



# EDEN PRAIRIE SOCCER CLUB

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### Board of Directors meeting minutes – September 11, 2017

In Attendance: Sara, Josh, Christy, Bethany, Brooke, Kori, Marian, Peter, Sam, Melissa, Jim

Meeting called to order at 6:30 by Sara Brooks.

Sara moved to approve last meetings minutes. Bethany seconds.

Chris Bagshaw, Teague Mitchell, George Carr and Jessica Mueller are here to present a presentation from a soccer coach perspective. They are team coaches, staff coaches and Technical Director.

Tryouts: They feel it is a very fair process. They have the opportunity to get scored by an evaluator, coach and technical director.

They really loved using the technology. They were able to score faster and took less time to put teams together.

They want to coach for Eden Prairie. They aren't looking for more money, they appreciate their DOC, they love the kids and they care. They love the qualified coaches and the fact they want to get better. They believe in that value. They like the model that is laid out for them. They love the opportunities they have to do with the teams, train, travel and showcases.

Chris Bagshaw: 2002C1+, Girls U13-19 Tech Director  
Teague Mitchell: U13 Boys Regional, 2001 C1+  
Jessica Mueller: 2004C1+ Girls, U11-12 Boys Tech Director  
George Carr: 2000C1+ Grills Coach

We had the highest win percentage across the metro area.

They have concerns about the survey:

The construction of it, forced upon the coaches, questioned the fact if was actually discreet and was anonymous.

They would like the communication to get better between the staff and board.  
They feel there is too big of a separation between the staff and board.

Christy makes a motion to pass the budget that Brooke presented. Jim seconds. All in favor. Motion passes.

Chad Nelson and Wendy Nelson, Janet Bell, Reed Ashpole, Tracey Bartz

Chad and Wendy are here to express concerns about the survey and emails that were exchanged between themselves and Sam Bell and also Reid Baynes,

Reed Ashpole is here because he was not able to do the survey. He wants to let the board know that he has been very happy with the club. His daughter is now playing college soccer. She started when she was U13 and came from a different club.

We looked over the results of the survey,

We need to look at the dates for the tournaments for the next year. They need to be submitted by September 29th.

We need to have better communication to our members. Possible newsletters and or Youtube/Podcasts.

Sara moved to adjourn at 8:28. Christy seconds.