

South Eastern Virginia Youth Soccer Association

Sign In Sheet
Meeting Date: 29 April 2003

Clubs/Members represented are as follows:

SEVYSA Sign-In Roster		
Club Names	Club Rep	Coach/Guest
Atlantic SC	Charles Silverman	
BayRivers United SC		
Baystars FC	Tom Halstead	
Beach FC	Dennis Blackmore	
Chesapeake Select SC	Tom Banford	
Colonial FC	Kyle Lessig	
Elizabeth River SC		
Lafayette SC	Robert Scotland	
Newport News United SC		
Norfolk FC	Jim Tomlinson	
Old Dominion SC	Mike Ullrich	
Virginia Beach SC		
VIP United	Linda Harrison	
Williamsburg SC	Chris Friant	
SEVYSA Officers		
President	Tom Halstead	
Vice President	Bob Roth	
Treasurer	Linda Harrison	
Secretary	Jolene Banford	
Administrator	Denise Edwards	
Competition Chairman	Charles Silverman	
Finance Chairman		
League Registrar		
Rules & Discipline Chairman	Bob Roth	
VYSA Rep	Tom Halstead	

President Tom Halstead called the April SEVYSA meeting to order at 7:30PM. The minutes from the 25 March 2003 meeting were read and approved.

Treasurer's Report: Linda Harrison provided written treasurer reports for all the club representatives. The reports include the time frame from January 2003 through 29 April 2003.

Income:

Spring Registration fees \$36,705.00

Expenses:

Administrative expenses 888.58
 Administrative salary 3,150.00
 Postage 925.00
 Referee Fees 6,790.40
 Refund Fall 2002 404.50
 Rules & Discipline Comm. 26.52
 VYSA Workshop 488.38

Total Expenses \$12,673.38

Balance on hand as of 29 April 2003 \$24,031.82

VYSA Report: Tom Halstead (did not attend the meeting due to travel constraints surrounding his return from the Girls ODP trip to France.) Denise Edwards reported that the tournament fee paid to VYSA would remain \$10 per team as before.

Competition Committee: No report.

Rules & Discipline Committee: No report.

Registrar: Katie Gunderson was not present at this meeting. Denise Edwards reminded all the club representatives that a complete count of every player who has been registered for the 2002-2003 playing year is required to be turned in. The exact count is needed for insurance purposes with the state. This includes all released players and any new players to any of the team rosters. It does not include players who are considered transfer players. They would only be counted once on the original roster they signed up with in the fall.

Administrator News: Denise Edwards reported that she is working diligently on all the game reschedules for the spring season. She stated that there is a possibility of Saturday games, and more double headers. Jim Tomlinson, the Norfolk rep. requested that if teams are playing double headers that both teams have double headers the same day. Denise explained that at times that is not possible due to the lack of field space. The revised SEVYSA schedule for the spring season will be on the SEVYSA website by Friday, 2 May 2003.

Old Business:

Bob Roth is looking at aligning the SEVYSA rules along with other soccer leagues in the area.

New Business:

Tom Halstead stated that it was time for SEVYSA to renew with the referees association for the upcoming year. The new President of the Tidewater Referee Soccer Association is Sam Foster.

Charles Silverman, the Competition chairman made a motion to reduce the Spring season to (8) eight games versus the regular (10) game season. The advantage of a shorter season would allow teams to play in more spring tournaments, and allow for more potential dates to reschedule rainouts. The motion was seconded and the results of the voting were Yes (7) and No (3). The motion carried.

All team representatives were reminded to tell their managers that it is their (each managers') responsibility to confirm with opposing teams their game dates and times prior to each match. It was also stated that it is the home team's responsibility to determine field conditions for cancellations of games, three hours before the first match start time. If a decision is not made by the club by the proscribed deadline then the matter is decided by the officiating referee before or during the scheduled match.

It is also important to contact Denise Edwards with weather related or other cancellations as soon as possible after the decision is made. This allows Denise the time to put the information on the SEVYSA hotline. The hotline telephone number is 757-588-2468.

Tom Halstead announced that Emily Mills was retiring as a registrar for the clubs she has served for the past two years. The new registrar that will take her place is Mary Jo Reed. There was a request to add additional new registrars. Raelynn Berry was selected as the new registrar for the Virginia Rush constituency. Teresa Lyon was selected as the new registrar for the Chesapeake constituency. At the 27 May 2003 meeting the registrars and what clubs they serve will be announced.

The Fall 2004 calendar will be announced at the next meeting.

Dates to Remember:

27 May 2003 SEVYSA Meeting 7:30PM at Riverside Regional Medical Center

President, Tom Halstead, adjourned the meeting at 8:10PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Jolene T. Banford
SEVYSA Secretary