

MINTUES OF HUNTER SOCCER MEETING  
HELD MAY 6, 2010

**CALLED TO ORDER:** Meeting called to order at 8:10 PM at the Hunter Soccer Clubhouse, 220 Houston Ave., Penbryn Park, PA 19038

**ATTENDANCE:** Bob Woodard, Sandy Caiazzo, Thad Macnamara, Ed Clark, Moses Javan, Jim Gorman, Frank Duddy, Andy Zucker, Dave DelBeccaro, Alex Rae, Randy Klees, Mike Nelson, Tim Boles, Joe Brown, Art Gordon, Mike Brown, Robert Daniele, Grant Schwoebel, Rich Sands, Bert Graul, John Steinberg, Terri Dunn, Ralph Bocchino

**MINUTES:** The minutes of April 1, 2010 **MINUTES:** Minutes moved, seconded, voted and approved.

**COMMUNICATIONS AND CORRESPONDENCE:** No Report.

**PRESIDENT'S REPORT:** The insurance for the club is ready to go. Nominations for Officers will be held at the meeting.(See New Business). Bert Graul will be retiring as Treasurer but will still run the Tournament. Sandy Caiazzo has volunteered to step in as the Club's Treasurer.

**VICE PRESIDENT'S REPORT:** Thad reported that registration and camp announcements for Comcast Community Channels are going out to the appropriate people at the local township offices.

**TREASURER:** Bert reported that our financial crisis appears to have passed with funds coming in from registrations we must remain frugal in our spending in light of several large expenditures coming up within the next 60 to 90 days. The Operating Account has \$32,966.92 and the Capital Account \$6,925.19. All members are asked to obtain approval from the committee head or board member before making a purchase or reimbursement cannot be guaranteed. An Executive Committee Meeting will be planned for later in the month to address the budgeting for upcoming expenses including: Scholarships, Bricks, Uniforms, Audit Fees and EPYSA/ICSL fees.

**SECRETARY – No Report**

**REGISTRATION:** Bob Woodard reported that a high volume of registrations are still coming in and to date, there is a total of 427 players registered (230 Travel and 197 IM). The Online registration collected \$640.00 in donations. Over 8000 flyers have been distributed at the public and private schools in the area (7 in all). The cost of the Flyers was \$1,000.00. It was agreed that the Club will purchase additional signs (for approximately a cost of \$500.00) to be placed in high profile areas, especially near baseball fields if possible.

**SOCCER CAMP:** Ed reported he is having problems getting the field space: Cheltenham Township: Renninger Field and in Abington Township – two fields (#6 & #7) are not available; Cooper Beech will not permit us to use the field. Chuck Dougherty was able to make a call to GYAC during the meeting and they will give up their use of Renninger so that Hunter can use the field for the two weeks of team camps in July.

FIELDS – Randy and Alma Klees are working with Ed to obtain field space but the process has been very frustrating. Ralph will see if he can make some calls to help out with the problem. John Steinberg will handle all field practice assignments for the Fall.

RULES: No Report

COACH AND PLAYER DEVELOPMENT: No Report

EQUIPMENT: No Report.

STRATEGIC PLANNING: Tim Boles has been in contact with Doug Wendel and requested that Hunter be kept involved in the Penbryn Master Plan. Tim has obtained some mapping information for Montgomery County and is in the process of determining if the mapping can be used to develop more detailed design drawings for field modification.

COMMUNITY LIASON: No Report

SCHOLARSHIP – Norm was not present at the meeting but advised Ralph that 6 scholarship applications each are pending.

SOCIAL – No report

FUNDRAISING – Sandy reported that the Team Weeks at Modell's Sporting Goods will run from June 15<sup>th</sup> to July 13<sup>th</sup> so that it will coincide with Camp weeks and then again the end of August through September. Anyone presenting the Modell's coupon (for Hunter Soccer) at any Modell's store will receive 15% discount on non sale/clearance items and if after 28 days more than \$500.00 was purchased with the Hunter Soccer coupons, Modell's will write a check to the club for 5% of the total sales. The coupons will be available on our website or can be picked up at the Willow Grove store. Sandy is also working on registering Hunter for the Genuardi's script program. A final offer letter will be sent out for the sale of the bricks. All agreed that it is time to order the bricks and that the Grand Opening for the Clubhouse will take place on Saturday, September 11, 2010. Michael Dunn will compose a letter to all those who purchased the bricks announcing the Grand Opening and the details of the day's events.

COORDINATORS:

TRAVEL: Chris was not able to attending this meeting but provided a report. Special thanks Dave DelBeccaro for attending the ICSL meeting in Chris' place. Tryouts are in full swing and teams practicing should give way to the field needs of tryout teams. Steve Schott has tentatively accepted the coaching of U9 girls and his resume will be submitted for Board review.

INTRAMURAL: Bob Danielle reported that he is still looking for trainers.

ICSL: Dave provided a synopsis from the ICSL Meeting:  
Refs will be enforcing Dissent this year and players will be getting yellow cards and coaches will be ejected more than in the past. Jr. Girls will have Fall season and a Winter Season; Jr. Boys' Winter season will move up a week and start Oct. 31<sup>st</sup>. Team - ICSL will be having a number of 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary celebrations.

TOURNAMENT- Bert reported that he is awaiting approval from GotSoccer to have our tournament obtain some ranking level. Cheltenham Soccer will permit the use of Wall Park once again and AC United has not advised us yet regarding the use of Roslyn Park. Field space should not be a problem since we did not use Renninger or Roychester last year. We will offer 8v8 and 11v11 for U11 and below.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS: No Report

NEW BUSINESS: Nominations for next year's officers were held:  
President: Ralph Bocchino, Vice President: Thad Macnamara; Secretary: Regina Bocchino and (Assistant) Terri Dunn; Treasurer Sandy Caiazzo. All Nominees were approved.

MISCELLANEOUS: Thad will order more white paint to line the fields. Bob will compare registrations with tryouts to make sure no one was overlooked. Moses has tryout evaluations for U9/U10 & U11 and he will distribute them. Special thanks to Len's wife who cleaned and mopped the floors and bathrooms of the clubhouse. Bob Danielle suggested having the travel teams volunteer to clean the outside and inside of the clubhouse. Bob will build cages in the garage to store and safeguard equipment.

GOOD AND WELFARE: Happy Birthday to Ralph – Sandy brought a Big Cookie to wish Ralph best wishes for a Happy Birthday.

ADJOURNED: Meeting adjourned at 9:15 PM, next meeting will be Thursday June 3, 2010 at the Hunter Soccer Clubhouse at 8PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Terri Dunn  
Assistant Secretary Hunter Soccer