

Lakeland District Soccer Association

Fall Planning Meeting Minutes Microsoft Teams – Virtual Sunday August 24, 2025 @ 7:30pm

1. Call to order: 7:30 pm

2. Roll Call:

LDSA:

Josh Phillips: LDSA President Julie Robichaud: LDSA 1st VP

Glenda Bouvier: LDSA 2nd VP, LLB President - Absent Dora Robinson: LDSA Secretary, STP President

Melissa Foglietta: LDSA Exec. Dir.

Bonnyville: Curtis Conrad – Vice President

Cold Lake: Josh Correia – Vice President/Technical Director, Ian Dutka Executive Director, Renato Duarte President

Elk Point: absent Hardisty: absent Kitscoty: absent

Lac La Biche: Bobbi Grant - LLB Treasurer

St. Paul: Dora Robinson – President, Angele Morrison – Vice President

Sedgewick (Lynx): Absent

Vegreville: Al Borhson - President, Shelley Berry, Registrar and Communications Director

Vermilion: Pam Cannan – Treasurer

3. Approval of Agenda: Vegreville motions to approve, Bonnyville seconds, motion carried.

4. Review of Previous Minutes: Vermilion motions to approve, Vegreville seconds, motion carried.

5. <u>Unfinished Ongoing Business:</u>

- a. Referee Update outdoor summary & indoor courses
 - b. Had enough refs in outdoor, LLB was a bit short. Joe and Real did a handful of courses.
 - c. Planning to run one refresher and one conversion course for indoor.
 - d. Email Josh to advise if any individuals wanting to take a course and we can arrange.
- e. Coach Training
 - f. Will not be running courses early in the season but will try before Lakeland Cup or Provincials
 - g. Email Melissa if you have a coach that needs courses

6. New Business

a. Player Registration & proposed due dates:

INDOOR 2025-26			
Lakeland League Declarations	October 15, 2025		
Community Registrations	November 25, 2025		
Community Registration Fees	December 1, 2025		



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Lakeland Cup Declarations January 9, 2026

Lakeland Cup Roster Submissions February 13, 2026 (7 days prior to tournament)

Lakeland Cup Tournament February 20-22, 2026
Provincial Hosting Declarations December 5, 2025

Provincial Team Declarations:

Youth Tier IV January 9, 2026
Youth Tier II-III January 9, 2026
Senior January 9, 2026¹

Provincial Roster Deadlines:

Youth Tier II-IV March 4, 2026 (10 days prior to tournament)

Senior March 11, 2026

Provincial Tournament Dates:

Youth Tier II-IV March 13-15, 2026 Senior March 20-22, 2026

b. U11 Indoor League Play – will work games into league weekend where possible.

c. Some will be after Lakeland Cup and Provincials

- d. Indoor League Play required info:
 - i. Number of teams in each age group/gender
 - ii. All blackout dates for each team.
 - Polar Cup, FC Memorial Challenge, and Slush Cup, and long weekends are automatic blackout dates.

- e. League Play Dates Booked:
 - Not all teams will play every weekend booked.
 - Cold Lake advises they will not have an adult team for league play.

Date	Game Type	Location
November 2, 2025	League – Youth	Cold Lake Energy Centre
November 15-16, 2025	League – Youth & Adult	Bonnyville Centennial Centre
December 6-7, 2025	League – Youth	Lac La Biche BOLD Centre
January 4, 2026	League - Adult	Cold Lake Energy Centre
January 10-11, 2026	League – Youth	Cold Lake Energy Centre
February 1, 2026	League – Adult	Bonnyville Centennial Centre
February 7-8, 2026	League – Youth	Bonnyville Centennial Centre
February 20-22, 2026	Lakeland Cup	Bonnyville C2 / or Lac La Biche BOLD Centre
March 7-8, 2026	League - U11 & Adult	Cold Lake Energy Centre



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March 28-29, 2026	League – Adult	Bonnyville Centennial Centre
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- f. Lakeland Cup:
 - i. Who would like to Host? (booked in both Bonnyville and Lac La Biche)
 - Bonnyville will need a week to discuss to advise if they will be able to host Lakeland Cup, LLB issues with getting enough volunteers to host and that would be a problem for them.
- g. Financial statements and spending projections will be complete for the AGM.
- h. Lakeland Bylaws update
 - i. No nominations submitted for the Bylaw Review Committee; the LDSA Exec have been working through amendments to present.
 - ii. Hoping that they will be out between the 15 and 20th of September.
- i. Lakeland FC update and discussion.
 - j. Discussions about continuing on with the indoor season
 - k. Executive discussed some scenarios offering for u15 boys and girls
 - I. Two possibilities:
 - Join the EMSA league
 - Go to tournaments that the other teams do not go to and do not interfere with league play
 - No Tier 3 provincials will be played
 - m. Vegreville thinking tournament would be better due to overlap with league play
 - i. What if another community doesn't have a tier 4 team but has players that want to play with
 - ii. Would need to be registered in Tier 4 first
 - n. Cold Lake Practices will need to be figured out with lack of time
 - o. Thinking of practices possibly on league weekends at the end
 - p. BV league play would run the smoothest, EMSA plans and manages the games, they were accommodating for the rural teams it worked great for the year that it was done
 - i. Proposal was made and presented in BV, no vote was taken and BV indicated they wanted to go with the proposal with Lakeland
 - q. ASA would need to give permission to whatever scenario is chosen as players cannot be on two rosters during a season. Waiting for an answer from ASA.
 - r. Poll to be sent to the outdoor returning players first to see if there is interest, then it will be an open tryout for everyone to attend

Next Meeting: Fall Operational Meeting Sunday, October 5, 2025 at 7:30

Adjournment: Motion to adjourn – Bonnyville, Cold Lake seconds at 8:14 pm.