# General Meeting: Spring 2021

21 March 2021 / 7:00PM / Virtual, Zoom

1.	. Call to Order & Community Check-In:					
	$\checkmark$	Amherst	$\checkmark$	Hudson		Parma Heights
	$\checkmark$	Ashland	$\checkmark$	Independence	$\checkmark$	Perry (Lake)
	$\checkmark$	Aurora	$\checkmark$	Jackson	$\checkmark$	Perry (Stark)
		Austintown	$\checkmark$	Kenston		Revere
		Avon		Kent	$\checkmark$	Riverside
	$\checkmark$	Avon Lake	$\checkmark$	LaGrange		Rocky River
		Bay Village	$\checkmark$	Lakewood	$\checkmark$	S Euclid/Lyndhurst
		Brecksville Bees		Lorain	$\checkmark$	Sandusky
	$\checkmark$	Broadview Heights		Louisville	$\checkmark$	Shaker Heights
		Brooklyn	$\checkmark$	Madison		Sheffield
	$\checkmark$	Brunswick		Manchester		Solon Lightning
	$\checkmark$	Buckeye	$\checkmark$	Mansfield	$\checkmark$	Solon Soccer Club
		Canfield		Mantua	$\checkmark$	Stow
		Chagrin Falls	$\checkmark$	Mayfield		Stow HF School
		Cleveland	$\checkmark$	Medina		Streetsboro
		Cloverleaf		Mentor	$\checkmark$	Strongsville
	$\checkmark$	Copley		Middleburg Hts		Tallmadge
	$\checkmark$	Cuyahoga Falls		Midview	$\checkmark$	Tri-City
		Cuyahoga Heights		NCSC	$\checkmark$	Twinsburg
		Eastlake	$\checkmark$	Nordonia		Vermillion
	$\checkmark$	Eastside Kickers		North Hill	$\checkmark$	Wadsworth
		Edison YSSL		North Olmsted	$\checkmark$	WASA
		Elyria	$\checkmark$	North Ridgeville		Wellington
	$\checkmark$	Euclid	$\checkmark$	North Royalton	$\checkmark$	West Geauga
	$\checkmark$	Fairview Park		Norton		West Park
		Field	$\checkmark$	Norwalk HCYSC		Westlake
		Firelands		Oberlin		Wickliffe
	$\checkmark$	Geauga Fed SC	$\checkmark$	Olmsted Falls	$\checkmark$	Willoughby
	$\checkmark$	Geneva	$\checkmark$	Orange	$\checkmark$	Wooster
	$\checkmark$	Green		Orwell		
	$\checkmark$	Highland	$\checkmark$	Parma		

#### 2. Treasurer Report

- February Financials
- O No team fee increases for 2021

#### **3. Spring Season -** COVID Impacts:

O Expectations are for a return to normal spring season, pending any new/updated state guidelines

- Passcards will be required for all players/coaches
- o If communities have specific requirements, they will be responsible for sharing with opposing teams prior to game dates

#### 4. Administration:

- o Game Scheduling/Rescheduling:
  - The game change system will be utilized for mid-season rescheduling, the 7 day game change policy will still be in effect (both teams must agree and have approved the reschedule 7 day prior to the current game date).
  - Stack home games for referees
- Referee fees are increasing for spring:
  - $\blacksquare$  7v7 = \$35 (was \$30)
  - 9v9 = \$40 (was \$36)
  - 11v11 (1 man) = \$50 (was \$42) or 11v11 (3 man) = \$45, \$25, \$25 (\$40, \$22 & \$22)
- General Reminders:
  - Jersey policy: if a conflict the home team needs to change/wear pinnies
  - Guest player policy: <u>Link to OHTSL Rules of Play see page 2</u>
  - Entering game scores 24 hours post game
  - New teams/players for spring contact <u>admin@ohtsl.com</u> for instructions (team must be setup under OHTSL and team approved before requesting player passes)
- O <u>Community Maintenance:</u> Adding contacts Community Rep, Coaches, Managers
- O Neutral site game policy:
  - D3-D5 teams who play an opponent with a game location that is longer than the length of the game (50-60-70 min) can be rescheduled for a neutral site location.
  - Process/Steps: see page 2 of <u>Game Scheduling Information</u>
- New registration system for fall 2021: US Club is leaving Sports Engine and moving to GotSports

#### 5. All-Star Game, OHTSL Travel Cup & Waivers:

- Online agreement/submission of waivers for each community due: 4/11/21
  - Concussion in Sports
  - Lindsay's Law
- All Star Game OHTSL would not be holding an All-Star Game for 2021 based on limited availability of location options. However, OHTSL will ask communities to nominate players to receive a certificate, plaque and recognition on the OHTSL website.
- o Fall OHTSL Travel Cup: 10/2 10/3
- Recreation Registration: for information contact <a href="mailto:events@ohtsl.com">events@ohtsl.com</a>

#### 6. Coaches Education:

- US Club Grassroots Coaching Courses <u>Upcoming courses</u>
- Opportunities/Clinics

### 7. Referee/Ref Assigning:

- o <u>Discipline Guidelines</u>
- Absent referee policy:
  - One carded coach from each team serves as the referee for half of game, if both teams do
    not have multiple coaches then the team with multiple coaches can have a coach ref the
    entire game if both teams agree
  - A spectator who is Concussion and Lindsay Law certified may referee if both teams agree
  - Community reps should notify: noref@ohtsl.com
- Referee Assignor Updates: community reps will be notified 36 hours prior to game if a referee has not been assigned to a game.

O New Referee Mentoring Program: contact <u>ref.admin@ohtsl.com</u> for further information

## 8. General Discussion Topics:

- O Merger of Ohio North and Ohio South = Ohio Soccer Association (OSA)
- o New OHTSL Membership Policy (effective fall 2021)

## 9. Call to Adjournment: