



PACIFIC COAST FIELD LACROSSE LEAGUE

November 3rd, 2020

Meeting Minutes – Women's

Attendees:

Roger Terhune – Chair	Burnaby – Brad Romano
Kelly Scott – 1 st Chair	Chilliwack – Brieanne Causton
Stacy Paterson – 2 nd Chair/U19 Commissioner	Langley – Gerald Wartek
Lynda Callard – Treasurer/Registrar	New West – Julie Edgar
Angie Wolfe – Secretary	Port Coquitlam – Kristen Sheidow
Angie Reid – Head Umpire	Ridge Meadows – Dave Samson
Karen Hertslet – U15 Commissioner	Surrey – Ian Tyerman
Adanacs – Dennis Santucci	

Absentees:

Trish Keizer – Past Chair	Stacy Hemmerling – U12 Commissioner
Ceayon Johnston – U8 Commissioner	Mission

Call to Order: 6:04pm

Acceptance of the October 6th minutes:

- Motion to accept: Kelly Scott
- Seconded by: Stacy Paterson

Reports:

Chair:

- BCLA Update
 - Provincials have officially been cancelled as of last Friday
- Field Directorate
 - Dirk Rachfall has stepped down as FD Chair and Beth McLucas has taken over
 - One vacant spot not on the FD board, will hear later of what will happen with that vacancy
- Coaches/Contact Tracing
 - Only 4 non-playing personnel are allowed in the coach's walk
 - Trainers must be properly certified and listed on form 100W
 - Equipment managers must be listed on the form 100W
 - Neither trainers nor equipment managers cannot coach players
 - Only certified coaches allowed in the coach's walk
 - Injured players who are attending the game should not be in the coach's walk. They should remain in the bench area only
 - All infractions are to be reported to the Coaching Group for further action
 - No parents are allowed on the field period
 - Each player must be responsible for bringing their own spare stick
 - **Any person** who steps on the field must be listed on the contact tracing form and are included in the maximum 50 person total. This includes commissioners, head umpire, division managers, field step up personnel, etc
 - Contact tracing form is available on the PCFLL website
 - Every person that enters the field must be listed on the scoresheet

- We are using scoresheets as contact tracing forms
- Complete contact tracing forms for each team must be at the field for games

1st Vice chair

- Communication is not trickling down. Information like no sharing equipment, people on the field etc is not making it to the teams/coaches. More and more people who have no idea about the things that are discussed at the meetings. Coaches don't know all the rules that should have been relayed.

2nd Vice chair:

- U19 division is going fairly well
 - Request from the Langley/Surrey team to play some games at the Surrey field due the spectator restrictions in Langley. Looking at using some available Sunday night times
 - Surrey mentions no lines painted for women's field at Newton Athletic

Secretary

- Nothing to report

Treasurer/Registrar

- Cheques have been deposited yesterday
- Balance of PCFLL fees will be invoices mid November once team numbers have been received from BCLA

Head Umpire:

- Central allocation working pretty well. Assignments have been out by Wednesdays
- Small issues with finding umps for games in Mission
- Having to remind umpires to make sure they slow the game down after a goal and allow for changes

Club Reports:

Adanacs:

- Clarification: Are we only allowed to have one stick on the field?
 - They are allowed to have a spare stick but it is up the individual municipalities if bags are allowed on the field

Burnaby:

- Nothing to report

Chilliwack:

- Nothing to report

Langley:

- U12 and U15 asking when cohorts will be mixed up
 - After the Christmas break, cohorts may be changed depending on commissioner recommendation

Mission:

- Absent

New Westminster:

- Nothing to report

Port Coquitlam:

- Nothing to report

Ridge Meadows:

- Are teams to switch sides?
 - Part of the women's rules is not to switch sides
 - Umpire discretion to switch sides if there is a clear advantage for one side of the field (ie sun)
- Will there be an action item for each commissioner following up on the contact tracing forms?
 - Form is on the PCFLL website, teams are responsible for themselves

- Would like to see province wide rules regarding how many people are allowed at the field
 - Langley soccer allowing unlimited spectators then lacrosse allows none. Causes parent frustration
 - Some sports are ignoring the 50 person maximum

Surrey:

- Nothing to report

New Business:

- Should coaches have to wear a mask on the field?
 - Some coaches wearing them, some aren't. What is the consensus?
 - Not mandated by RTP or Provincial Health
 - Huddles are happening without proper distancing
 - As a group we could propose the use of masks
 - Could get into a municipality where this becomes an issue
 - Perhaps we send it out as a recommendation that if you cannot maintain your 6' distance, please use a mask
- Communications
 - Very beneficial for the home team to communicate to the visiting team all the field/spectator rules prior to the game
 - Opens communication for sharing on contact tracing forms prior to the game
- Email sent to Secretary asking if PCFLL will have a written policy regarding procedures on how to handle COVID exposures and how it should be reported to the league
 - Some teams found out about the Chilliwack COVID exposure through an Instagram post before commissioners had alerted effected teams
 - If an association is faced with this, could we have a policy that an email goes to Roger, Kelly and Jeff Gobar immediately to alert PCFLL and BCLA.
 - Roger spoke to Jeff today and they are suggesting that Chilliwack be removed from the schedule for 14 days
 - Angie W to review the schedule for this weekend and try to replace Chilliwack with any Bye teams
- There is a new U12 commissioner that is slowly being vetted. Dirk's departure may cause slight delay. Stacy P will take over U12 commissioner duties to fill the gap.

Adjournment: 6:43pm

- Motion to adjourn: Kelly Scott
- Seconded by: Angie Reid

Next meeting scheduled for: Tuesday, December 1st at 6:00pm via Zoom