



Dear FFC Families,

The Fredericksburg FC Board of Directors would like to wish you a Happy Holiday Season.

We are excited for the upcoming 2019 year and moving forward into the Spring Season and following 2019/20 Season. FFC is searching for club members and respected members of the community to help serve on the FFC Board of Directors. These positions will help steer the club in a positive direction and also help bring new ideas to the table.

Please see the note below from our Nominating Committee:

The primary responsibility of the FFC Board of Directors (BOD) is to develop club policies and long-term goals, interpret and enforce the by-laws, and provide leadership and direction to the staff and its members. At the beginning of every calendar year an election is held for positions coming open on the FFC Board of Directors.

The election will be conducted immediately following the Annual General Meeting that is planned for February 2019. The structure of the FFC BOD has 7 members: President, Vice President, Secretary, 2 x boys' representatives and 2 x girls' representatives. This election is for 3 seats: President, one boys' representatives and one girls' representative.

Our Nominating Committee is responsible for submitting a slate of nominees and their qualifications to the BOD for approval prior to election night. We encourage anyone interested in serving the club in this capacity to contact any member of the committee to start the nomination process. Elected board members will serve a term of 3 years. Eligibility to run for election, as stated in the FFC By-laws, is as follows:

"All previous and current members of the club, as well as respected members of the community are eligible for nomination to the board. Anyone who is not a current member (as defined in Article 3) must apply to the Nominating Committee for status as a 'special member' in order to be eligible to run for a board seat."

Please email one of the Nominating Committee members if you are interested in serving the club:

- *Steve Plato (VP of the BOD):* saplato5@gmail.com
- *Brian Shumate (Boys Rep of the BOD):* brian.shumate@scotts.com
- *Michelle Hammond (Girls Rep of the BOD):* mhammondcpa@gmail.com
- *James Scheible (non-board member):* jamesscheible@yahoo.com

Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any questions.

Thank you,

The Nominating Committee