



PACIFIC COAST FIELD LACROSSE LEAGUE

October 7th 2013 Minutes - Youth

Attendees: Beth McLucas (Chair and U14 Commissioner), Chris Comeault (1st Vice-chair), Trish Keizer (Secretary), Tracy Dolbec (Treasurer and Head Commissioner), Karen Peterson (Registrar), Jody Weatherby – (RIC), Leah MacKenzie (U8 Commissioner), Nadia Olheiser (U10 Commissioner), Jodi Johnson (U12 Commissioner), Tricia Rachfall (U16 Commissioner), Mary Clare (U19 Commissioner), Adanacs – Randy Radonich, Burnaby – Trevor Webber, Langley – Jason Kump, Mission – Harpreet Grewal, New West – Sherie Isbister, Poco – Derek Milani and Roger Terhune, Richmond - Ceayon Johnston, Ridge Meadows – Ron Williams, Surrey – Cal Davies, Valley – David Goulet, and Vancouver – Mike O’Connor

Absent: Brad Hara (2nd Vice-chair and Girls Commissioner), Delta, and North Shore,

Call to Order: 7:01 p.m.

Review and acceptance of the September 9th minutes:

- Motion: Trevor Webber
- Seconded by: Harpreet Grewal
- Carried

Reports

Chair:

- Pinnies
 - numbers have to be big enough to be seen
 - 8” in front and 10” in back
- Field Directorate meeting
 - re: Lewis Ratcliffe suspension
 - if any association, coach and or player participating in any of his activities, they will be suspended
 - this includes soccer, hockey, etc...
 - NCCP suspension
- U8 and U10 Jamborees
 - U8 in Langley on Sunday, December 15
 - U10s may be good to have at one of the Provincials

1st Vice – Chair: Nothing to report

2nd Vice – Chair: Absent

Treasurer:

- North Shore has an outstanding fine

Registrar:

- most clubs came to the registrars’ orientation
- more kids quitting during tryouts
- registrations due on October 15th and complete
- Team BC players pay \$44.00
 - have to be registered

Secretary: Nothing to report

Head Referee:

- all clinics done
- sent an email re: ref fees and game duration
- ref allocation
 - very tight
- U8 rules need to be 'tweaked'
 - will work with a committee

Commissioners' Reports

Head Commissioner: Nothing to report

U8:

- issue with teams knowing the rules
- communication needs to be improved upon
- regarding Ridge hosting training sessions for parents and coaches
 - did not hear anything negative

U10:

- trying to find out who the managers are
- a few outstanding game sheets

U12:

- stick length for U12 and under was an issue

U14: Nothing to report

U16:

- more issues at Tier 1 than Tier 2
- game sheets
 - get them in on time
- some discrepancies in scores

U19: Nothing to report

Club Reports

Adanacs:

- still trying to balance teams
 - e.g. goalie issues
- clinic with Beer Hunters
 - charge by donation
 - ~\$20.00 for four hours
- numbers down at U8
- contact at U10
 - there should be less contact
 - incidental contact only

- lost three players due to on-line registration
- if players quit do we take them off the database?
 - contact Karen
- question of why we can't register players throughout the season
 - answer: BCLA deadline

Burnaby:

- next summer start an early season program for U8s and U10s
 - looking for suggestions

Delta: Absent

Langley:

- dilemma with goalies that are both Tier 1 calibre, and one has to play Tier 2
 - dropped one done with benefits and incentives
 - extra practice time
 - opportunities to be called up to Tier 1 and a division higher
- Nationals this week-end
 - Alberta, Ontario, and two BC teams
 - looking for volunteers

Mission: Nothing to report

New West: Nothing to report

North Shore: Absent

Poco: Nothing to report

Richmond:

- 5th Richmond Roadrunner Romp
 - November 8 – 11
 - U12 – U16
 - teams from the Island, Interior, and US
 - room at U16
 - the schedule will be out at the end of October
 - the convener is Pam Mason

Ridge Meadows:

- Ron Williams is introduced as the new rep
- issue with fields

Surrey:

- re: scheduling Port Kells
 - can't use it
 - setting up for one game is a lot of work
 - e.g. lining field

Valley:

- U10 roster is looking better
 - thank you to Mission and Langley
- good start to the season

Vancouver:

- doing okay
- a couple of high schools are trying to get teams going

New Business

- No new business

Adjournment: @ 8:10 p.m.

- Motion: Trevor Webber
- Seconded by: Nadia Olheiser
- Carried

Next meeting scheduled for: Monday, November 4th 2013 @ 7:00 p.m.