American Amateur Soccer League (AASL) Meeting July 11, 2005 Minutes

Meeting was called to order by Paul Emhoff at 7:30 PM.

David Ehlert called the roll.

Present: Amherst, Avon, Avon Lake, Bay Village, Berea, Broadview Hts., Brooklyn, Brook Park, Brunswick, Buckeye, Cloverleaf, Columbia, Elyria, Hudson, Independence, Lakewood, Medina, Middleburg Hts., Midview, North Olmsted, North Royalton, Norwalk, Olmsted Falls, Parma, Parma Hts., Rocky River, Sandusky, Strongsville, Wadsworth, Wellington, Westlake, and Wooster.

Absent: Ashland, Fairview Park, LaGrange, Lorain, North Ridgeville (excused), Sandusky (excused), and Vermillion.

Minutes from the June 27th, 2005 meeting were approved by Strongsville and seconded by Lakewood.

Announcements by Paul Emhoff:

Bracketing: Teams returning the State League will be bracketed in the A Division. When this happens a second place B team may not be invited to move up to the A bracket.

Awards: First and second place trophies are available and will be handed out after the meeting for the U9, U10 and U11 teams. T-shirts will be handed out to the first and second place U12, U13, and U14 teams when they are available. Watch your e-mails for updates. When the t-shirts are available for distribution, community representatives will either be able to receive them at the next meeting or pick them up at Paul's house. All U8 players received participation awards.

Scheduling guidelines: Paul handed out scheduling guidelines. Copies of the guidelines are available from the AASL secretary.

Announcements by Jayme McCourt:

Registration: Registration opened June 27, 2005. Registrations after August 1st will have the late fee added and the player is not guaranteed to be carded for the first game. Please use the registration forms on the AASL website.

Announcements by Gary Whitam:

Final bracketing meeting: This is the final bracketing meeting. No bracket changes allowed after the meeting.

Preliminary schedule: The preliminary schedule will be on the AASL website by midnight July 14th.

Adjournment: The meeting was adjourned by Brook Park and seconded by Brunswick at 8:30 pm.

Next meeting: The next meeting will be at 7:30 PM on Monday August 1st, 2005 at the Brook Park Recreation Center. This is the Final Scheduling meeting. Have scheduling changes confirmed prior to the meeting. Food will be available.