

Grand Lake United Soccer Club Bylaws

Article I

The name of this organization shall be the Grand Lake United Soccer Club, hereinafter referred to as GLU.

Article II

The object of GLU shall be to promote soccer as a sport, to organize soccer teams, to provide training in the sport of soccer, both youth and adult, and to receive gifts or donations to promote the health, welfare and recreation of the general public through the sport of soccer.

GLU shall be affiliated with Miami Valley Youth Soccer Association (MVYSA), Ohio South Youth Soccer Association (OSYSA), United States Youth Soccer Association (USYSA), and the Federation Internationale de Football Association (FIFA).

GLU is a nonprofit organization.

Article III

Section 1 Members are teams formed by GLU

Section 2 Members must remain in good standing with regard to payment of fees and dues.

Section 3 Membership may be terminated by a two-thirds vote of the eligible votes at a membership meeting.

Article IV

Section 1 The Board of Directors (hereinafter referred to as Officers) shall be composed of five elected officers.

Section 2 The Officers of GLU shall be elected on even or odd years as follows:

- A. President odd
- B. Vice President even
- C. Secretary odd
- D. Treasurer even
- E. Registrar odd

Section 3 All Officers shall be elected by the membership at the Annual Meeting by a majority vote of the members in attendance. All Officers shall serve for a term of two (2) years. No person shall hold more than two offices during a term.

Section 4 The duties of the Officers shall be as follows:

- A. The President shall preside at all meetings, shall be in charge of equipment, and shall be General Manager of GLU.
- B. The Vice President shall act in the absence of the President with the same authority, shall be in charge of the fields, and shall perform other duties as assigned by the membership.
- C. The Secretary shall be responsible for all communications, both internal and external, and shall keep the official minutes of all meetings of GLU.
- D. The Treasurer shall be responsible to keep the official records of GLU, shall receive, disburse, and account for all funds of GLU, which shall be kept in a bank designated by the Officers.
- E. The Registrar shall be responsible for collecting all registration documents from all teams and shall register all teams with MVYSA.

Section 5 Any Officer failing to attend meetings in such a manner as to consistently cause a quorum to not be established shall have his continued tenure subjected to a vote of the membership in no less than ten nor more than thirty days from the last meeting of Officers where a quorum was not established. Any Officer may be removed from office by a two-thirds vote of the membership present at a membership meeting.

Article V

Section 1 Meeting of the membership shall be held at the call of the Officers as per GLU Constitution Article 11.

Section 2 The meeting normally held in the month of November shall be called the annual meeting and shall be for the election of officers and presentation of the budget.

Section 3 A quorum of Officers is required at all meetings to conduct business. A quorum is defined as three or more Officers present.

Article VI

Committees other than Registration and Rules and Games may be appointed as needed by the President with advice and consent of the Board of Directors for an active life to be specified in the appointment.

Article VII

Section 1 Each Officer shall have one vote with the President voting only to break a tie.

Section 2 Membership voting: each household shall have one vote.

Article VIII

The fiscal year of GLU shall be from July 1st to June 30th the following year.

Article IX

All Rosters, Roster Changes, and Player Transfers must be presented to the Officers before any changes or permissions are made. The Officers will determine if the changes or permission will be granted.

Article X

The Officers may prevent a player from playing if that player is not in good standing with the club.

Article XI

These bylaws may be amended by a two-thirds vote of the members provided that the amendment has been presented in writing at the previous meeting.

Article XII

The rules contained in the current edition of Roberts Rules of Order shall govern GLU in all cases in which they are applicable and do not conflict with these bylaws.

Article XIII

These bylaws shall be in effect as of the 16th day of January, 2011.