

Agenda:

- Merger Updates
- Election Nominations
- Review of the March DOC Meeting
- Preview of the DoC Schedule Meeting
- League Options (FWRL and Cascadia League)
- League Crossover with BC Premier
- Select options for Regional Clubs
- Select Subcommittee proposal and activities

Action Items:

- Three Rivers and Yakima functioning, needs coaching development support and Association support (Association mergers YYSAs, LYVYSA, T-CYSA); Harbor and WestSound merger pending restart after tryouts.
- Todd Johnson has accepted the nomination for a second term, will be put to vote to the RC Presidents. Tom Bialek and James Charette have been nominated to replace the seat occupied by Sean Bushey. Both seats will go up for vote on a 2 year term July 8th. Rob Walker and Bernie James are in the last year of their re-elected seat. Scott Newman, Parker Mason, Jeff Harper, and Dale Holdren are in the second year of their 3 year term.
- HPFC team counts and review from Panel overdue, will post early next week
- RCL Rules Review and Rewrite – several rules that were in place are outdated in the new environment. A review of the rules in our next meeting has been asked for and rules will be submitted to each subcommittee member for review.
 - Specific Rule change: roster size for 6v6 to 9v9 format change must be at least 12 players.
 - Specific Ask: a Cup format for U10 6v6 so that fewer teams ‘convert’ out of 6v6 at U10 Spring.
 - Specific Policy change: Calendar Call for First Division teams to confirm changes to scheduled dates in a group setting (first week in August).
- The State office has followed up on all bullet points established with the DoC group in March. Specifically - the Cup format and cost index has been addressed; the relationship with the Sounders and EPD has been revised back to ODP with fewer events and a lower cost enabled by Regional Club participation; roster sizes of the Sounders Pre-Academy teams have been reduced.
- The DoC Scheduling meeting will work on U8-U10 specific solutions for clubs that desire a better Academy experience for their players. Teams will be placed from U10-U12, and all older brackets will be revisited from the initial placement in March with any additions or subtractions.
- Washington Timbers needs to submit a proposal to the RCS for team placement AFTER the last authorized placement age of U12.
- FWRL-North Division has launched for 2013-14 in a Champions League format, invitations are going out this week. Almost all matches are on Washington fields. Cascadia Invitational

League is a formalized league structure for the Sounders/Timbers/Whitecap Pre-Academy age teams that is launching this fall.

- A one weekend Championship between the BC Premier League Champions at U13-U16 and Washington Youth Soccer RCL Champions has been set for December 14-15, 2013. This is a prelude to the BCPL linking to the FWRL for automatic bids in 2014-15.
- Regional Clubs should have either a) a strong relationship with a group of select clubs in their Association or b) their own select level program established as a part of their club structure. Most select-Regional issues currently relate to Association specific issues that are varied in history and market dynamics. No one solution fits all, but all relationships need improving to varying degrees. Lake Washington YSA and Tacoma Pierce County YSA are two primary concerns after the Spokane marketplace is resolved.
- The RCS would like Tom, Todd, and Rob Walker to work on a questionnaire for 501c3 inventory of the Regional clubs in Washington Youth Soccer, specific to fields and resources.
- The Select Subcommittee proposal sets the groundwork for robust, like level leagues of select play that reinforces the development structure of WA Youth Soccer. These are being designed as safe landing points for select programming in conjunction with Regional Clubs. Teams are being committed to these levels of play to reduce travel and time commitment issues with lower tier Regional Club League divisions.