



**Shakopee Soccer Association**  
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## **General Board Meeting Minutes November 21, 2006**

1. The general board meeting of the Shakopee Soccer Association was called to order at approximately 6:31 p.m. at Lion's Park Youth Building by Mark Teslow.

Present: Mark Teslow, Tom Bailey, Darla Teslow, Todd Feely, Michele Chase, Tim Root, Steve Curren, Dan Meehan, Tom Temple

Not Present: Peggy Dokka-Thorson and Mickey Willard

Guest: Dean Bohn

2. **Approval of agenda:**

Motion to approve the amended agenda by Tom T., second by Darla, motion passed.

- Remove No. 10 SSA Board Website

3. **Approval of minutes:**

Minutes from November 7, 2006 were reviewed, moved to accept minutes by Dan, second by Michele, motion passed.

4. **Director reports:**

**Treasurer:**

None

**Coaching Director:**

Todd presented proposed coaches for the 2007 season. He will need to contact a few coaches and confirm their availability. Suggestions were made for possible coaches for teams without a coach. Todd will contact the possible coaches. Coaches will not be paid this year. Any team may hire their own coach and be responsible for paying that coach. All team parents must be aware and agree to this. Todd would like to talk to all hired coaches.

Proposed coaches:

U9 Boys – Red: Bobby VonKoenel	U9 Boys – Black: Paul Necklen
U9 Girls – Red: T.B.D.	U9 Girls – Black: T.B.D.
U10 Boys: Dan Meehan	
U10 Girls: Michele Monroe-Chase	
U11 Boys – Red: Tim Root	U11 Boys – Black: T.B.D.
U11 Girls: Tom Bailey	
U12 Boys – Red: Tom Temple	U12 Boys – Black: T.B.D.
U12 Girls: Doyal Voss	
U13 Girls: Mike Ceola	
U14 Boys – Red: Dan Kubitz	U14 Boys – Black: Phil Carlson
U14 Girls: T.J. Hendrikson	
U16 Boys: *Nick Broberg	
U17 Boys: Mark Teslow	U17 Girls: T.B.D.

\* paid coach by the team

**Boys Commissioner:**

None – Mark suggested Todd, Tim and Michele get together and discuss roles.



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**Girls Commissioner:**

None – Mark suggested Todd, Tim and Michele get together to discuss roles.

**Registrar:**

Tom T. reported we've had three – four new people interested in signing up. We had one person request a transfer.

**Referee Coordinator:**

Darla participated in the on-line training class for referee coordinators. MYSA will decide who will be hosting the referee recertification class. She submitted the following dates for the recertification class, February 3, 2007 and February 10, 2007. If SSA is not selected then we must find another location to attend. Mark would like all coaches to participate in this class. In the future we may want to consider not charging people for this class.

**Fundraising Director & Communication Director:**

Dan reported on a possible fundraising opportunity with MYSA and Schwan's. We are looking to have another fundraiser at Culver's in February and Applebee's in March or April.

Dan contacted a t-shirt vendor for our tournament. They are sending information on what they have to offer.

Dean Bohn said the Lion's Club or Rotary Club is willing to help out with the community clubs. We should contact them to see what they can do for us. Possible donations could include concession equipment for the building at the soccer complex and fencing along 17<sup>th</sup> Ave. for fields one (1) and two (2).

**Equipment Coordinator:**

Dan reported he received the storage and mail key from Chuck Rust. Dan will be doing equipment inventory shortly. Dan will be ordering the board members shirts soon. He will also be contacting local vendors for new uniforms this year.

**Field Coordinator:**

The soccer nets are still up. Tim will check with the city when they will be taking them down. Mark suggested we get an estimate on a 4'-0" high fence along 17<sup>th</sup> Ave. for fields one (1) and two (2).

**Volunteer Coordinator:**

None

**Rec Coordinator:**

None

5. **Old Business:**

- Winter training: Darla reported we are still waiting to hear from Prior Lake if they have any time available for us to purchase. Should know more information next week. Since it's really close to winter training Tom B. will check if there is any gym time available at the Community Center or schools. Dan will develop a flyer for school distribution and an article in the Shakopee paper under "Sports Briefs". Sign up will begin December 15, 2006.

6. **Review By-Laws:**

The by-laws were reviewed with no comments. Motion to approve the amended by-laws as discussed from last meeting by Dan, second by Tom B, motion passed.



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**7. Registration Information:**

Dan will develop a school flyer and an article for the Shakopee paper. It was suggested the article should go to the surrounding community papers (Savage, Prior Lake, Jordan, etc.). Dan will request this when calling in the ad.

**8. SSA Tournament:**

Tom T. reported the application and tournament rules are complete. One outstanding business is the post tournament reports from last year. It's unclear whether any reports were submitted to MYSA. Reports include the following: Tournament/Games Recap, Red Card Report, Yellow Card Report and Referee Assignor Report. Tom will follow up with MYSA on this issue. A tournament committee will be formed at a later date.

**9. Proposed coaching recommendations:**

See director reports.

**10. SSA Board Website:**

Tabled

**11. Volunteer opportunities:**

Tabled

**12. Calendar:**

Mark would like us to begin to work backwards and determine the dates and the steps that need to be taken in order to meet the event. We also need to generate a list of volunteers (quantity) and hours that are in your area. Forward your information to Mickey so she can begin a list and have it available at in-person registration.

**13. New club jerseys:**

Dan will begin searching for new club jerseys. We should get bids from local vendors, Valley Sports, Soccer USA, Soccer Express, etc., to see what they have to offer.

**14. Develop Fall Rec program:**

We need to start planning and developing the fall rec program. The fall rec program is available to 3<sup>rd</sup> thru 6<sup>th</sup> graders. Kevin Brown will be running the fall rec program again this year. This past year the trainers worked with the players on Tuesday's and on Thursday's they played small sided games with parents supervising. It was suggested for Steve to contact other clubs (Chan/Chaska, Minnetonka) to see what they do. Steve could also contact Kevin Brown and past participants in the program for input. Information is due the first week in March for the Park & Rec Booklet.

**15. SSA garage sale:**

It was suggested that we hold a SSA garage sale at registration. Since we are planning to replace most of our soccer balls this would be a good way to get rid of them. Mark suggested the money we make could go towards scholarships. Dan suggested we hold a membership garage sale in the spring/summer. This could be another great fundraising opportunity. Dan will organize this event.

**16. Adjourn meeting:**

Motion made by Tim, second by Dan to adjourn at 8:45p.m., motion passed.

Minutes submitted by:  
Tom Bailey  
Secretary