



WOODRIDGE SOCCER ASSOCIATION

MINUTES OF THE FEBRUARY 2025 EXECUTIVE COUNCIL MEETING
Monday, February 10, 2025 @ 7:30pm

Call to order: An Executive Council Meeting of the Woodridge Soccer Association (WSA) Executive Council (also referred to as Board of Directors) was held at the ARC on February 10, 2025. The meeting convened at 7:39pm, called to order by Brian Mathews. Roll was called to establish a quorum.

In attendance: Brian Mathews, Octavio Morales, Dan Peboontom, Brianna Sopcak, Kristan Martin

Apologies: Erika Starkenburg

Old Business:

1. Approval of January 2025 Minutes. Mr. Morales motions, Mr. Mathews seconds.
2. **Playoffs**
 - For the Juniors, Intermediate, and Seniors divisions.
 - Held at Orchard 1 & 4 fields as they are the same size.
 - Shorter games so players would have the energy for multiple games in a day.
 - For seniors, on the last Saturday of the season, team 1 would play team 4, team 2 would play team 3. The winners of each game would play each other Tuesday evening under the lights.
 - Juniors and Intermediate divisions: end the season on time with 7 regular games and one championship game as game 8.
 - Can weekly updates on scores be sent to division reps so we can monitor team standings?
3. **Draft**
 - We will once again hold a draft for the Seniors division this Spring.
 - Mr. Morales received a request that coaches get information about players' ages
4. **League Partners**
 - Mr. Peboontom discussed partnering with Darien or Lisle so the older divisions can play a larger variety of teams.

New Business:

1. **Registration**
 - Closes March 4th
 - We currently have 260 players signed up.
 - Micro 1 – 39 participants
 - Micro 2 – 57 participants
 - Juniors – 60 participants

Intermediate – 88 participants

Seniors – 16 participants

TOTAL – 260 participants

2. Ratings

- Mr. Mathews will emphasize the importance of sending ratings at the end of the season during the coaches meeting.

3. Calendar

- The Board will establish a calendar of events at the March meeting.

4. Clinics

- Mr. Mathews will discuss the possibility of having a clinic for WSA players with the Roadrunners contact.
- Mr. Peboontom will discuss the possibility of having a coaches' clinic with his contact.

Mr. Morales moved for the adjournment of the meeting, the Board having completed its discussion of all agenda items. Ms. Martin seconded. **Motion was carried by voice vote.**

Adjournment: The meeting was adjourned at 8:23pm.

Next Meeting: Monday, March 3, 2025 @ 7:30pm.

Respectfully submitted by Brianna Sopcak
February 27, 2025