

Meeting:	Lorain County Soccer League
Date:	Tuesday May 4, 2021
Location:	Zoom
In Attendance:	Paul Grabo – President & Scheduler Bryan Chambers – VP – Oberlin Heidi Chamber - Registrar Rachel Rush – LCSL Secretary & Lorain Rep Debbie Radar - Treasurer Jeff Heuring – Amherst Monique Ulrich – Midview Laura Johnson – Elyria Ben Sanborn – Lorain Alyssa Sanborn – Lorain Jen Kazmierczak – Wellington Erica Crawford – Firelands Omar Perez – Lorain Christian Putzier – Lagrange Dennis Palmer – Edison
President:	Paul Grabo
Vice President:	Brian Chambers

Agenda items:

New Business – Reminder **NO** dogs at fields per LCSL rules

President – Paul

COVID-19 -

1. We have had two COVID-19 cases in Lorain. U12 and U9
2. Possible COVID-19 case in Amherst. U7

Jeff's (Amherst) comment – LCSL guidelines are mostly being followed however most communities are doing things differently. Problem with one community. Kind of threw the rule out the window, from the board member. Amherst asks that board members to be respectful.

Midview gentlemen – Stated that the coach did not see a home or away sign, coach moved as soon as signs were notified. The Amherst coach did not move. Referenced the rules

Ultimately, all communities seem to be doing things differently.

Paul – Coaches and communities seem to be having the seating varied. We would like everyone to follow the rules on the website unless the field location does not allow for it.

- **Each community will have a side line to occupy.
- Team and coach will have one-half of their side of the field
- Parents will sit on the other half, they can round the corner, no further than the penalty box line.

Please remind coaches and have coaches notify the parents/guardians so they know what to expect when they arrive to a game.

We recommend using signage for home side and away sides to avoid confusion for visiting teams.

Vice President – Bryan

Spring Classic - Oberlin is leaning toward yes to have the classic. Not definitive. They would like some details of what we will do as COVID-19 precautions.

Brian is hoping to have a decision by Friday. If Oberlin does not commit by Friday May 15, 2021 we will need to explore Lagrange and/or Midview.

1. Pavilion will be restricted to board members and coaches only.

- a. Players and parents are to remain at their community 'home base'
2. Space out game times to allow less congestion
3. Soccer Balls – Buy so each field has 3 to ensure safety and cleanliness.
4. No practice pre game. Walk to field for the game, leave immediately after
 - a. Kids do not bring balls
5. Each community have a location set up by a tent/marker for a 'Home Base'

Lagrange and Midview have offered to host if Oberlin does not allow.

Lagrange could have 2 u7, 2 u8, u9/u10, u11/u12, u15 - hard to make a second u15

Lagrange and Midview could split

Lagrange could do u7, 2 u8, u9/u10 fields

Midview could do u11/u12, u15 fields

Paul motions to order trophies, Rachel second the motion.

Will ask them to wait to engrave the plates until as close as possible.

U7/U8 – Lorain County Soccer League – Spring 2021 Classic – 3''

*Motion passed.

Treasurer – Debbie Radar

Lagrange, Oberlin, Wellington, Elyria, Vermillion, Edison, Midview, Lorain and Firelands team commitments fees received.

Columbia owes team commitments

Amherst has communicated and they are sending theirs.

Edison – Unsure if check is team commitments or player fees as well \$2,071. Dennis will verify should be both

Elyria – Player fees in the mail.

Check totals - \$14,273.00 – Checks will be deposited this week.

Fall fees/balance received \$5,211.00

If you have not paid player and coach fees, mail the check as soon as possible. Count the number of players, coaches and assistant coach and multiple by \$11. Send to Debbie Radar. Address listed on the fees page of the website.

Heidi – Registration – Switching to Demosphere

Fall dates:

Team Commitments - 7/14/21

Player Registration – 7/24/21

First Game – 8/14/21

Classic – 10/9/21

We will be switching over to Demosphere for fall 2021. Heidi needs to secure a contract with Demosphere for set up. OSA has been emailed to inquire. There is a \$5 dollar per team commitment fee. Updated team commitment sheet to reflect this.

We will be rec, not rec plus so our player fees should go down.

Paul said we will look at team commitment prices for fall 2021 in the June meeting.

Paul will have to sign a contract and have an account per Bernie at OSA.

Scheduler – Paul

- Thank you for closing fields timely and by the deadlines!

Secretary – Rachel

- Reminder Coaches – Home team coaches to enter game scores within 24 hours after the end of the game.
*If you have problems with logging in or how to enter scores, contact Paul to help you

Referee Coordinator – Joe

- Hard to find ref. If referee does not show, have two parents do it or two coaches. One from each community, each will ref a half.

Next meeting Tuesday June 8, 2021 8pm at zoom

Motion to adjourn Bryan,. Second by Jen.