

AREA 1U
MINUTES FROM MEETING
Nov 24, 2008

Start 7:10
End 8:30

Attendance: Martine Martinez, David Skalsky, Steve Kennedy, Estela Gonzalez, Kathie Gonzalez, Harry Dalton, Dena Florez, Kevin Harshberger, Mohamed Gibani, Stephan Salyards

Welcome to the New Area 1U

Note that with all but Mohamed, Jimmie, Stephen Salyards and Harry in their positions for less than a year, we are a very new Area leadership.

RAP: Hand out copy of blank from 2007-2008 for RC's to fill out during the year. Mentioned that there might be a change in when the forms will be available and when they will be due

Budget – finances

Started discussion on Budget. Martine presented financials and what is expected for the remainder of this fiscal year, with the hopes of having a more accurate budget for the 2008-2009 year.

The following were unanimously approved by the Regional Commissioners

Playoffs \$50 per team for those participating in U10-U14 Area League and Area Allstar Playoffs

Operational \$0.50 per player based on eAYSO on 11/24/2008

Calendar: Working Calendar passed out and RC's encouraged to get dates of events as soon as possible.

New calendar Item. Intermediate & Advanced coaching clinic tentatively scheduled for Feb 21-22.

Upcoming tournaments

Area League 1/17-18 Rainout 1/24-25

The following venues will be used for the Area League tournament:

ROIS U14 boys and girls (3 fields) 7 games per field starting at 8 am last game to start at 3:30

U12 girls (2 fields) 4 games per field starting at 9 am last game to start at 12

Schabarum Park

U12 Boys (2 fields) 4 games per field starting at 9 am last game to start at 12

U10boys and girls (3 fields) 8 games per field starting at 8 am last game to start at 3pm

Pool Structure to be

Division	format	# Pool Games (Saturday)
BU14 – 12 (2WC)	4 pools of 3	12 25min halves (space 1:15)
GU14 – 9	3 pools of 3	9 25 min halves (space 1:15)
BU12 – 8	2 pools of 4	12 20min halves (space 1:00)
GU12 – 8	2 pools of 4	12 20 min halves (space 1:00)
BU10 – 12 (2 WC)	4 pools of 3	12 20 min halves (space 1:00)
GU10 – 12 (2 WC)	4pools of 3	12 20 min halves (space 1:00)

TOTALS: 61 TEAMS 69 games on Saturday

Sunday 12 Semifinals & 6 finals full length.

For all divisions each region will have minimum of 2 teams participating except:

GU14: 215 will have 1

U12: 112 not participating

Additionally, the wild cards are allocated as follows:

BU14: Regions 215 & 624

BU10: Regions 602 & 112

Gu10: Regions 23 & 602

Area Allstar 2/14-15

Size, format depends on how many from each region in each division. Most likely U12 & U14 will have 1 team per region, U10 Region 602 may have 2 teams. Hopefully will know by the end of December.

Martine is asking if anyone knows of anyone who can do the following since it is all of our area and I need your help finding at least:

Area Coach Administrator

Area Management Administrator

(the list is longer but I will start with those two)

The rest of the evening was spent sharing referee policies, recruiting and assigning issues.