TECHNICAL DIRECTOR-TD

The Technical Director (TD) is a member of the Board of Directors and all areas of their duties are directly responsible to the Board of Directors in their accountability and implementation. As described herein, through this document, the Technical Director shall not take on or implement any action/plan/program/statement/policy/etc... without approval of the Board of Directors and under the direction of the Board.

1. The Technical Director (TD) is expected to be a high visibility position which will implement CSL training, technical support, coaching assistance and supervision of any staff and/or employees that fall under the Technical Director as approved by the Board of Directors in the day to day operations of CSL.

2. The TD will provide program input to the DOC for consideration in long and short term goals for CSL player and coach development goals in conjunction with the goals of the Board of Directors.

3. The TD is expected to provide a report monthly to the Board of Directors.

4. The TD is expected to provide age appropriate technical training to program players and will expect program coach participation during these training sessions to maximize player benefits. This increase in player benefits will increase player satisfaction and player participation.

5. The TD will develop and monitor age appropriate training expectations for each age group of the program. These expectations should be presented with possible training plan outlines to assist coaches with an organized plan for player development. These expectations should be developed in coordination and with the approval of the CSL Board of Directors and work with any Board approved DOC.

6. The TD will observe team training sessions for player training focus areas and training techniques. Provide coaches constructive feedback on additional areas of player technical and team tactical focus and training techniques.

7. The TD is expected to be an accessible resource to the Board of Director and for coaches on club operations and policy issues that need resolution.

8. The TD will attend various activities to promote CSL when requested by the Board of Directors.

9. The TD will provide player evaluation forms with a briefing on program evaluation policy.

 The Technical Director shall work with the Recreation and Advanced Program Commissioners (or any duly appointed Board designee) to obtain feedback on Recreation and Advanced coaches and teams that are recommended for Advanced or Travel participation. All such information shall be reported to the Board of Directors.
The TD will be the initial contact for the CSL DOC with issues regarding players and coaches and will communicate with the Program Commissioner and CSL DOC in these matters as needed while providing FULL and timely reports to the Board of Directors.
The TD will provide the DOC feedback on program coaches for overall evaluation based on their observations in match and training settings. 13. The TD will coordinate and communicate with other associated programs to provide the most beneficial course to CSL players.

14. The TD will educate parents on the club's policies and philosophies of youth development and age appropriate activities through orientations, seminars and written material.

15. Perform board duty, as scheduled, on game days in order to have a Board member present at all times.

Technical Director Responsibilities, under the approval of the Board of Directors, shall include Board approved activities to:

Conduct age appropriate coaching clinics in the club.

Conduct skill development clinics and training sessions for players and coaches in the club.

Create long and short-term seasonal and yearly objectives with regard to age groups and skill development.

Help coaches in the club plan and implement training sessions.

Act as a resource for all coaches and players in the club.

Educate parents on the club's policies and philosophies on youth development and age appropriate activities through orientations, seminars, and written material.

Create a library of books, articles and videos for coaches in the club.

Organize and conduct summer camps for players within the club.

Help schedule, conduct and facilitate player tryouts in the club.

Organize and facilitate state run coaching clinics in the club.

Interview, evaluate and select coaches for the travel portion of the Club as they relate to the Club's philosophy, as they have been approved by the Committee and passed all club required documents/clearances.

Assess, evaluate and select coaches for the advanced portion of the Club as they relate to the Club's philosophy as they have been approved by the Committee and passed all club required documents/clearances.

Promote the Club and the game of soccer in whatever ancillary duties that the Club deems necessary.

Organize information seminars on various sport science topics i.e., Nutrition, First-Aid, Psychology, etc.

Identify talented players to the club system

Design manuals and information packets for coaches.

Design and implement player evaluation forms.

Implement a Code of Conduct for players and parents as approved by the Board. Assist the Club with the technical coaching aspects of a Risk Management Policy. Design training priorities for each group and level.

Develop player development policies and guidelines for coaches to use during the seasons. Guidelines will be used by coaches for organizing training schemes and game tactics throughout the season.

Develop a player evaluation form for coaches to evaluate their players.

The Board of Directors may have non-voting subcommittee chairs under their direction as follows:

Director of Coaching

- As approved by the board of Directors
- Reports to the Board through the Technical Director (or duly appointed designee)
- Will respond to the President and/or VP Admin of the Board when requested to do and will provide all reports/communication, etc...as requested