

Baldwin-Whitehall Soccer Association
Meeting Minutes – April 18, 2021

Name	Status	Name	Status	Name	Status
Daria DiGorio-President	Online	Dan Hissong-Vice President	Online	Paul Kolesar-Treasurer	Online
Carolyn Page-Secretary	Online	Dave Schuchert	Online	William Knight	Online
Ellen Knight	Online	Nina Deibler	Online	Heather Hissong	Online
Anthony Graham	Online	Nick Balzer	Online	Pat Maloney	Online
Josh Kozak	Online			Dana Bush	Online

(7:05) Call to Order

President's Report-

-Bill asks about BWSA assisting the high school booster club in communicating their fundraising efforts. Concerns included potential confusion about the fundraiser being for something other than BWSA and any potential conflicts with our own fundraisers.

Motion made to support the boosters in fundraisers by communicating to our families as long as they don't conflict with any BWSA fundraisers.

Motion made by Tony Graham, 2nd by Daria DiGorio. Motion passes unanimously.

-Daria asks for board members to communicate who is resigning and when. We are already short on help and we would like to have a time to fill positions and plan rather than being surprised and stuck at the last minute. Tony will continue to assign and train referees but that's about all he will have time for. Board positions needed include referee coordinator, facilities/equipment, permits, and uniform coordinator.

-Dave suggests that board members should pay for registration and then receive reimbursement after volunteer hours or jobs are completed. There have been too many times that it is the same few people who are stepping up to handle things that need done and it should be more of an event split between all. He suggests that this be added to the bylaws. Ellen clarified that we should keep in mind that some jobs are completed before the season begins.

-High school girls soccer coach joined to let us know that she is willing to do coach seminars to help us build a stronger coaching program. She asks that travel coaches work with high school coaches to streamline verbiage to avoid confusion as players progress.

-Rec and travel coach group session will be required in the future.

-Josh suggests inviting players who are close to the travel age requirement to travel games to see what its like and to answer any questions. He will Daria information to send to the league.

-Dana Carolyn and Daria to plan a booth for Baldwin Community day on June 5th.

Player Development Status (Nick)- Planning a summer clinic for BWSA players to be held at Seton. High school players and coaches to be involved. Looking at July or August. More details to come.

Committee Reports

- **Budget Committee-** No Report
- **Policy Committee-** No Report
- **Fundraising Committee-** Bundt cakes raised \$631. Paul to discuss potential fall fundraiser at later date. Will visit the idea of having vinyl banner sponsors in the fall.

- **Uniform Committee-** No Report

New Business

Motion to adjourn

Motion made by Dan Hissong, 2nd by Dave Schuchert motion passes unanimously.