

CYSA-N DISTRICT II  
MEETING MINUTES  
9 OCTOBER 2001

## Board

Dave Mann, Commissioner  
== Assistant Commissioner  
Paul Gallegos, Treasurer  
Dan Fassler, State Cup  
Paul Vargas, District Cup  
Lorraine Siadat, Coaching  
== Risk Management  
Steve Dippert, Referees  
Mike Farrant, Secretary

Dan Pereira, Asst. Commissioner  
== Assistant Commissioner  
Mel Dutra, State Premier League  
Barry Hinkle, Association Cup  
== Registrar  
Jan Gates, Rules & Revisions  
== ODP  
Wendy Campbell, Tournaments  
Lee Gazlay, Communications

## Leagues

Michael Chavez, Almaden #2  
Linda Wright, Redwood #3  
Larry Biggam, Santa Cruz #4  
Tony Ashton, Foothill #5  
Dale Satran, West Valley #6  
Brad Kinne, South San Jose #8  
Pilar Morales, Alum Rock #9  
Ralph Dickman, Central Valley #10  
Martin von Raesfeld, Santa Clara #11  
== Gavilan #12

Isidoro Mendoza, Mt Hamilton #13  
Paul Gallegos, North Valley #14  
Joe Devine, Orchard Valley #15  
John Cleveland, Los Gatos YSL #16  
== Marina #17  
Mike Whalen, De Anza #18  
Dan Sorensen, Central Coast YSL #19  
Bill Davilla, Abronzino  
Tom Quirk, C3PL  
== Spring Soccer  
== C4PL

## Guests

Robert Martinez  
Alice Rodriguez - SJSU

Gary St.Clair - SJSU

1. The meeting was called to order by Dave Mann, Commissioner at 7:37pm
2. The minutes of the August 2001 meeting were approved. No meeting was held in September.
3. Gary St.Clair and Alice Rodriguez of SJSU thanked DII for its financial contribution to both the men's and women's soccer programs. November 2<sup>nd</sup> has been designated as CYSA night. DII teams are encouraged to join the team parade before the game starts. Check the web and the flier for details.
4. Treasurer's report.
  - The district's accounts are in good order.
  - Dave thanked Paul for his efforts as treasurer. DII is always first to submit its accounts to CYSA.
  - The district treasurer's PC has broken. Dave approved the purchase of a new CPU
  - Paul said he would provide a more detailed breakdown of the "other expenditures" in the District Cup, ODP and State Cup accounts.
5. Registrar's report.
  - It is no longer necessary for the player's signature to appear on the registration form (1601) unless the player is over 18.
  - A discussion of the frustrations of the registration process was held. Dave recommended interested parties to take the matter up with Jeff Stanga since DII cannot change the process by itself.
6. Coordinator's Reports.
  - 6.1 Disciplinary Committee
    - Coaches are reminded that player passes of red carded players are returned to them via their League President. Don't bug Dan. He will not respond to phone calls.
  - 6.2 Tournaments
    - November 1 is the deadline for Leagues to submit an application to host a tournament. Picking a weekend that does not clash with other League's tournaments is one issue. Another issue is providing enough tournament opportunities for older players.

### 6.3 Morgan Hill Complex

- Morgan Hill City now owns the site. CYSA will be able to lease it exclusively for at least 1 more year before any other sports facilities are constructed. There is good possibility for more extensions on yearly basis.
- The CYSA-N board recently walked the site. The trailer has now been cleaned out and please try to keep it clean..
- Operational details. Dave Brown is still in charge of field maintenance; Sue Christensen handles the field scheduling from CYSA head office in Pleasanton.
- Morgan Hill and San Jose have purchased adjoining properties at their boundaries. One side will be used for a High School; the other is open space which may become soccer fields. A DII Field Committee comprising several DII Board Members including Larry Biggam, Ralph Dickman, Mel Dutra, Mike Love and Paul Gallegos. Steve Wincor will chair this committee. Dave stressed that we should look at this project as district2 fields, not CYSAN. We can ask for help from CYSA if needed. Also, the committee members should be very aggressive and persue this project seriously to make it happen.

### 6.4 ODP

- Everything is going fine. 2nd play day is coming up. Thanks to Jack Salvemini for an excellent job.

### 6.5 Referees

- There is a nationwide shortage of referees.
- If any league wants to host a referee licensing class and can't afford it than district will pay for the class.
- Clarification. Games should be officiated using the diagonal system of control. Thus only one official is required in the center. If 3 officials are available, that's a bonus

### 6.6 State playing league

- Players report that the competition is good this year. The top 4 teams are headed for a playoff.

### 6.7 Abronzino Playing League

- The AGM has been held. There is concern that league reps do not attend the monthly Abronzino meeting. If reps cannot attend, leagues should appoint someone who can otherwise issues cannot be addressed.
- Some teams are forfeiting games to attend other events or have too few players to play but still want to qualify for State Cup.
- Many red cards are the result of 2 yellows.

### 6.8 C3PL

- Some leagues still have not paid their C3PL dues.
- Trophies will be handed out at the next meeting.
- Parents seem to be more of a problem than the players this year.

### 6.9 Recreational Playing League

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### 6.10 Coaching

- Coach of the year nominations are due Nov. 1. Forms are on the web. Each league should try to pick a boy's team coach and a girl's team coach.
- DII paid over \$8000 for coach licensing courses this year.
- Leagues should begin monitoring that coaches are appropriately licensed for the team they are going to coach.
- There needs to be a page on the web that lists the various licenses that other organizations issue with the equivalent CYSA-N license stated.

### 6.11 Rules and Revisions

- Rule changes to be voted on for next year include U10 tournament and term limits.

### 6.12 State Cup

- The deadline is 6pm Nov 1. Latecomers pay an extra \$100 but still may not be accepted. If your check bounces after Nov 1, your team is dropped. Dave recommends money orders in place of checks.
- Check the web to see if your application has been received.

### 6.13 Association Cup and Tide Cup

- The deadline is 6pm Nov 1. There is a limit of 64 teams but if more than 64 apply, each District is guaranteed at 3 places.
- Finals are scheduled on a DII Cup weekend. Any DII team that gets to the final will have its DII cup entry money refunded.

- Details on the web.
- 6.14 District Cup
- Apply for DII Cup early. First come, first served.. Full details on the web.
- 6.15 Spring Soccer
- Scotty Robson has volunteered to run the program.
- 6.16 Communications
- The web pages moved unexpectedly so some links may be out of date. If you notice any old data, let Lee know and he'll fix it.
7. Commissioner's Report
- DII has donated \$2500 to the Red Cross in connection with the World Trade Center attack.
  - The CYSA-N AGM will in Fresno Feb 9/10. Dave will pay for lunch but he needs to know how many Board members and Presidents will attend. Send e-mail asap.
  - The DII annual dinner will be held on Dec 11 at Florentines in Saratoga, the same location as last year. Invitations will be issued at the next meeting.
  - No casts, splints or braces are allowed on the field. Jewelry is also prohibited but this rule is not often enforced. In any case it is the referee's decision.
8. Old Business
9. New Business
- Dave Mann was elected Commissioner of District 2 for a term of 2 years beginning Jan 1, 2002. League presidents voted 15-0 in favor of Dave. There were no other candidates.
10. Good of the Game.
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11. Adjournment
- The meeting was adjourned at 9:45

Respectfully submitted,

Mike Farrant  
District II Secretary

(Next meeting at 7:30 on Tuesday November 13, 2001 at the Creekside Complex, Cupertino)

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