

**Spearfish Soccer Association
Monthly Board Meeting Minutes
Monday, February 3, 2025**

The Spearfish Soccer Association (SSA) held the monthly board meeting on Monday, March 3, 2025 at the Young Center. The meeting was called to order at 7:03 pm by SSA President Tavis Little. Board members present: Jodi Watts, Ted Rewitzer, Ryan Fremont, Jake Ford, Anthony Bradley, Pete Skvicalo, Adam Lightfield, and Mandy Verhulst.

Guests: Jamie Watts, Sara Skvicalo, Joe Verhulst, Stephanie Lightfield

CONSENT AGENDA

Jodi made a motion to approve the January minutes. Mandy seconded. Motion passed.

OLD BUSINESS/FOLLOW UP

DISCUSSION ITEMS

- Early date did not work for us for the winter tournament.
- For outdoor there is a softball tournament every weekend in May and June.
- U16 & U19 High school field & rest at complex.
- Can we borrow from Belle or Sturgis?
 - Could we reach out and see if softball is having a big tournament?
- Jodi filed with the state.
 - Registration needs to be around price for Gillette?
- Working on practice schedule for spring this weekend or March 1st at the latest.
- Get out in front of scheduling meeting and get in front of Belle and Sturgis friendlies.
- Policy and bylaw changes need to be read by secretary at March meeting.
 - AGM scheduling, change back to June 2026
- Uniform update – they fit big
 - We are changing for fall – order by June
 - Need to figure numbering out.
 - Stock or sublimated – maroon and white
 - Link will be added to the website for jersey
- Play up requests – need to be able to accommodate
 - Some U8 playing up to U10 should stay up due to skill
- Need to be more intentional about what we want to do.
- Maybe parents didn't understand bio-banding
- U8 – we need to work on how we place them.
- Need to have a big conversation w/coaches about tournaments and with U8 for Spring.
- Ted motion to pay coaches \$250 for Gillette tournament 2025. Adam seconded.
 - Jake – no
 - Ted – yes
 - Anthony – yes
 - Adam – yes
 - Pete – no
 - Jodi – yes
 - Mandy no

- Motion passed

COACHES CORNER

Would Hutch be interested in doing a camp? If we had Matt, what would he work on?

Can we do something for kids coming to help coaches getting D license?

Single scoop from Leone's.

There are issues with the structure of coaching we need to work on.

PRESIDENT'S UPATE

Jodi motion to adjourn at 9:45pm. Mandy seconded.

The next Spearfish Soccer Association monthly board meeting will be Monday, March 3 , 2025 at the Young Center.

Respectfully submitted,

Mandy Verhulst

Spearfish Soccer Association Board Secretary