

Virginia Soccer League, Inc.

Sign In Sheet
Meeting Date: 22 June 2005

Clubs/Members represented:

VSLI Sign-In Roster		
Club Names	Club Rep	Coaches & Guests
Athletic Club Norfolk	Sheryl Grumney	Ron Speziack
Baystars FC	Ray Howell	
Beach FC	Steve Danbusky	
Chesapeake Select SC	Matt Hinson	
Chesterfield United SC	Joe Pugh	Joe Farrell
Churchland Soccer League	Ed Townsley	Beth Townsley & Dorothy Morgan
Colonial FC	Jeff Dominguez	
Elizabeth River SC	Theresa Cummings	
Fluvana Youth Soccer Association	Bruce Bradley	
Fredericksburg Area Soccer Assoc.	Jack Hitchens	Nichole Gregory
Hopewell Travel Soccer	Wade Nye	
Lynchburg United SC	Jeff Darling	
Newport News FC	Al Cousineau	
Old Dominion SC	Eileen Beckert	Sara Shaeffer
Outer Banks Storm		
Powhatan Soccer Association		
Richmond Kickers	Tim Krout	Tish Schrock
Richmond Strikers		
Smithfield SC	Milt Cummings	
Soccer Club of Northern Neck	Excused	
Tidewater SC	Richard Hall	Ray Franklin
Tri-City United	Keith Roberts	JB Crist
VA CASL		
VIP United	Linda Harrison	
Virginia Rush		Matt Busch
Western Regional Youth Soccer	David McCormick	
Williamsburg SC	Chris Friant	
Other Guests:	Susan Gallagher	Jeff Staylor
VSLI Officers		
President	Tom Halstead	
Vice President	Chris Friant	
Treasurer	Linda Harrison	
Secretary	Jolene Banford	
Administrator	Denise Edwards	
Competition Chairman	Chris Friant	
Finance Chairman	Tom Banford	
League Registrar		
Rules & Discipline Chairman	Excused	
VYSA Rep	Tom Halstead	

President's Report: President, Tom Halstead called the 22 June 2005 VSLI meeting to order at 7:35PM. Tom reported that four new clubs had turned in applications for membership to VSLI, and they are Hopewell Travel Soccer, Soccer Organization Charlottesville Area, Outer Banks Storm, and a Midlothian youth soccer team, U13 Bacon Bits. The Hopewell Travel Soccer, SOCA, OBX Storm were accepted at this time, and the U13 Bacon Bits were ask to present more information at the next scheduled VSLI meeting.

New Business: Tom Halstead presented a proposed Fall League calendar to the board meetings, starting 22 June 2005 through January 2006. The proposed calendar listed all the VSLI meeting dates, the competition committee meeting, the League meeting dates, dates that fees are due, and all the game dates for both the boy's soccer and the girl's soccer for the Fall 2005 season. **The calendar was amended and a motion made and approved to allow one "bye" per team on either the weekend of November 12 & 13 or the weekend of November 19 & 20 to be requested by the club representative of each member to the VSLI Administrator in a form listing all requests for byes from teams of that member on or before July 19, 2005.** After much discussion the weekend of 22/23 October 2005 was added to the calendar to make it possible for a nine (9) play dates thus allowing for a ten (10) match season. The VSLI Tournament weekends are Labor Day weekend, 3-5 September 2005, Columbus Day weekend, 7-9 October 2005, and the weekend of 5-6 November 2005. Any club teams wishing for an extra personal opt out weekend for tournament play must have their request in to the administrator, Denise Edwards by 15 July 2005. Once the Fall schedules are made it is not possible to make personal changes to the schedule. The board unanimously approved the proposed calendar with the changes.

President Halstead reported that in the Central Division (RMYSL) the U12 Boys and Girls team's playing will be 11v11, and in the Southeast Division (SEVYSA) the Boys teams will play 9v9 and in the Southeast Division (HRGSA) the Girls teams will play 11v11. The premier division will be playing 11v11 in all regions.

Waiver Requests: The VSLI member clubs presented several waivers tonight prior to the Competition committee meeting, which is scheduled for Sunday, 17 July 2005. In general the rules requiring waivers are: U10 and U11, Boys and Girls teams must have more than half the team age appropriate and U10 through U14, Male and Female players may not play "up" more than one age group above their appropriate age group. The following waivers were requested under the current policies within the prescribed time period. The member making the request, the nature of the request and the vote outcome follow...

CSSC	Nick Berning	10/10/95	U8 player to play on a U10A team	Approved
ODSC	Daniel Trujillo	08/16/91	U14 player to play on U16 Express	Approved
ODSC	Josh Hofacker	08/13/95	U10 player to play on U12 Intimidators	Approved
Smithfield	Bailey		U10 player to play on U12 Blaze	Approved
	Karly		U10 player to play on U12 Blaze	Approved
	Meghan		U10 player to play on U12 Blaze	Approved
Smithfield	To add 2 U13 girls and make the above mentioned team U13		Vote was Yes (3) and No (13)	Not Approved
ERSC	Trey Buckmaster	09/16/95	U10 player to play on a U12 team	Approved
Newport News	Have a Premier U10 team be 50% U9 and 50% U10			Approved
Churchland	Mehegan Morgan	12/06/92	U13 player to play on U15 Surf	Approved
Athletic C. Norfolk	Amanda Moore	02/01/97	U9 player to play on U11 team	Approved
Athletic C. Norfolk	Clark Cummings	09/04/97	U8 player to play on U10 Valderama	Approved

Tom Halstead also stated the Fall 2005 Declaration forms would be available online starting 24 June 2005. The forms are a four part process, first being the declaration of your club officers, DOC,...etc, secondly, the name of your teams, coaches, and managers, thirdly, the competitive level the teams wish to play, and fourth, the declaration of your fields available for match play. Remember for each four teams (either boy or girl) that you declare you must have a field available for age appropriate match play. The information for some field directions will be available, but if your field is not listed it is up to the individual club to complete the field declaration form that supplies directions to the field.

President Tom Halstead made available his telephone numbers, his home number: (804) 695-9674 and his cell phone: (804) 815-8401. Please do not leave messages with his children or on his voice mail, please keep calling.

Administrator's Report: Denise Edwards reported that the declaration deposit fees of \$100.00 per team (a non-refundable deposit) would be due at the next meeting on 5 July 2005. Each club is to bring only one check for their teams made out to Virginia Soccer League, Inc.. The team fees will be set after the competition meeting in July. This information will be available on the VSLI website as it is developed. Please remember too, when team fees are paid in August to deduct the original \$100.00 paid at the declaration time. After monies are paid to VSLI there are no refunds given if a club fails to field a team.

Denise reported that there would be training sessions for the Virginia Youth Soccer Association's new online registration system to create rosters, and passes for the Fall 2005 year. All club reps are required to attend one of these training sessions. Club reps will then train their team managers. The following is the schedule of training sessions:

Richmond Area: 25 June 2005 5:00PM Sheraton Richmond West, I64 and West Broad Street

Southeast Hampton Roads Area: 29 June 2005 7:00PM TBI Office, 668 Main Street, Gloucester, VA

Directions are available on the web site. Any questions, please respond directly to Denise Edwards via email at VBSCHOME@aol.com.

Announcements:

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| 5 July 2005 | League AGM Meeting 7:30PM | Declare Teams \$100 deposit due per team.
The exact location of the July meeting in the Richmond area to be announced later. |
| 17 July 2005 | Competition Committee Meeting | Location TBA |

President, Tom Halstead adjourned the meeting at 9:00PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Jolene Trent Banford
VSLI Secretary