

# Redwood League Meeting Minutes

## 2/12/2001

General Meeting February 2002

Reports:

1. MJ

a. Website: no report

b. Spring deadline to register is 2/25 at midnight. 132 teams now and last year 260. No Santa Clara Valley Spring League this year so our numbers may increase. Linda Wright is helping place players looking for teams.

c. For older kids we should consider coed teams? Class 4 teams?

d. REFEREE CLASS only has 2 slots left!

2. Jerry

No final list of winners yet. No date for awards meeting yet. Probably April. May need some playoff games.

3. Alysia

No report since Linda is doing Spring. Fall reg materials should be available beginning in April.

4. Michael Lindeberg: Not too many games lately. Only a few tournament red cards through the District. Reminder: State Cup red cards must be played off in State Cup.

5. Linda Wright: A little shy of \$6000 Still have some bills to pay and some money trickling in.

6. Terry Pipp: 4 proposals passed at the AGM

- 8> Rules changes effective next seasonal year for which one is registered. i.e. Rules changes now will not be in effect until fall.

- 16> Moving PIM88.5 to 302.01. USYSA membership form is the only acceptable.

- 20> 3:11:11 and 3:11:12 are now gone.

- 22> Cross out ?approval by the District Commissioner?

- Note: When is a player registered? When form received by League registrar or representative. Not after District Registrar signature.

- Note: Field Committee was instated to help with acquisition of fields and grants possibly through US Soccer Federation or government dollars. Investigate options like the new turf called filed turf. (Info on turf can be found at [www.fieldturf.com](http://www.fieldturf.com))

There will be a new Committee to look at District lines. Not many changes to ODP. Do we want to offer something up here? Want to look at it with the Club Presidents; topics?..Referees? Coaches? Fields? League teams?

WE need more soccer for the age groups U21-U23. As a League we could offer support even if it is not youth.

If we develop a good League team system it could build to a Division 4 International Level. US Soccer would be interested in supporting this.

Looking at a summer league so college players can play.

Board Voted unanimously..Each team in RWL needs a registered adult with any level CYSA or USSF license to register for 2002-3 seasonal year.

Reminder of the CYSA philosophy and what are goals are. Scores are not the only thing that is important. The experience of all the players matters. How the coach handles it is

very important.

Kellogg Cup is a go. June 9/10- final will be before an Earthquakes game. Questions?  
Ask committee members: Terry Pipp, Ilona Montoya, Jim Brady, or Michael Lindeberg.

Terry would like to get together with all the Club presidents.

Victor Montoya, Abronzino Report:

- Abronzino voted in the same Board. Changed by-laws to eliminate treasurer position because as a playing league, by CYSA rules, not allowed to have a checkbook.
- Awards are out and delivered already for Abronzino.
- May ask for Abronzino team registrations earlier than July 15. No new date yet.

Jim Brady, District 1:

D1 will handle registration in a tournament check-in style this year with an absolute drop dead date.

Diego Beltrami, Palo Alto President:

New VP also. Palo Alto is rebuilding. Asked Alysia about WinReg which she has but it is not quite ready for the clubs yet. Alysia would like to have a day with all the Club registrars for training.

Reese Zasio, Menlo/Alpine: One team advanced in State Cup.

Elections: Since we are newly incorporated only the Board can vote by our new rules. This may change in the future but currently, only the Board can vote.

Next meeting we will discuss cost of running the League and new registration costs which will allow for a field fund to build.

Meeting adjourned 9:20pm