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New Redwood League President Linda Wright addressed the group assembled at the Belmont Sports Complex.

- RWL newly incorporated and will complete the process this year. Michael Lindeberg will review rule by rule. Until that time the RWL Board are the only voting members.

- NEW BOARD FOR 2001:

- o President, Linda Wright

- o VP, Mike Love

- o Secretary, OPEN

- o Treasurer, Norrie Cavallero

- o Registrar, Alysia Cappa

- o Referee Coordinator, Michael Lindeberg

- o Coaching Director, Terry Pipp

- o Publicist, MJ Lee

- o Scheduler, OPEN

Goals for 2001:

- Meetings will be held at the Belmont Sports Complex the third Monday of each month (except for May 2001.) The meeting dates will be as follows: May 14, June 18, July 16, August 20, Sept 17, Oct 15, Nov 19, no Dec. meeting. The 2002 AGM will be held in January 2002.

- 2002-3 season all teams must have one licensed coach

- WE will host a weekend for District 2 Cup. We need to increase our volunteerism since we have 25% of the teams but do not do 25% of the work.

- Fee format has changed for this year. One all inclusive fee of \$30 per player for registering in RWL.

- Elimination of independent teams by 2002? help them find clubs.

- Better marketing of CYSA. Hard for people to contact us for info, website has great info?..need to make URL known. Possibly a newsletter.

- Dialog re. Class 4 playing league.

- Talk more w/ District 1. State has formed a committee to investigate re-districting

- Better fields and ref quality for Abronzino

Accomplishments of the past year(s)

- Incorporation process was completed. Non-profit status as a 501 (c) (3) corporation.

- Registration process much improved. REMEMBER to use the process which has been established. Go to your Club registrar and your club president first, not directly to registrar ever.

- We had 1 coaching clinic and 4 ref classes

- Mandatory coaches meeting and SMART book which will be done again

- Improved Abronzino selection process so more teams could go and we have maintained quality

Each Board Member spoke about their job and what they would like to do in the coming year:

- Coaching Director: Terry Pipp. In future can expect to need to be finger printed and take CPR class in order to be a coach at Class 1 level.

- Referee Coordinator: Michael Lindeberg. Red card process discussed. He assigns referees for District and League tournaments. Because the Clubs control the fields, the League has trouble scheduling games, tournaments, and referees.

- Vice-Prez: Mike Love Handles coordination of Insurance certificates and heads Disciplinary Committee.

- Treasurer: Norrie Cavallero Will develop detailed budget which will include an allocation for scholarships. Will be a scholarship application process. Fundraising/ Sponsorship will

be developed for the League, for the teams and for the individuals.

- Registrar: Alysia Cappa Registration packets are available tonight. REMEMBER to go through your Club registrar. Alysia works full time and has two children at home so be patient! She prefers e-mail for communication.
 - Publicist: MJ Lee She maintains the RWL website. When you post feedback there, it goes to her. She prefers you use that feedback for contacting so it remains in that database. Online registration will be available after May 1 when the 200 RWL teams will be archived. This is the last year MJ will be in charge of D2 Spring League.
 - Abronzino Rep, Victor Montoya Abronzino meeting to accept teams will be July 2, 2001.
 - Jim Brady, District 1 There will be a new process in D1 for registration. They look to improve from last year and have made plans to make it very efficient.
- Club presidents spoke briefly about their clubs;
- Ø Tony Igwe, WASA in the Belmont area. Welcomes new teams. Currently has 4-5 teams.
 - Ø Kjell Bostrum. Burlingame, Has 15-16 teams and welcomes new teams but has field constraints.
 - Ø Eva-Lena Lyssand, Juventus, Redwood City Area. Have 18 teams , all are required to has 50% Redwood City residents. They too have field constraints but welcome teams. Try not to have more than 3 teams in any one age group.
 - Ø Michael Lindeberg, Belmont Oaks Club, I in Belmont Area, is a non-profit organization like RWL. Welcomes new teams.
 - Ø Reese Zasio, Alpine-Menlo Club, 13 teams (11 boys and 2 girls) Welcome new teams but try to limit number of teams per age group as well.
 - Ø Diego Beltrami, Palo Alto, 15-18 teams, Mandatory volunteerism. Very involved with community. 4v4 program starting this weekend.
 - Ø Scott Johnson, San Carlos United, 20 teams, limited because teams must be 90% San Carlos.
 - Ø Pat Spiers, Millbrae, 5 teams. Welcome new members.
 - Ø Paul, Ravenswood East Palo Alto and Esat Menlo Park area, 5 teams, new club. Would like to welcome new teams, but they are figuring out the ropes so might be tough to add more for awhile.
 - Ø Bill Johnson, Stanford, 16 teams mostly class 1

Reminder: There will be a F class in Burlingame May 18 and 19. \$30 per person, Sign up with Michael Lindeberg.