



# 2009 Manager's Meeting

January 24th, 2009

# Welcome!





# Opening Comments

Harold Hale

- Congratulations!
- Thank you!





# You were chosen to manage for your:

1. Character
2. Judgment
3. Inspiring
4. Accountability
5. Good with the players
6. Teacher
7. In-Game Strategy
8. Leadership
9. Knowledge of Skills
10. Confidentiality
11. Organization/Time Management
12. Knowledge of Rules
13. Flexibility
14. Mentorship
15. Base Coach
16. Self Improvement





# Reasons girls play sports:

1. To have fun
2. To stay in shape
3. To get exercise
4. To improve my skills
5. To do something I'm good at
6. To be part of a team
7. For the excitement of competition
8. To learn new skills
9. For the team spirit
10. For the challenge of competition
11. To go to a higher level of competition
12. To win



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# Reasons girls QUIT playing sports:

1. I lost interest
2. I was not having fun
3. It took too much time
4. Coach was a poor teacher
5. Too much pressure
6. Wanted a nonsport activity
7. I was tired of it
8. I needed more study time
9. Coach played favorites
10. Sport was boring
11. Overemphasis on winning



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# 2009 WAGS Board of Directors

## TITLE

Dir. Of Web & Public Communications  
 Co-Dir. Of Player Coach Development  
 Dir. Of 14u  
 Dir. Of Fall Ball  
 Dir. Of 8u National  
 Dir. Of 6U  
 Commissioner  
 Dir. Of Equipment  
 Dir. Of Uniforms/Trophies  
 Dir. Of 10u National  
 Dir. Of 12u National

## NAME

Jeff Alkazian  
 Howard Berman  
 Rich Burns  
 Mark Cooley  
 Christina Cullen  
 Carol Drucker  
 Harold Hale  
 Curt Knabe  
 Lina Lippiatt  
 Kelly MacLeod  
 Rick Maholchic

## TITLE

Dir. Of Fields  
 Dir. Of Picture Day and Yearbook  
 Dir. Of 10u American  
 Dir. Of All Stars  
 Treasurer & Dir. Of Concessions  
 Secretary & Dir. Of Registration  
 Sgt. At Arms & Dir. of Player Coach Development  
 Dir. Of Middle School Upper & All League  
 Dir. Of 8u American  
 Dir. Of Scheduling/Standings/Gold Coast Umpires  
 Dir. Of Umpires - Youth

## NAME

Tom Niemerow  
 Richard Ojalvo  
 Sean Rivera  
 Frank Russo  
 Steve Sanders  
 Leisa Schwartz  
 Jeff Solny  
 Jeff Werdesheim  
 Steve Wexler  
 Dale Wheatley  
 Harold Hale/Frank Russo





# **POSITIVE Coaching & unacceptable behavior**

**Kelly MacLeod**

**ASA Coaches Clinic/ACE Certification**

**Jeff Solny**

**Background checks**

**Jeff Alkazian**





# Manager's Handbook:

- **Calendar** - Jeff Alkazian
- **Parent Meeting Info & Handouts**
  - Agenda - Kelly MacLeod
  - Concessions - Steven Sanders
  - Yearbook & Picture Day - Richard Ojalvo
  - Sponsors & Team Pages - Jeff Alkazian
- **Field Policies** Tom Niemerow
- **Grievance/Protest Procedures** Frank Russo





## Manager's Handbook:

- **Equipment** Curt Knabe
- **Scheduling/Practice Field Reservations** Dale Wheatley
- **Rain-Out/Reschedule Policy** Dale Wheatley
- **Coaching Guidelines/Rules Changes** Jeff Solny
- **Clinics** Jeff Solny
- **All-Stars** Frank Russo





# Uniform pick up & Opening Day Parade/Banner Contest

Lina Lippiatt

## QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

WAGS Board





# Breakout sessions with division directors

