

## **BCSA Meeting**

**March 24, 2005**

Coaches Meeting at Brothers 2

Bill Mizera introduced the officers and age group coordinators for each group.

### **District Commissioner's Report – Kevin Arnold**

State Cup is weekend of June 2.

Mark Gorgos is the National Coach of the year. Congratulations!!

### **Referee Report**

There will be feedback forms in the Spring League Coaches books. Please be sure to fill them out and return them. We encourage both parents and coaches to fill out the forms. This is one way we can know how our referees are doing.

### **Spring League Coordinator Report – Bill Campbell**

Referee Rules have changed:

- Fifa rules – artificial turf is legal; such as Alumni Stadium in Bing / UE stadium in Endicott
- State Cup rules to determine winner of match
  - Away Goals Rule
  - Two equal periods of extra time
  - Kicks from penalty line
- Use of 1-pc playing suits illegal
- Mandatory cautions for unsporting behavior
- Removal of all jewelry before playing soccer
- Fifa laws on Fifa Website – download them; check out Law 12 (Fouls and Misconducts, includes handling the ball)
- U 14 and above – 22 players are allowed on roster – only 18 can play per game

### **New Business**

There is a two- week period allowed for game changes to Spring Schedule. Contact opposing team, field coordinator, and Age group coordinator.

Only three changes are allowed. Cancellation must be before 2 weeks notice. Coaches should work together. Be sure to clear all changes with field coordinators.

Bill Campbell has a new e-mail address. Check it out in the Coaches Manual.

Respectfully submitted,  
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