

## SVPL Meeting - 8/7/17

Meeting was held at the Liberty Fire Hall.

Meeting was called to order at 7:40pm

Roll Call: All present except Tom Cirafisi (Gallagher's Green) & Kenny Thomas (Phoenixville Moose 2)

Treasurer report: \$3,799.84 currently in the bank.

### Old Business reviewed:

- Elections were held all officers continuing.
- 1 Division was passed, will be implemented for 2017/18.
- After discussion, 11 game format was not proposed.
- Ball-in-Hand was proposed and passed for 2017/18.  
(On a motion by Todd Welch seconded by Mike Dugan the proposal passed with George Donley, Tom Cirafisi, Rich Kling and Pete Picaretta opposing.)

### New Business:

- New Captain – team changes
  - Charles Interrante is taking over for George Donley at the American Legion.
  - Robert Wagner is taking over for Todd Welch at Creekside. Bill Ianozzi is Co-Captain.
  - Jake Austin is taking over from Jimmy Valerio at the Liberty Fire Hall.
  - Lynn Porter will be Co-Captain at Royersford VFW #2.
- There was extensive discussion around the previous move to ball-in-hand rules. Rich Kling made a motion to go back to the previous rules, Jake Austin seconded it. The vote was:
  - To go back: American Legion, Gallagher's Gold, Italian Club #1, Liberty FC, Royersford VFW #1, Royersford VFW #2 (6 votes)
  - To stay with Ball-in-hand: Creekside, Holy Trinity, Italian Club #2, Phoenixville Moose #1, St. Gabes Lodge #1, St. Gabes Lodge #2 (6 votes)
  - Calls were made by Jake Austin to Tom Cirafisi (Gallagher's Green) and Kenny Thomas (Phoenixville Moose 2) who voted to go back to the old rules, however our bylaws do not allow proxy votes or phone conference voting)
  - Discussion continued on this topic for some time.
- There was again complaint about the length of time matches take, but no methods to resolve this problem were proposed.
- Team number random draw will be handled by the Secretary.
- At this point Secretary Joe Sherwood needed to leave for another commitment.

Clara Neizer motioned to adjourn the meeting. Meeting adjourned.

Minutes taken by Joe Sherwood & Jeff Kolb