

Minutes of the Management Meeting for The MGM Sports Stroud & District Youth Football League held on Tuesday 13th April 2010 at Oldends Pavilion

Chairman, Dave Hoskins, opened the meeting at 7.15.

Present

Dave Hoskins, Mike Cook, Gary Powell, Dave Lee, Trevor Ruthers, Dave Swaine, Nigel Sanders, Paula Hooper

Apologies

Dennis Hill, Wayne Millin, Adrian Wakefield

Minutes of meeting of Tuesday 2nd March 2010

After alteration of Page Paragraph 2 line 3 “Dave Wakefield” should have read “Dave Swaine” the minutes were signed as a true record by the Chairman.

Matters arising from minutes

The treasurer has sent out statements to clubs that include fines and charges up to the end of February.

Correspondence

Trevor informed the committee that he had been looking at registrations made by Frampton Blues U14s and finds that 2 players registered by this team after the Stroud & Swindon BS Cup quarter finals then played in this cup semi final in contravention of cup rule 8 page 22.

The committee discussed the incident and decided that Frampton Blues would be disqualified from this cup competition under Cup rule 8.

Secretary to contact Frampton urgently by phone to inform them of the decision as the Cup Final is on the 27th April. Secretary to confirm decision in writing to Frampton.

Letter from Nigel of Stonehouse requesting that teams might next season send in results sheets by email.

Matter discussed although Trevor is not prepared to receive emails. Proposed that perhaps someone else might receive this info and send it on to Trevor. Mike Cooke suggested that there may be an FA website or programme set up to receive this sort of info. Mike to talk to Adrian and find more info.

Request also from Nigel of Stonehouse suggesting 5 penalty shootouts for teams after matches next season. The committee were not against the idea but their comments included would referees be prepared to stay on especially if they have another later fixture. Who would keep results & compile league results? Would all clubs wish to participate?

It was suggested that one league run a trial next season. Nigel to organise?

Communication from Matthew Boucher introducing himself as the NEW Football Development Officer for GFA in place of Gary Probert.

Letter from Slimbridge proposing a change to rule 10F regarding teams who fail to inform opponents or League Officers that a match has been postponed.

This will be included in other proposed rule changes to be circulated by the secretary in a separate communication under rule 20.

Treasurer

The Treasurer reported that the League accounts were with the Auditors.

Registration secretary

The following results sheets were late and RECEIVED well after 4 days:-

Clubs are fined £5 under rule 11A

23/3/10	U15	Thornbury	
	U15	Wickwar	
	U14	Wickwar	
	U12	Golden Valley R	
7/3/10	U16	Southside A	(NO FORM)
	U15	Southside A	
	U14	Thornbury	
	U13	Thornbury	
	U12	Thornbury	
	U14	Wickwar	
	U13	Wickwar	
14/3/10	U14	Ebley	
	U14	Wickwar	
	U14	Frampton	
	U13	Frampton	
21/3/10	U15	Wickwar	
	U14	Wickwar	
	U13	Wickwar	
	U15	Tytherington	
	U14	Thornbury	
	U13	Slimbridge	
28/3/10	U16	Southside A	(NO FORM)
	U16	Rodborough	(NO FORM)
30/3/10	U13	Wickwar	(NO FORM)

THOSE MARKED (NO FORM) If they have not already sent in the form MUST return the form by END OF MARCH or rule 5H applies

8 players were registered between 3rd March and 31st March 2010.

1 player was transferred from Rodborough to Golden Valley R at U12

Fixture secretary

There have been 3 matches postponed at <7 days notice and the clubs are fined £10 under rule 10F.

TMC	7/3/10	Tytherington V	RODBOROUGH
Divn 3	14/3/10	Stonehouse V	GALA WILTON
Divn 5	14/3/10	Thornbury V	STONEHOUSE

These teams are reminded that if they postpone another match at <7 days notice they will lose 3 points.

There has been one match postponed at <7 days notice and it is 2nd offence for team. The club is fined £10 under rule 10F PLUS team is deducted 3 points for second offence.

Whiteshill v GALA WILTON Under 14

Results not phoned in - Clubs Fined £10 under rule 11B

Stonehouse divn 5 21/3

Thornbury Divn 4 31/3

Eastcombe Divn 1 30/3

Rodborough Divn 5 7/4

Southside Athletic Divn 1 7/4

Letter from Whiteshill regarding the fixture between them and Gala Wilton Divn 3 complaining that the fixture time etc. had been discussed with their manager the week before and about the lateness of the cancellation and that in view of this the club would have to pay for facility hire and line marking.

Secretary to write to Whitehill requesting copies of receipts for these payments before any decision regarding payment is made.

A match Divn 2 Kingswood V Rodborough on 14th March was abandoned by the referee. The score at the time (after 65 mins) was Kingswood 1 Rodborough 4. Committee decided that the result would stand. Rule 10F.

Clubs are reminded that when any changes to fixtures are made, be it KO time, venue or reverse fixture it is vital that both teams inform the Fixture Secretary and the opposing team. Problems will then be reduced.

The committee discussed the ongoing fixture pile up that some clubs have with a difficulty in trying to find suitable dates. As a result it was decided to extend the league until Friday 14th May. This gives a further five days for matches to be re-arranged and played. With the six a side on Sunday 16th May and the League AGM (the official conclusion of the season) on Monday 17th May there can be no more extensions.

Referees Secretary

Referees are being provided for most games. There are 3 new referees looking for games.

Child Welfare

No problems.

Web Site

Note Adrian's new Email address. (Whiteshill) BELOW.

adrian_wakefield@sky.com

note the underscore after Adrian

GFA

Next meeting May 6th.

Reminder that CLUBS running their own 6-a-side tournaments MUST register them with the GFA beforehand. It should not cost you anything but the GFA will probably wish to see the 6-a-side rules.

6 – a - side

Remember the League 6-a-side will be held on Sunday 16th May 2010
Entry is compulsory and those teams not attending will be fined.

SPECIAL NOTE

**ALL TEAMS PLAYING IN THE 6-a-side MUST BRING THEIR REGISTRATION CARDS AND PRESENT THEM TO REGISTRATION PRIOR TO PLAYING.
ANY TEAM WITHOUT REGISTRATION CARDS WILL BE EXCLUDED FROM THE COMPETITION AND FINED ACCORDINGLY**

There have been 5 requests from clubs that would like to field more than one team in their age group at our 6-a-side.

They are:-

Rodborough u12s

Rodborough u13s

Minchinhampton u13

Thornbury u15s

Malmesbury u15

Because more than 1 of the 4 teams in the under 16 divn have requested not to play in the 6-a-side it was agreed by the committee that they be excluded from the competition.

BBQ has been sorted.

Dave Lee to confirm freezer works.

Dave Lee to request water carrier for day from Mr. Lusty

CUP FINALS

FINAL OF WALLY SMITH CUP Friday 23rd April at 6.30 TETBURY Recreational Ground

FINALS of U13, Under 14 and Under 15 CUPS will be on SUNDAY 25th April at STONEHOUSE

U13 final at 11.00 am

U14 final at 2.00 pm

U15 final at 5.00 pm

Admission to Ground will be £1 for adults (to include a raffle ticket) and all persons under 18 may enter FREE.

D Hoskins to confirm a date for U16 KB Coaches Cup Final at Forest Green.

HANDBOOK changes

Please note Dave Hoskins current Email address “ davidhoskins82@yahoo.com “

Whiteshill email is adrian_wakefield@sky.com

Cup Draws

None

AGM

REMINDER THAT THE AGM IS ON MONDAY 17th MAY Agenda & info will be supplied later.

AOB

CUP FINAL TICKETS

We have requested Cup Final Tickets from the GFA and hopefully will get a pair or two. (price unknown)

IF YOU ARE INTERESTED Please let Dave Hoskins know as well as the Secretary.

If more than one club or League official applies for tickets there will be a ballot for pairs of tickets.

Storage facilities for our goals, tents etc. is ongoing.

DATE OF NEXT MEETING Tues 4th May 2010

Signed as a true record Chairman

Date