

## BOERNE SOCCER CLUB ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING (AGM)

## May 24, 2021

The meeting was called to order by Russell Burkey at 7:00 PM (Remote meeting)

## In attendance:

Russell Burkey, Joel Murphy, Brian Weltens, Jason McClain, Erik Holt, Wayne Bartlett, Jarred Harriott, Alex Gill, Samantha Griffiths, Phil Anderson, Ryan Bjelland, Cailee Morgan, Mike Erwin, Audra Duran, Renee Munn, Nadine Misola, Emily Simmons, Megan Kokemor, John Anderson, Steven Hahn, Amy Temple, Margie Shawver, Amanda Avendano, Anibel Diogenes, Matt Miller, Kara Walters

Agenda:

* Role Call and Vote Accreditation
> Establish Quorum - 18 voting members at meeting, quorum reached
* Welcome and Introduction


## * Reports

> Club Operations
$>$ Director of Coaching
> President
> Treasurer

* Amendments to By-Laws
* Board Member Election
$>$ Overview of Election Process
$>$ Candidates Speak (5-minute limit per candidate)
$>$ Q\&A
$>$ Vote
* Open Forum (5-minute limit per member)


## * Adjournment

## Amendments to By-Laws:

- Proposed Amendment \#1: Add AGM vote for club staff.
- Amendment Passed (18-Yes / 0 - No)
- Proposed Amendment \#2: Add AGM voting through electronic means.
- Amendment Passed (18-Yes / $0-$ No)
- Proposed Amendment \#3: Clarify, generalize administrative staff employed by the club.
- Amendment Passed (18-Yes / 0-No)


## Board Member Elections:

Candidates for Board Members:
Nathan Bowen
Steven Hahn
Jason McClain
Renee Munn

- Elected: Nathan Bowen, Jason McClain, Renee Munn

Board positions selected by board members:

- Russell Burkey - President
- Joel Murphy - Vice President
- Jason McClain - Treasurer
- Erik Holt - Secretary
- Nathan Bowen - Board Member
- Renee Munn - Board Member

Boerne Soccer Club (BSC) Annual General Meeting (AGM)

## Welcome members!

Monday, May 24, 2021
7:00 pm, Remote Meeting

## 2021 AGM Agenda

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## Roll Call and Vote Accreditation

$>$ Roll Call, Vote Accreditation
>Establish Quorum

- 12 voting members required for AGM


## Board Members

| Start of Fall 2020/Spring 2021 Soccer Year | Term Ending |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| President | Russell Burkey | June 1, 2021 |
| Vice President | Joel Murphy | June 1, 2022 |
| Treasurer | Jason McClain | June 1, 2021 |
| Secretary | Brian Weltens | June 1, 2021 |
| Board Member | [vacant] | June 1, 2022 |
| Board Member | Erik Holt |  |

Status prior to 2021 AGM

| Start of Fall 2021/Spring 2022 Soccer Year <br> (To Be Effective June 1, 2021) | Term Ending |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| President | Russell Burkey* | June 1, 2023 |
| Vice President | Joel Murphy | June 1, 2022 |
| Treasurer | To be Filled by Board Member <br> Elected at 2021 AGM | June 1, 2023 |
| Secretary | To be Filled by Board Member <br> Elected at 2021 AGM | June 1, 2023 |
| Board Member | To be Filled by Board Member <br> Elected at 2021 AGM | June 1, 2022 |
| Board Member | Erik Holt | June 1, 2022 |

2021/2022


* Re-elected at 4/5/21 BOD meeting per By-law 7.6.1



## Reports

* Club Operations
* Director of Coaching
* President
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## Reports

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## Report: Club Operations

## * Registration report

| pOrt | Number of Players |  |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Recreational | Academy | Select | Total |
| Fall 2012 | 409 | 98 | 202 | 709 |
| Spring 2013 | 354 | 115 | 224 | 693 |
| Fall 2013 | 413 | 96 | 220 | 729 |
| Spring 2014 | 354 | 111 | 270 | 735 |
| Fall 2014 | 559 | 101 | 241 | 901 |
| Spring 2015 | 533 | 102 | 202 | 837 |
| Fall 2015 | 625 | 94 | 230 | 949 |
| Spring 2016 | 637 | 111 | 223 | 971 |
| Fall 2016 | 668 | 82 | 258 | 1008 |
| Spring 2017 | 731 | 81 | 266 | 1078 |
| Fall 2017 | 730 | 52 | 209 | 991 |
| Spring 2018 | 759 | 62 | 209 | 1030 |
| Fall 2018 | 692 | 92 | 229 | 1013 |
| Spring 2019 | 780 | 108 | 242 | 1130 |
| Fall 2019 | 737 | 94 | 256 | 1087 |
| Spring 2020 | 732 | 103 | 257 | 1092 |
| Fall 2020 | 557 | 57 | 263 | 877 |
| Spring 2021 | 786 | 83 | 264 | 1133 |

* Recreational numbers include "Tots"
* Spring 2020 number of players prior to COVID-19 shutdown
* ~25\% reduction in participation in the first return-to-play season, Fall 2020
* Spring 2021 back to 100\% participation; A record number of players for BSC!



## Report: Club Operations


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## Reports

* Operations
* Director of Coaching
* President
* Treasurer

Report: Director of Coaching



## Reports

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## Report: President

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## BOERNE SOCCER CLUB IS COMMITTED TO

 PLAYERS REACHING THEIR FULL POTENTIAL BY FOCUSING ON THE PROCESS OF DEVELOPMENT, QUALITY COACHING AND LEADERSHIP, TO CREATE A LIFELONG LOVE OF THE GAME.
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OUR CORE VALUES OF POSITIVITY, LOYALTY AND HONESTY IMPACT UPON EVERY DECISION AT THE CLUB, IN OUR COMMITMENT TO EVERY PLAYER, FAMILY AND TO OUR COMMUNITY.



## Reports

* Operations
* Director of Coaching
* President
*Treasurer



## Report: Treasurer

* Financial strength and high player participation has allowed club to recover from COVID-19 shutdown in Spring 2020 within the Fall 2020/Spring 2021 soccer year.
$>$ Continued to meet all formal requests for financial aid
$>$ Thanks to our sponsors for playing a big roll
* 2021-2022 projected to be strong financially
$>$ Maintain a strong reserve balance for future growth
$>$ Fee structure with $\sim 3 \%$ increase in player fees (most programs)
$>$ Continue investment in coaching staff, coach education, and administrative staff

NOTE: Full financial numbers are available for review by members before and during board meetings.


## Amendments to By-Laws

Process to Revise By-laws (13.1 By-Laws, Amendments):
> Can be made at AGM, Special General Meeting, Regular BOD Meeting
> Requires $2 / 3$ majority of a quorum
$>$ Voting members given at least 7 day's notice.

- Proposed revisions posted to AGM website 5/14/21
$>$ Voters to have opportunity to seek clarification.
> Revisions must include effective date.
* Bylaw Revisions Proposed at 2021 AGM:
> Amendment \#1: Add AGM vote for club staff.
$>$ Amendment \#2: Add AGM voting through electronic means.
> Amendment \#3: Clarify, generalize administrative staff employed by the club.
$>$ The Board of Directors recommends adoption of all 3 proposed amendments.



## Amendments to By-Laws

Proposed By-Law Amendment \#1
Current:
5.5.2. Annual General Meeting: All elected officers and all coaches may vote. The Annual General Meeting is to be held before the end of the current soccer year, which runs from June $1^{\text {st }}$ through May $31^{\text {st }}$ of any given year.
5.5.3. Board of Directors Meetings: All elected officers may vote. Coaches may not vote at Board of Director meetings.

Proposed:
5.5.2. Annual General Meeting: All elected officers, and all coaches, and all club staff may vote. The Annual General Meeting is to be held before the end of the current soccer year, which runs from June $1^{\text {st }}$ through May $31^{\text {st }}$ of any given year.
5.5.3. Board of Directors Meetings: All elected officers may vote. Coaches and staff may not vote at Board of Director meetings.

Justification:
In keeping with the voting ability of club coaches, the revision will provide the club staff the opportunity to vote in the Board of Directors elections and by-laws amendments votes held at the AGM, but not at regular Board of Director meetings.

Effective Date: 5/24/2021


## Amendments to By-Laws

Proposed By-Law Amendment \#2
Current:
5.6.6.4 Voting for officers shall be by paper ballot and shall protect the privacy of the voter.
5.6.6.5. All paper ballots shall be destroyed once the election results are deemed official.

Proposed:
5.6.6.4. Voting for officers shall be by paper ballot or by electronic means and shall protect the privacy of the voter.
5.6.6.5. All paper ballots shall be destroyed and electronic records of votes shall be deleted once the election results are deemed official.

Justification:
The proposed revision will add the option to complete the voting by electronic means, which is required for virtual AGMs, while maintaining provisions to protect voter privacy.

Effective Date: 5/24/2021

## Amendments to By-Laws

Proposed By-Law Amendment \#3
Current:

## 9. ADMINISTRATIVE

It is acceptable to hire a Director of Administration and a Registrar to manage and oversee the daily administrative operations of BSC. He/she can be paid for his/her services the amount to be determined by the Board of Directors by a two-thirds majority vote. Both of these individuals will receive an IRS W-2.
13.1. BY-LAWS: Any proposals or motions to amend the By-Laws must be made in writing to the Director for Administration. Amendments to these By-Laws may be made at the Annual General Meeting, at a Special General Meeting, or a Regular Board of Directors meeting by $2 / 3$ majority of a quorum. Eligible voting members must be given at least 7 days notice. Prior to voting, members shall be afforded the opportunity (at the meeting or before) to seek/gain clarification of the rationale behind the proposed changes. Amendments shall include an effective date.

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Justification:
The revision clarifies the flexibility of the club, under the direction of the Board of Directors, to employ administrative staff as warranted given the operational needs of the club.


## Amendments to By-Laws

* Discussion, Clarification
> The Board of Directors recommends adopting the 3 proposed amendments.
* By-law Amendment Vote
$>$ Amendment \#1: Add AGM vote for club staff.
> Amendment \#2: Add AGM voting through electronic means.
$>$ Amendment \#3: Clarify, generalize administrative staff employed by the club.
* By-law Amendment Vote Result
$>$ All amendments were adopted



## 2021 AGM - Election Process Overview

* Process
> Overview of Election Process
> Candidates Speak ( 5 minute limit per candidate)
> Q\&A
> Vote
> Vote Review
> Announcement



## The Process to Elect a Board Member (By-law Reference)

## * The Board Members

> Include: President, Vice President (President Elect), Treasurer, Secretary, Board Member at Large (7.1)

- 7.1, 8.2.4 allows for additional board members
- A second Board Member position added at 8/10/20 BOD meeting
$>$ Serve two year terms (7.2), Limited to 4 terms (7.2.2)
$>$ Terms staggered such that about half of board positions come up for election each year (7.2)
- Treasurer, Secretary, Board Member to be elected at 2021 AGM
$>$ VP is president elect and assumes role of President after President term ends (7.2.1)
$>$ VP vacancy filled from within board, based on simple majority vote of board (7.6.2)
$>$ The board will vote on actual positions for new members internally following the conclusion of the Annual General Meeting (7.3).



## The Process to Elect a Board Member (By-law Reference)

* The General Voting Guidelines
$>$ Directed by VP (5.6.5)
$>$ Votes counted by 3 appointed tellers (5.6.5)
> Paper ballots used (to protect privacy) (5.6.6.4); ballots destroyed post-election (5.6.6.5)
- Paper ballots not possible for remote meeting.

Google form to be used for voting at 2021 AGM.
$>$ Proxy voting allowed (5.5.1); No absentee voting (5.6.9)
$>$ Majority rules (5.6.7)
$>$ Occurs at AGM (7.3)
$>$ Quorum for AGM needed = 12 members (6.4.1)

## The Process to Elect a Board Member (By-law Reference)

* The Voters (based on Fall 2020, Spring 2021 soccer year)
> All Elected Officers (P, VP, T, O, BM) (5.5.2)
$>$ All coaches (5.5.2)
> Team Representative (one per team)
- Coach or Assistant Coach of Rec Team (5.6.1)
- Team Manager of Academy Team (5.6.1)
- Team Manager of Select Team (5.6.1)
$>$ Not every individual member (5.6.4)
* One vote per person regardless of number of voting positions held $(5.5,5.6 .3)$


## The Process to Elect a Board Member (By-law Reference)

## * The Candidates

$>$ Call for candidates 30 days before election to all members via e-mail (5.6.6.1)
$>$ DOC or designee present board a list of qualified candidates for offices (7.5)
$>$ Candidates sign "consent to serve form" (application) (5.6.6.3)
$>$ Candidates list provided to members 14 days before voting (5.6.6.3; 7.5)
$>$ No nominations from the floor or write-ins at AGM (5.6.6.3)
$>$ Candidates given opportunity to speak to, be questioned by members before voting (5.6.6.2)


## 2021 AGM - Board Member Candidates

* Candidates for Board Members:

Nathan Bowen<br>Steven Hahn<br>Jason McClain<br>Renee Munn



## The Vote!

* Candidates Speak (5 minute limit per candidate)
* Q\&A
* Vote
* Vote Review
* Announcement of Vote Result



## The Vote Results

Meet your new 2021/2022 Boerne Soccer Club Board of Directors
Russell Burkey - President
Joel Murphy - Vice President
Jason McClain - Treasurer
Erik Holt - Secretary
Nathan Bowen - Board Member
Renee Munn - Board Member


## Open Forum

* Maximum of 5 minutes per member



## Adjourn

*Thank you for attending!!!

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Thank you for attending and being a member of BSC!!

