



**Pacific NorthWest
Soccer Club**

**General Membership
Meeting Minutes**

August 21, 2019

6:00pm

Starfire Classroom

1. Directors Update from Leighton O'Brien, Technical Director:

a. Review of Program

i. As a club we have 4 Directors of Coaching:

1. Ryan – Junior Program
2. Viet – Youth program
3. Malia – Girls (U13-19)
4. Pedro - Boys (U13-19)
5. Lyndsey and Axel assist with the girls and boys U13/14 programs)

ii. As a club we coach to develop – Parents often provide most pressure so try to remember to be supportive, not pressurized regarding soccer.

iii. Our goal is more about decisions than about outcome (ie. Winning)

2. Team Fundraising from Brian Reckling, Community Relations:

a. The goal of team fundraising is to decrease the cost of travel for the team. All proceeds go to the team and must be distributed evenly amongst the team.

b. Holiday Greenery Fundraising from Northwest Venderon – same vendor supplies products for Costco so it is a very high quality product

- i. Every player on the team gets a flier that shows all the holiday greenery options (center pieces, wreathes, etc...) Kids go out and sell the items and receive \$8 for every item that they sell. (Sell in October, turn in in Nov, wreathes arrive in Dec- spritz the greenery once a week and it will last until Feb)

3. President's Update from John Wilson, President:

- a. Michelle Taylor – Thank you for everything that you have done for PacNW and your years of service! You are our 1st member of *PacNW Wall of Honor*
- b. Athletico de Pac – This is an outreach program that helps under-served youth soccer programs in the area that PacNW Soccer Club is proud to be associated with.
- c. GoGo Squeeze Yogurt Sponsorship : We will be handing out GoGo Squeeze at the picnic on Saturday.
- d. PacNW Club Picnic is Saturday at Henry Moses WaterPark/Cedar River Park. Will will have a grassy area to BBQ from 4:00-8:00 PM, and the waterpark from 6:30 –8:00PM
- e. Winter Classic - Registration will open Sept 1st – PacNW Clubs do NOT need to register for this event. It will be done for you

4. Operational Issues:

- a. Social Media – We can only post what we have on social media. So, help us out and send your team photos into social media with a little caption (such as team name, what they are doing, etc)
- b. Coaches meal allowances will be going up as of Sept 1st.
- c. The Redlist starts in September – Your player will be ineligible if they are behind on payments.
- d. Volunteers: Kaelen has put together a list with current of players and volunteer hours completed. Tracking this will fall to treasurers. Make sure all players are current on your team. (For teams too young to have treasurers, ie U10 and U11 – managers will need to complete the responsibility). The lists will go out to managers and treasurers, but ultimately it is a treasurer responsibility.
- e. Work Study – How is that benefit applied?
 - i. Volunteer hours must be completed prior to WorkStudy hours.
 - ii. There will be completely separate site to sign up for work study hours.
 - iii. WorkStudy money can be applied to fees or taken as a paycheck. Kaelen will be sending out further information. Checks will be placed in the Managers files in the clubhouse.
- f. RCL manager training will be in the classroom following the club meeting.