

Thelo United Futbol
Board Meeting Minutes
January 20, 2008

Meeting called to order by Jessica at 8:40PM

No minutes available for prior meeting

Jessica mentioned possible issues with the club PO box, as mail appears to have been tampered with.

Discussed need to transition to a new bank as US Bank is charging excessive fees.

Work is being done to correct team balance information.

Transition to the new treasurer is currently stalled due to various issues. Should proceed and be completed in the near future.

Jessica reviewed current account balances and outstanding bills. There was some uncertainty due to team balance issues, but there is currently sufficient funds to meet obligations through Spring.

Invoice has been received for Alder Creek turf usage. Jessica will send a copy via email for review. The need was expressed for better tracking of field usage so invoices can be validated.

There was discussion of things to be done in preparation for tryouts. Gordon mentioned the need for coaching applications. A discussion regarding the marketing of tryouts took place. Decision was made to discuss and vote at the February board meeting. Choices could include mailers to OYSA list addresses, or an ad in Goal Lines.

Jim will be adding a tab to the webpage to list notable club achievements.

Gordon discussed to possible future need for paid staff. A lengthy discussion followed and it was acknowledged that this is a future issue that can be deferred for the foreseeable future.

Gordon discussed a desire to seek ways to provide non-cash compensation for coaches. Subsidized training, or lowered fees for coaches children were two options presented. No decisions were made.

Steve Parker expressed the need to have discussions with Gladstone Soccer Association regarding Thelo's use of the turf field at Gladstone High School. We will seek their assistance in obtaining the local rate for field use.

Discussed possible RFP for provider of Thelo gear.