



# Rockaway Township Soccer Association <http://www.rtsa.org>



## Minutes of the Meeting for August - 2015 Meeting held on August 26, 2015 At the Municipal Building, Rockaway Township

### ATTENDANCE/ REPRESENTATION

RTSA President: Tom Nolan  
RTSA Vice-President: Jill Wilson  
RTSA Treasurer:  
RTSA Secretary: Shelly Errante  
RTSA Registrar: Jim Haag  
Booster President:  
Booster Vice-President:

Director Soccer Op: Colin Browne  
Director Field Op: Joe McMahon  
Travel Director: Rick Suntag  
Head Coach: Rich Gill  
Head Referee:  
Recreation Director:

Booster Treasurer:  
Booster Secretary:

RV Director: Joe Gajda  
RT Soccer Liason: Doug Brookes

### RTSA TRAVEL Teams Represented

U08B United: Pau Nevich  
U09B Extreme: Diane DeMilia  
U10B Rage: Tom Nolan/C.Browne  
U11B Vipers:  
U12B Warriors: Jason Epstein  
U13B Thistle: Terry Ferguson  
U14B Wolverines: Rich Gill  
U19B Eagles:

U08G:  
U09G Tornadoes: Robyn Bogert  
U10G Crossfire: Kim Brookes  
U11G Herricanes: Janice Carmagnola  
U12G Riptide: Sue Gordimer/Jim Haag/Rick Gordimer  
U13G Revolution:  
U14G Freedom:  
U19G Lady Knights:

### In-Town Directors/Committees

Massie Mundi:  
Communications:

Uniforms:

### General Attendees:

Chris Yombor

*\*\* When you attend a meeting, please make sure you sign in. Always review the information by your name and make corrections or additions where necessary. If you are representing a team or committee, please confirm that it is listed next to your name on the sign in sheet so that proper representation is given in the minutes.*

**Meeting brought to order at 7:38 p.m. by President Tom Nolan**

**Secretary's Report ([secretary@rtsa.org](mailto:secretary@rtsa.org)) – Shelly Errante**

- **Board Members please email me your reports that you read for the monthly meetings. Thank you**
- Motion to approve the minutes from July Meeting: Motion/C Browne Second/T. Ferguson

**Treasurer's Report ([Treasurer@rtsa.org](mailto:Treasurer@rtsa.org)) – Mary Pace**

<b>Balance on hand as of July29, 2015</b>	<b>\$11,412.34</b>
<b>Receivables</b>	<b>\$ 1,978.00</b>
<b>Disbursements</b>	<b>\$ 7,952.00</b>
<b>Balance on hand as of August 26, 2015</b>	<b>\$ 5,438.34</b>

**Travel Coaches: Come get your Ref checks**

**Vice President's Report ([VicePresident@rtsa.org](mailto:VicePresident@rtsa.org)) – Jill Wilson**

- No Report

**Registrar's Report ([Registrar@rtsa.org](mailto:Registrar@rtsa.org)) – Jim Haag**

- Rockaway Valley 5-8 and Rec PreK-4th grade registration is closed, although the requests keep coming
- Valley has all teams built
- Rec -there are not enough coaches for American and International Boys; we cannot move forward without more coaches. PALS could also use more coaches as well
- National boys, National Girls, and International Girls teams are built and will be released to coaches shortly

**Boosters' Report ([Boosters@rtsa.org](mailto:Boosters@rtsa.org)) – POSITION OPEN (Report given via Tom Nolan)**

- Light attendance tonight
- Still need a Boosters President
- Jill Wilson is taking care of getting the raffle tickets
- Picture Day is October 3<sup>rd</sup> & will have Cash & Carry spirit wear
- Need volunteers for all of the above
- Spirit Wear – need to see where we are with inventory

**President's Report ([President@rtsa.org](mailto:President@rtsa.org)) – Tom Nolan**

- Our D.C. will remain Jenny Lee
- Need a Boosters President
- Coaches Meeting will be on September 4<sup>th</sup>
- Season starts September 12<sup>th</sup>
- Golf course opening up for games on Saturdays & Sundays but we can't practice on their. The town does not want permanent structure up so no lights. Need a net along the hills. Their will be large & short sided fields there
- Norway will mostly be practices & late games & make up games

**Travel Director's Report ([TravelDirector@rtsa.org](mailto:TravelDirector@rtsa.org)) – Rick Suntag**

- Schedules are now out
- PCN's need to be scheduled
- Start asking your opponents to move games to during the week
- League Cup for U11, U12 & U13 everyone should register their team

**Director Of Coaching ([DOC@rtsa.org](mailto:DOC@rtsa.org)) – Rich Gill**

- Set to start trainer led practice on August 31<sup>st</sup>
- Have your teams show up 15 minutes prior to practice & please be mindful and respectful of other teams practicing & don't encroach on their time

**Director of Field Operations & Development ([FieldOperations@rtsa.org](mailto:FieldOperations@rtsa.org)) – Joe McMahon**

- No Report

**Head Referee's Report ([HeadReferee@rtsa.org](mailto:HeadReferee@rtsa.org)) – John Olsen**

- No Report

**Director of Soccer Operations' Report ([SoccerOperations@rtsa.org](mailto:SoccerOperations@rtsa.org)) Colin Browne**

- We received a nice donation from Dick's Sporting Goods again this year that was secured by Dave Philhower again
- We received 25 – size 5, 60 – size 4 & 40 – size 3 new practice balls, 50 dozen flat cones, 50 dozen yellow pinnies, 25 dozen whistles w/lanyards, 10 pop-up goals, 20 Mueller Sports medicine first aid kits. We also received a \$500 check, \$500 in Gift cards & 2 boxes of Dicks sports coupons
- I received the final number of teams for Rockaway Valley so I will be trying to set the equipment and-out for this weekend sometime
- I am waiting for final numbers of Rec. & start date so I can put together that equipment
- I will be ordering new games balls & I believe we need some new nets & corner flags

**Rec Director Report: ([recdirector@rtsa.org](mailto:recdirector@rtsa.org)) Anthony Polito**

- Ordering uniforms as soon as teams are set up
- September 4<sup>th</sup> is the coaches meeting
- No trainers the first 3 weeks – may also do a big group clinic on a Saturday
- September 12 is projected start date

**RVSL Director ([RockawayValley@rtsa.org](mailto:RockawayValley@rtsa.org)) Joe Gajda**

- Waiting on Jill to receive the uniforms
- Open House Sept 2 at Parks Lake Sr Ctr 730-9 PM all coaches are requested to attend and assist with uniform distribution and collecting of documents making player passes
- Final RV new coaches meeting Sept 8 Tuesday 630 - 8 PM Mine Hill Sr Ctr 12 Baker St Mine Hill coaches must bring their Rutgers Certification Card
- Rutgers Clinic is Friday 8/28 630 PM must sign up RTSA website / Community Pass
- RV practice begins 9/1 and will be at Peterson Field M T W T F
- Colin is working on a equipment pick up date
- Coordinating the training schedule with Cheshire each team will get 2, 90 minute sessions over 4 weeks starting Sept 12th
- Need to work with Rick and Field Operations to determine fields for RV Games CRUNCH TIME

**Committee Reports**

**Communications / website ([webmaster@rtsa.org](mailto:webmaster@rtsa.org)) – David Gavito**

- No Report

**MVP Program – Rich Gordon**

- No Report

**Uniform Committee & Light Committee- Matt Bianchi**

- New uniforms are being printed today and I hope to have new uniforms by Friday. If I have in hand I will email a meeting time/place to coaches for pickup
- We are waiting on PUMA uniforms. PUMA is not supporting us since we changed vendors. I will check shed to see if we have any that we can use to print

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**Massie Mondri Memorial Scholarship ([MassieMondiScholarship@rtsa.org](mailto:MassieMondiScholarship@rtsa.org)) – Rick Suntag**

- No Report

**Dave Wilson Scholarship – ([Boosters@rtsa.org](mailto:Boosters@rtsa.org))**

- No Report

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**Old Business**

No Old Business

**New Business**

Doug Brookes – Town says they need a roster prior to players playing on Monday

Motion to adjourn – 8:28 PM Joe G – Second/ Jason E