

2013 Lakeville Soccer Club: BOARD MEMBER APPLICATION

Name: Jason Butts

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Do you have a child(ren) involved in the LSC program? Yes

If yes, what is their age(s) and gender? Boy 14

Why do you want to be on the LSC Board?

I am not looking to join the board because I see any issues with the club, I am satisfied with program. I feel as though the program has given my children good exposure to the game and we are pleased. I want to join the club because they have a need and I think I would do good job filling the role.

My wife and I signed our boys up for soccer with the expectations that they would get exercise and learn lessons from being part of a team. However what has happened is that I have turned it into my new hobby. I love reading books on the game, watching videos of new drills and attending local games. I have taken my role as coach and turned it into an addiction. My expectation is that this will happen with my role as VP of LSC. It would be my pleasure to help LSC move forward.

What Board position are you interested in?

~Club Vice President

What contributions do you believe you could make to LSC?

Contributions wise I think you will find I am very thorough and willing to pull my share. I have a job that I have to travel quite a bit for but I am very attentive to email and returning phone calls. I think you will find that I am agreeable and can put things in perspective. I don't have strong feelings coming into the role as how the program should be run, however I do want to leave the position better than when I started it. I am excited about overseeing the Tournament, and exploring how we can make it even better. Regarding the other roles of the VP, I have certainly heard the frustration regarding the uniforms and at least from the outside looking in I feel as though I could help add some stability to this program. With regards to the budget, although I have an MBA, fiscal analysis isn't my strong suit but I am certainly aware that LSC needs to be in the black at the end of the year. Further I have ideas that I would like to have explored such as a soccer program for kids with disabilities. Also I would like to look at strengthening the boys program by looking at the club playing a bigger role at the middle school age. I would certainly be open to talking about this application before the meeting on Oct 22nd.

Can you regularly attend LSC Board meetings?

I do travel almost every week and am on the road usually for 2-3 nights a week. Because I coach my sons' team I usually head out after soccer practice on Monday nights and get back before soccer practice Thursday afternoons. If it falls on a Tuesday or Weds and I know far enough in advance I can usually arrange my schedule to make the meetings. Worst case scenario I could be available via conference call or Skype. Church is also important to me and it takes a large percentage of my Sundays, however if I know far enough in advance I can make arrangements.

Send completed application (Before October 1, 2013) to:

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