

August 6, 2020 Meeting Minutes
Meeting Started 8:00

Attendees:

Elmwood Park	Harrison
Hasbrouck Heights	Lyndhurst
Manchester	North Arlington
New Milford	Rutherford
Saddle Brook	Secaucus
Woodridge	W.E.R.C

Rollcall: Everyone present

Treasurer report: \$4,282.51 (Harrison still owes \$20).
Website: Pete will upload new protocols once completed.
Old Business: Old Minutes from July 9 read by Dan VP and accepted

New Business:

League Reps and coaches have been updated and handed out to all league reps

Rich Lynch from Fundraising Associates presented his company to all.
EP gave info on East Coast Designs for Coaches masks : www.ecdu.net

2020 MFL bylaws no issues & EP will begin MM bylaws process.

2020 Season Start Date Sept 1 practice & Oct 3 games with no delays. Harrison & EP might need to move home games depending on Board of Ed in each town not allowing outside games on field.

WERC still owes a scale for Secaucus – Doug will look into.
Harrison will bring \$20 fee to next meeting.
Lynd & NA have not received ZebraWeb login email – MP will request again for both.

Protocols were discussed & agreed by all (attached/below). Daily and mandatory form for all Players & Coaches has been finalized (attached/below).

Next meeting to reassess will be Wed 8/19 8:00 in Rutherford.

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2020 Season Mandatory Protocols For All MFL Programs

- Filling out MFL pre-screening form daily for every player & coach
- Adult supervised washing of hands before/after every practice & game with soap.
- Wipe down of equipment before/after every practice and game.
- Players bring their own labeled water bottles, no sharing. No water jugs or program supplied bottles, unless in emergency.
- No hand shaking after scrimmages/games. Mandatory sportsmanship "Acknowledgment Walk" 5 yards apart.
- Helmet shields are optional, must be clear if worn.
- Masks must be worn by Coaches at all times. They may be removed in necessary situations but must be put back on immediately after.
- All Fans should be 6' foot apart
- Officials & Crews handling chains/sticks need masks.
- Scrimmages must be with MFL teams only.
- At the conclusion of every game, a (15) minute running clock will be used to clear field between levels. All levels need to be separated at all times (practice & games).
- Weigh ins will be outside, spread out & parents will be kept at a safe distance away from event (depending on weather).
- Any program with a positive infection needs to email MFL Board immediately. All Players & Coaches in contact from that level will need proof of a negative test prior to resuming any MFL activity.
- Any program not following protocols will be brought in front of the MFL Board and face possible penalties: 1st offense could result in a warning & \$100 fine, a 2nd offense could result in a one game suspension & \$500 fine and a third being elimination from league with fine.



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COVID-19 Daily Pre-screening Questions

Name of Participant _____ Date: _____

Are you experiencing the following symptoms?

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| 1. Fever (>100.4 F) | Yes | No |
| 2. Cough or shortness of breath | Yes | No |
| 3. Sore throat | Yes | No |
| 4. Chills | Yes | No |
| 5. Muscle aches or rigors | Yes | No |
| 6. Headache | Yes | No |
| 7. New loss of taste or smell | Yes | No |
| 8. Abdominal pain, nausea, vomiting or diarrhea | Yes | No |

Have you had close contact with someone who is currently sick? Yes No

Have you been diagnosed with COVID-19 in the past three weeks or have reason to believe you have COVID-19? Yes No

Have you traveled or had close contact with anyone who has traveled internationally or outside the tri-state area? Yes No

Signature _____