

## Minutes for the RIWSL Meeting, Held 22 March 2021 at 7:00PM via Zoom

kay howard-strobel is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

Topic: RIWSL League Meeting

Time: Mar 22, 2021 07:00 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada)

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Meeting ID: 775 2831 1539

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1. Call to Order at 7:03 PM.
2. Motion to Suspend Robert's Rules by Kay, seconded by Niki. Passed unanimously.
3. Recognition of Team Reps
  - a. Attendance taken via Zoom Chat.

<b>Team</b>	<b>Representative in Attendance</b>	<b>Missed Meetings 2021 Season</b>
<i>Southcoast Strikers</i>	Ashlyn Cleary	0
<i>NE Lighting</i>	Anna McDowell	1
<i>FCFC</i>	Mandy Chapman & Allie McRae	0
<i>What's Kickin</i>	Brittney Godbout	0
<i>Halftime Heroes</i>	Not in Attendance	1
<i>South County Storm</i>	Kay HS	0
<i>RI Strikers</i>	Nikole S & Isis VP & Melissa Gonzalez	0
<i>Newport Spinnakers</i>	Liz ParvoBrown	0
<i>Guinness Girls</i>	Not in Attendance	1
<i>RI Fusion</i>	Annee S	0
<i>Tequila Hot Shots</i>	Pat Votolato	0
<i>Southcoast Revs</i>	Not in Attendance	1
<i>Sirens*</i>	N/A	0
<i>Panthers**</i>	N/A	0

\*Team no longer in league.

\*\*Team no longer in league as of Fall 2020.

<b>BOD Member</b>	<b>Attendance</b>	<b>Missed Meetings 2021 Season</b>
Kay Howard Strobel	In Attendance	0
Nikole Santos	In Attendance	0

Melissa Gonzalez	In Attendance	1
Nicole Andrescavage	Not In Attendance	2
Isis Van Putten	In Attendance	0
Pat Votolato	In Attendance	0

4. Isis Van Putten named timekeeper.
5. Minutes of Last Meeting March 1, 2021 (sent for review via this email) and available on the website in Documents and Forms.
  - a. Motion to accept last meeting's minutes by Kay. Passed unanimously.
6. President's Report - Kay
  - a. Watch out for email scams!!
7. Vice President's Report – Niki
  - a. Niki as been focusing on getting everything ready to start the Spring season.
8. Treasurer's Report – Melissa
  - a. Account balance at last meeting: \$2954.89.
  - b. No change in account balance since last meeting on March 1, 2021.
9. Registrar Report - Pat
  - a. Every team rep should get field permit to Pat. This should include team rep contact, field with insurance/liability form, and field contact. **Get this to Pat ASAP.**
10. Agenda Items
  - A. Scheduling
    - a. **Final 9 Teams**
      - i. Southcoast Strikers- Tiverton Town Farm, Tiverton (9AM start time)
      - ii. FCFC- Exeter West Greenwich (must be off field by 10AM)
      - iii. South County Storm- Tuckertown, South Kingstown (10AM)
      - iv. RI Strikers- Warwick City Park, Warwick (9AM)
      - v. Fusion- unknown field as of now
      - vi. Tequila Hot Shots- Deerfield Park, Smithfield (9AM)
      - vii. What's Kickin' - Wilson Park, North Kingstown (9AM)
      - viii. Newport Spinnakers- **possibly** Polo Fields, Portsmouth (10AM)
      - ix. NE Lightning- Mariner Youth Fields, Fairhaven (9AM)
        1. Will have to double check to make sure it is okay to have homefield in MA.
    - b. Fusion does not have a field as of now.
    - c. RI Strikers has every Sunday booked at Warwick City Park through May and June if other teams need to utilize this field.
      - i. 11v11 sized nets
      - ii. \$75 per game
      - iii. Email Niki if interested in utilizing this field.

- d. Kay booked Tuckertown for all 8 weeks.
  - e. Start May 2nd, May 9, May 23<sup>rd</sup>, off Memorial Day May 30th, June 6<sup>th</sup>, June 13<sup>th</sup>, off Father's Day June 20<sup>th</sup>, June 27<sup>th</sup>.
  - f. Kay will upload new waiver and will send Melissa materials to open registration. As soon as it is open, Kay will email the team reps to let them know to get their teams registered.
  - g. **April 1st** tentative date for schedule and registration.
  - h. Registration will be good for the calendar year (January-December)
    - i. \$40 for the year and \$30 for one season
  - i. All team reps should reach out to home fields to see if they can reduce fees for games given the circumstances.
    - i. Warwick City Park reduced the fees by \$25 for this season.
  - j. Ashlyn informed that Southcoast Strikers does not have to pay for their field so if another team wants to cut the costs they can also utilize this field.
  - k. NE Lightning home field is in MA- Niki is going to reach out to David to see if this is okay due to regulations.
- B. Changes to play time
- a. Get rid of A division and B division and just play as one division.
  - b. 7v7, smaller fields.
  - c. 30-minute halves with 2-minute mask break at 15 minutes and 5-minute half time.
  - d. All game rules will stay the same otherwise.

11. No new meeting scheduled.

12. Motion to Adjourn by Kay. Passed unanimously at 7:35 PM.