



Club Membership Meeting

Meeting Minutes

Methacton United Soccer Club Coaches Meeting

Date: 4-23-18

Time: 8:00 pm

Location: Worcester Community Hall

Executive Council in attendance: John Larcinese, President
 Cathy Alexander, Secretary
 Jeff Davis, VP Intramural Soccer
 Ralph Navarette, Treasurer

Minutes:

Try outs went extremely well. We had 51 more kids try out this year than last spring. We received glowing reviews from everyone who participated, even from those who did not accept spots but were just checking out our club. We have had a couple of teams fold.

April 30th – We would like all players to accept by this date and make their initial payment. This is not a hard deadline, just a recommended date that coaches can provide to their players.

Players are required to make an initial payment when they register for their team. The rest of the cost can be spread over 8 payments, with the last one due in December.

We have received samples of the new uniform. There are small changes from the current uniform. These are two-year kits. The cost is similar to what it has been in the past.

May 3rd – Our store opens. Encourage your players to put in their orders in early May. There is a 45-60 day turn around before we receive the uniforms.

May 10th, 5:30 pm – 8 pm: uniform fitting will take place at Heebner (in the pavilion or at the end of field/parking lot).

An email will be going out later this week about league play. Coaches are asked to provide a quick response about where they want to play. We are hoping to consolidate our teams across a few leagues, rather than be spread over six leagues.

May 14th(?) – We are trying to set up a concussion meeting with a concussion expert.

May 21st – The new coaches’ manual will be out at our May coaches meeting. We will be going through the entire manual at the meeting. We would like all coaches to be doing the same things and using the same approaches.

May 23rd – We will be giving out the Marc J. Small memorial scholarships at the Methacton High School awards presentation.

June 1st – We want all families to be in good standing by this date.

If you have any additional coaches or parent leaders for your team, they need to provide their clearances. Please email their names and email addresses to Cathy Alexander at secretary@methactonunited.org. Cathy will contact them about the procedure for obtaining and providing the proper clearances.

The summer and fall training calendar will be going out in the next month or so.

Do not count on players coming over from Jeffersonville. We have been in discussions with them since February and they are still unsure about what they want to do. They have four teams along with a few other players here and there. If they come over, they will close their club and use their funds to offset the cost of MUSC for their families for the first two years. We are pressing them to make a decision, but as of now, please run your age groups as if they do not exist.

From now on, all field questions should be directed to Phil Rush (phil.rush@methactonunited.org) and all scheduling questions to Sean Thomas (scheduling@methactonunited.org).

