

Misc.	61.19
Postage	1,000.00
Referee Certification	305.00
Registration	2,611.00
T-Shirts	4,218.60
Workshop Lodging	3,749.34
Workshop Registration	1,200.00
Total Expenses:	\$16,827.01
Overall Total:	-\$7,327.01

VYSA: The state has removed the requirement that leagues utilize the state cup roster as their internal league roster due to conflicts between state and league regulations. Individual leagues are still free to continue to use the state cup roster if so desired. VYSA is expected to abolish the position of State Registrar and to have the state office perform those functions.

Competition Chair: The Smithfield Heat U-13 team has disbanded for the spring.

Administrator: The award T-shirts from the fall season were available for club representatives to claim.

Unfinished Business: The final league fees for the spring were collected and this season's schedules were distributed.

New Business: President Halstead presented a point paper on the proposed merger of HRGSA, RMYSL, and SEVYSA to form a new league entity tentatively called the Virginia League. This new entity is being looked at for the fall 2005 season and is expected to offer economies of scale for all concerned such as having its own referee assignor. The new league is currently envisioned to have a premier division based around 6 to 8 large clubs with play scheduled by club as a whole. These clubs must have sufficient field capacity to support the expected number of matches at one site. The league would also have a girls and a boys classic division with play scheduled geographically by team. The premier division would be guided by a steering committee with a representative from each club. The classic divisions would likewise have a large board, which would meet less frequently. The league overall would have an executive committee with representatives from each division and a few at-large members. It is envisioned that premier division clubs would ask highly competitive teams from smaller clubs to play in selected premier division slots in lieu of their own club teams. The premier division steering committee is expected to oversee this process. Club representatives were asked to discuss this concept with their clubs and to bring questions and suggestions to the April meeting.

Announcements: The next league meeting will be held on Thursday, April 21, 2005 at 7:30 PM at Warwick High School.

Respectfully submitted,

Thomas Banford
Finance Chairman