

Peninsula Soccer Officials Association

Serving Hampton Roads, Virginia



April 22, 2021

PSOA Membership Meeting (via Zoom)

Welcome and Call to Order - Mark Rader: 7:35 pm

- Welcome to our monthly membership meeting.
- The Executive Committee met April 13, 2021.
- There will be a random drawing for dues exemption this year. Number of recipients will be based on number of attendees.

Attendees (31):

Flora Augustine	Jeff Lord	Don Samuels
Doug Bernard	Scott Mitchell	Stephanie Schatzel
Sekou Billings	Chris Moller	Ross Small
Todd Coxe	Dan Moore	Patrick Stephan
Craig Eppright	John Morgan	Don Torrenti
Rob Halpin	Calvin Nieman	Skip Wahl
Jeff Kelley	Mic Platt	Tristan Washington
Sean Kent	Mark Rader	Jack Zamora
Steve Kinney	Don Reese	Michael Zipf
Nicholas Kubyako	David Robertson	
Heldur Liivak	Andi Romine	

Anyone attending for the first time (new member or interested in joining PSOA) - Mark Rader

- Flora Augustine
- Sekou Billings
- Jeff Kelley
- Tristan Washington (Youth)

Minutes of Last Membership Meeting (Posted on PSOA Website) - Don Samuels

• Motion to approve – Andi Romine; Second – Steve Kinney; Minutes approved unanimously by the membership.

Treasurer's Report – Steve Kinney

Account Balance (as of 4/21/21) \$13,196.30

Outstanding Bills None

Outstanding Payments Due \$1,225.00 (Walsingham Boys – Invoice Resent)

- Outstanding invoice: Walsingham boys for \$1,225.00. Invoice was resent.
- There were 55 checks printed for March payments for \$5,090.99. Leagues paid were HS, VIP United Adult, VSLI and VAPL Sharks. Total March referee pay-outs were \$5,666.00.
- 2021 PSOA dues collected were \$675.00 (45 members).
- Renewed the McAfee Virus Protection software for 2 years for \$99.99. This saved PSOA \$140 by renewing for 2 years.

League Reports – Assigners

- Club WAKA Adult League Sean Kent
 - o In progress in third week.
- College Club Steve Kinney
 - o Not playing yet. Hit or miss as to when/how many games they have.
- Deer Park Church League Sean Kent
 - o In progress in second week.
 - o Games played at Deer Park Baptist Church.
 - o 5-week league with 1-man system for games.
- High School Matches (Public/Private) Mark Rader
 - o Private School Girls: March 1 May 11.
 - In progress 54 games total; 22 games left.
 - Report to Mark Rader if not following VISAA Covid protocols.
 - o Public Schools: April 26 June 25.
 - Approximately 360 games vs 750 in normal season.
 - Many schools without JV teams.
 - Assigned first 4 weeks of season.
 - 85 referees VHSL certified.
 - VHSL return to participation rules update: normal drop balls and walls for free kicks.
- Isle of Wight Recreation Jack Zamora
 - o Plan to play May 1 mid-June.
 - o 5 teams per age group with reduced team/field sizes. Only IOW teams allowed.
 - o Masks for spectators, limited guests per child. Masks for players/officials when not actively participating.
- JCC Adult Recreation League Sean Kent
 - o In progress starts at 5:15 pm.
- National Premier League (NPL) Antonio Araiza
 - o VAPL: In progress.
- Newport News Recreation Steve Kinney
 - o In progress through first week of June.
- Phillips Athletic Association (PAA) Sean Kent
 - o No season.
- Poquoson Recreation Sean Kent
 - o Poquoson is going to try to have a season start in the next 2-3 weeks through mid-June.
 - o Poquoson teams only, small-sided games.
- State Cup Sean Kent
 - o In progress 3 games this week, 2 games next week.
- VIP United Adult League (Oozlefinch Open) Steve Kinney
 - o In progress through May 15, followed by playoffs.
- Virginia Soccer League Incorporated (VSLI) Antonio Araiza
 - o In progress.
- York County Recreation Steve Kinney
 - o In progress Saturdays.

Tournament Announcements

No new tournaments.

Mentorship – Heldur Liivak

- 18 mentors list on PSOA website and on Arbiter.
- Have done 5 informal assessments.
- Main focus is on "on-the-fly" mentoring with young and new officials.
- Contact assigner or Heldur Liivak if interested.

Old Business

- Sean Kent will continue to check on how many referees have recertified.
- Mark Rader still working on bylaws.

New Business & Member Sharing Information, Questions, Discussions

- Training Sean Kent
 - o Discussion on various questions from members:
 - Failure to Respect Distance
 - Drop Balls
 - Build-out Lines

Next Membership Meeting – Thursday, May 20, 2021 – 7:30 pm (via Zoom)

Adjourned: 8:31 pm

After the conclusion of the meeting, Andi Romine conducted a random drawing of all the attendees (excluding PSOA EC members) for 2 free PSOA dues for 2021 (\$15.00 value each).

Congratulations to the winners: Stephanie Schatzel Skip Wahl

Steve Kinney will make a note not to take dues from you this year.