay McGaffigan, Derek Gregoire, Ettore DeMari, Adam Boisvert, Tom Bellen, Stephane Lessard

1. Reviewed minutes from October meeting - voted and APPROVED
2. Rob - reviewed handout outlining TYSA 2015
3. Rich - update on registration for both Fall and Spring. Numbers down - may be due to baseball, lacrosse, club teams
4. Stephane - gave treasurer report
5. Discussion about TYSA merchandise to help boost revenue - order online using TYSA website link
6. Tom Bellen - just had a Futsal clinic. May have 2 more. Would like to focus on coach development along with player development. Recommends focusing on soccer community - having kids attend HS game as ball girls/boys
7. Soccer rule changes - switching to calendar year instead of school year - this will change some of the kids/teams starting Fall 2016 - U11/U12 9v9; U8/U10 7v7; U13 and younger no heading allowed in practices
8. Main challenges over last year was the evaluations.
9. The soccer clinics under the lights was a big hit; we had our first summer soccer clinic; contact from UMass Lowell Women's Soccer and a professional soccer team from Lowell.
10. New members voted in:
 - Greg Kosiorek - Treasurer
 - Jeromie LaVoie - U8 Coordinator
 - John O'Brien - Field/Grounds Manager
 - Ettore DeMari - Equipment Coordinator

Meeting adjourned 8:10PM