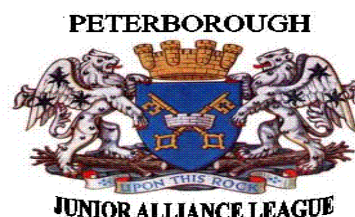


THE PETERBOROUGH & DISTRICT JUNIOR ALLIANCE LEAGUE



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Minutes of League Meeting No 353

Meeting Opened 7-25pm

Monday 5th October 2009

Members Present: D Burgess. S Cox. H Burgess. D Minney. D Edgell. L Kempster. K Pearson. L Setchfield. T Nash. D Whitwell. S Wisbey.

Apologies: L Quince. K Pilbeam. D Oxe. D Barkess

- 1 The Chairman welcomed Members to the League Meeting, and reminded Members that all business discussed must remain private until the League Minutes are sent out.
- 2 **Minutes of the last meeting:** These were agreed and duly signed.
- 3 **Matters arising:** None
- 4 **P.F.A. Report:** Mr Minney reported that comments made to the Evening Telegraph by the Northern Star Manager about various Leagues in Peterborough had upset the P.F.A. Council Members. The P.F.A. Council decided not to respond. The Floodlights at Focus are being opened on Tuesday 6th October. The Development of the Focus Centre will start from the middle of May 2010 until December 2010 this will not affect the League Cup Finals or the Six-a-side Tournament.
- 5 **Registration/Fixture Secretaries report:**
 - U/8: No Problems
 - U/9: No problems
 - U/10: No problems
 - U/11: No problems
 - U/12: Crowland request to cancel fixture on 13th Sept due to Manager being away. As this was not received within the 21 day rule permission was refused.

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U/13: No problems

U/14: Thorney's request to cancel fixture Holbeach v Thorney on 11/10/09 due to Manager going on holiday was refused, Thorney are reminded as a Charter Standard Club they should have an Assistant Manager to take charge of the team.

Would all Club Secretaries please remind your Managers Results MUST be phoned in to the appropriate age group Registration/Fixture Secretary between 5pm and 6pm. Emails and Faxes are to be received before 5pm.

Leverington v Coates 4th October 2009. Coates failed to arrive for the fixture due to players not arriving in time. Coates are fined under (Rule10f) plus 1 point deducted, they have to pay expenses to Leverington for the hire of their pitch and Referee travelling expenses.

DE-Registration and Transfer's: Players De-Registrations and Transfer's must include the appropriate form, the players old I.D.Card, two stamped addressed envelopes one to the opposition Secretary and one to the parent, plus a cheque for £10. failure to meet this requirement will delay the process

I.D. Cards: It is not the Referee's job to check I.D.Cards, Managers are responsible for checking their oppositions I.D. Cards,

Please note Phone calls to any Committee Member **Must** be made between **6-30pm and 9pm**

This was also recorded in Septembers League Minutes.

6 Referee Fixture Secretary Report: There are 12 new referees taking the course at Focus and are being slowly brought in to referee Mini Soccer and 11-a-side. There will be a new Referee course in Bourne starting the end of October anyone interested contact Peter Camm 01778 560939 m) 07947815478. Mike Riley is to attend the Peterborough R.A. on Monday 5th November 6-30pm to 9-30pm at the Fleet, Fletton High Street. this is for all of the junior Referees to attend their parents are also very welcome.

Referee appointed to U/10 fixture Hampton v Gunthorpe on the 3rd October reported the Gunthorpe Manager implied to the young 14 year old referee pity he was biased. The League would like to remind everyone of the Respect Code Of Conduct towards referees.

7 Treasurer Report: Mr Kempster circulated a copy of the balance sheet which was duly accepted. Secretaries would you please inform anyone sending cheques to the League they **MUST** be made out to the **Peterborough Junior Alliance League** the bank will not accept PJAL.

8 Liason Committee Report: Mr Nash reported that the booking of Changing facilities at Werrington should be included in the cost of the hire of the pitches. Referee refused to play on pitch at Bushfields due to holes making it unfit and dangerous. This was reported by the League to the Manager at the Centre, resulting in the pitch being withdrawn from use for two weeks whilst repairs were carried out.

9 Welfare Officer Report: Mr and Mrs Burgess reported one case which they referred to the Northants/ Hunts County Welfare Officers.

10 Presentation Evenings The General Secretary informed Members that she had quotes for Mama Mia and Girls Alouder. The Cresset has been booked at the same price as last season, the Compere has increased his price, and we would also have the added cost of the Bouncers. It was decided that as Grease was a huge success last year, we would put Mama Mia on the first two nights for the U/9.and U/10. on the 4th June 2010 and also the U/11 and U/12 age groups on the 5th June 2010. Girls Alouder for the U/13 and U/14 age groups on the 12th June 2010. Due to the increase in price for the Acts, Compere, and Bouncers it was agreed to increase the cost of tickets to £4.50 per

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person. The League would like to point out we have to cover the cost of the Presentation Evenings by the sale of tickets, The League does not make any profit on this event.

11 Respect It has been reported by Referees when officiating games and League Officials when visiting games that the following teams did not have any Respect Barriers along their touchline Eye United U/12. Glinton. Riverside Rovers Red. (Cones but not tape) Deeping Rangers U/12 (put cones out at halftime when pointed out) It has also been noted that RESPECT ARMBANDS are not being worn by Captains at some of the fixtures League Officials have visited, Managers, Coaches First Aiders and Substitutes are not to be the same side as the spectators. This has also been noted at games recently attended. All Clubs have signed up to Respect and are to follow the Codes of Conduct, As per Rule Barriers are to be used at all games. Failure to do so may incur a fine of not attending to the business of the League.

12 Correspondence: Letter from JJB Sports offering a reward scheme, Members all agreed we should politely reject it as our main sponsors are Hereward Teamwear and Trophies.

Letter received from a Michael Arnold from SV Thalhausen 1922 in Germany asking the Leagues permission for Club contacts with a view to bringing teams of various age groups to England next spring to play football against and possible do an exchange visit the following year. They are looking for a Club to entertain their players with probably a tournament and disco in the evening etc; The General Secretary has done a CRB check on this person and checked the Club with the aid of the Northants County Welfare Officer and through the German F.A. they are based on the German/Belgium border, and everything meets with the F.A. requirements. If there is any Club interesting in hosting this Team would you please contact the General Secretary, I will then discuss this further with you and give you the relevant F.A. Documents to complete for playing teams from abroad.

It was agreed the League would hold an Open Evening in the New Year

Teams will be given permission to cancel fixtures for Half Term Holidays.

Fixture Secretaries are concerned that Clubs are not sending in the Cancellation Forms for County Cup Fixtures on time, **ALL** County Cup fixtures are on your relevant County F.A. Website. please keep checking them. Also please remind Managers to phone their County Cup Result through as normal to their Fixture Secretary **HOME AND AWAY** a Junior Alliance Match Result Sheet is also required. (See Rule Book)

Secretaries please inform your Managers they are not to assume they have any BLANK weeks in the fixture programme to make alternative arrangements, where possible vacant Cup dates will be used for fixtures.

The League received some Respect T.Shirts and Bibs from Northants F.A. as the Mini-Soccer teams piloted the Respect Campaign it was decided to draw one U/9 and one U/10 Fair play Winner from a hat to receive them. Northborough U/10 won the T. Shirts and Parkway Eagles U/9 won the Bibs

There being no other business the Chairman closed the meeting at 9-30pm

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