

**Blue Ridge Classic League**  
**August 30, 2005**  
**(Unapproved)**

**Attendees:**

**Board Members:** Paul Radike (President), Bill Carstensen (VP Administration), Joel Coman (VP Operations), Linda Kemppainen (Registrar), David James (Administrator), Joan Schumann (Treasurer), Lee Boehling, (Chair Conduct & Sportsmanship, Peggy Boehling, (Secretary)

**Club Reps:** Lisa Walker, Steve Gordon, Dugan Maddux, Jay Johnson, Debbie Smith, Todd Murrill, Pat Reilly, Billy Newcomb, Phillip Raintree, Darryl Gillespie, Sandy Patterson, Pat McHugh, Chris Pile

**Guests and Alternate Directors:** Rick Woerner (Amherst), Lorna Poole (Asst. League Registrar), Allen Cooper (Valley AFC)

**Call to Order: 6:50pm**

**Officer and Committee Reports:**

Vice President - Administration / Bill Carstensen

- Home team official is to get the orange card
- Referees, team, coach, and parents will be scored on a scale of 1 to 4 and will be posted on the website under Sportsmanship heading
- These cards are meant for constructive criticism so that a proactive approach can be taken if there are any problems
- Problems, concerns, and results will be emailed to league members
- Irresponsible behavior is based on Referee's judgment
- Home team is to give the card to the referee

Vice President - Operations / Joel Coman

- Attended a July 23<sup>rd</sup> meeting where resolutions to a few issues are being resolved. He will forward an email with possible options to these issues.

Treasurer - Joan Shumann

- Operating Account ending balance = 30,780.78
- Registrar's Fund ending balance = 1,054.00
- Ending balance as of 8/30/05 = 31,834.78

Registrar - Linda Kemppainen

- Teams must list a coach by the first game or declare the team manager as the coach
- Teams can only have 18 players dress for game day (17/18 year olds)

- Teams must have a game day roster for the referee for each game day, no one else should be on the technical side

Linda K (continued)

- The stamped roster must stay in plastic and each team must keep up with the player cards
- Please read registrar manual
- Jersey #s must be on roster by the first game, teams should update this with the registrar
- If playing with an inaccurate roster, it will result in a forfeiture
- A solution is being worked on for the problem of changing jersey #s on the website
- There will be late fees for rosters

Secretary - Peggy

- Will submit minutes for review

Administrator - David James

- Schedules are out
- Please reference the memo regarding Demosphere and tie patterns

Director of Sportsmanship - TBD

- Good season, very proactive

Chair of Conduct Committee - Lee Boehling

- The committee members include: Harry Lance, Sandy Paterson, Linda Wright, Bobby Turk, Sami Cilek
- Section 13.1 - 13.1.9 reviews what can be charged for, signature required as acknowledgement
- Penalties and fees are exorbitant for rule infractions - do not find out the hard way!

President - Paul Radike

- USYSA minimum coaching requirements might filter down to us
- We are small sided play
- Payment options
- Found Referee liaison and would like to get club reps involved (Gary Grant from Monticello)
- Recruiting - Clubs need to be professional, do not put down other clubs but state the benefits of your club

**Other Items of Business**

- Special thanks to Linda and David for all of their hard work!!

**Unfinished Business**

- Proposals for change of bylaws, rules, and procedures