



LDSC Board Meeting Minutes

Location: St. Mary's High School (Cafeteria) – 142 Laverack Ave. Lancaster NY, 14086
Date: September 12, 2023
Time: 7:30 PM – 9:30 PM

Board Member Attendance:

Board Member	Position	Sep-23
Chuck Marino	President	●
Kevin Wiese	Vice President	●
Patrick Uhteg Jr.	Treasurer	●
Brian Anderson	Secretary	●
Joe Cianciosa	General Board	●
Brian Cinelli	General Board	●
Mike Davis	General Board	●
Neil Gladstone	General Board	●
Tony Manetta	General Board	●
Beth Schilling	General Board	●
Jeff Loga	General Board	●

1) Call to order

- Secretary Brian Anderson called meeting to order
- No board meeting was held in August

2) Treasurer's Report

- Chuck provided overview in Pat's absence

3) Report of Committees

- House League:

- Discussion around bringing back house all-star game, with intention of starting in Spring 2024 to highlight players that could transition to travel. Current travel player that also plays house would not be eligible for the all-star game. LDSC may start with U7-U12 divisions to pilot.

- Travel Soccer:

- Tryouts concluded and communication to player families finalized.
- Smoother and quicker communication is needed for next year.
- Registration is migrating to GotSport

- Tournament Committee:

- Tournament referee cost may go out to bid
- Potential use of professional event parking company
- Next year's location (Lancaster or East Aurora)?

- Discussion around which weekend the tournament should be held on

4) Old Business

- Soccer Field Space: Westwood Park expansion is supposed to begin in October 2023, starting with the acreage currently owned by the Town of Lancaster. Town is looking into purchasing adjacent land from a private seller. Preliminary proposal from the architecture firm to maximize field space.
- Volunteer Requirements: Board agreement that volunteer requirements need to be finalized. \$50 up front per player family for up to 2 hours volunteer work throughout the season. Various options and methods under discussion.

5) New Business

- Board Elections in October:
 - Brian Cinelli – Intent to re-run (general board)
 - Mike Davis – Intent to re-run (general board)
 - Beth Schilling – Intent to re-run (general board)
 - Neil Gladstone – Intent to re-run (general board)
 - Kevin Wiese – Intent to re-run (Vice President)
 - Pat Uhteg – Will not re-run (Treasurer)
 - No other club members present at meeting to state their intent to run.
- Brian Cinelli made a motion to extend Tony Manetta's board position for an additional year given his role as Tournament Director and to ensure that board membership re-election is evenly distributed. The board agreed and unanimously voted yes.

6) Meeting Adjourned

- Brian Anderson called the meeting to a close, seconded by Brian Cinelli