OCSL Board Meeting Sept. 8, 2014

Present: Mike (VP), Bill (Rec Dept), Wendy (Uniform Coordinator), Keith

(Treasurer), Tim (Prez), Donna (Secretary)

Regrets: Barb (Registrar), Rob (Referee Coordinator)

Keith announced the team coaches for each league.

Keith announced that some late registrations had been received. Most had sent emails to Barb or himself and were expected. One has not yet paid. If payment is not received, player will not be able to play. However, everyone expects that parents will send soon.

Barb will get forms to Keith in the morning. Keith will scan in and send to Rec Dept.

Team size debate: 8 v8 or 9v9 for U12/U14. Some teams only have 11 players, not many subs, and then what if all players do not show up? Might be best to have smaller teams. Final answer: If at the beginning of the game, if both teams have a minimum of 11 players, then teams will play 9v9, else teams will play 8v8.

U19 team: 12 players named, it was noted that many players are younger and playing "up" from one to several years. Not all team member registrations have been received. Registrations and fees must be received by 5 pm Sept. 9 in order for team to play as scheduled on the coming weekend. (Schedule for team is here: (http://bit.ly/1ugFI4J

Due to Field 5 being needed for U12/U14 practices and games on Tuesday/Thursday evenings as well as Saturday mornings, the U19 team will need to practice on field 1 on Tuesdays and Thursdays, but may use Field 5 on Mondays and schedule games after 12 on Saturdays, as well as anytime on Sundays.

Team size/Field size discussion:

Field 2: U10 6v6 50x40 yards

Field 3: U8 4v4 Field 4: U6 3v3

Field 5: U12/U14 8v8 or 9v9 80x60 yards (U19 110x70 yards)

Field 1: 100x50 vards

Field 1: on Tuesday and Thursday from 6 to 8pm – reserved for soccer. (Red Dept Rep: Football will not be practicing at soccer complex this fall, but will be playing games there Saturday morning)

Keith will send out revised field layout tonight.

Same games cards will be used this season as last season.

7 teams will play in U6 on Thursdays and Saturdays 6 teams will play in U8 on Tuesdays and Saturdays 4 teams will play in U10 on Thursdays and Saturdays 4 teams will play in U12/U14 on Tuesdays and Saturdays Games start at 6:30 pm during the week Saturday morning games will be held at 9:15 am and 10:30 am U6 games will kick off at 9:30 am and 10:30 am

Banquet is scheduled for Nov. 8. Games can be held this morning as well. Keith suggested that first games should be pushed back a week to allow teams to practice. Also, so that uniforms will arrive before games start.

Date change for first games of fall season: Sept 27

Coaches have begun sending their blackout schedule to Keith. (Is this information that should be asked for on fb or email blast?)

No checks written since the last meeting. The check for spring registrations is still pending from Rec Dept.

Ball Discussion: do we need more?

Keith will be passing out teams tomorrow.

Wendy's job will begin soon. Keith or Barb will handle uniform order, and show Wendy how. Wendy will take over distribution to coaches/teams.