

Location: Electronic - Via Zoom

Date: 6 September 2023

Time: 18:00 – 19:00 EST (UTC-05:00)

Invited: All PAFC Coaches, Volunteers, ExCo, London Community Football Clubs, CONCACAF

1. Welcome by Donovon Kellyman (GS)

- 2. GS opened by recognising how disjointed the last year of PAFC has been. The club is experiencing some growing pains and he and the committee did not initially manage these issues well. The committee promises that this has changed and that you will start to notice drastic changes in how we operate and communicate.
- 3. The committee would like to encourage the whole team: players, parents, coaches, and volunteers to remain committed to PAFC. We are a community football club and we are developing into a mature organisation one step at a time.
- 4. We are asking everyone to join us for the season opener social on 21<sup>st</sup> September at Grand Harbour. It's not just a social, but a forum to exchange thoughts and ideas. The Committee will be able to present the new PAFC leadership to you on that day.
- 5. Earlier on that day will be the club's AGM, where voting members will establish a new committee and agree new membership rules to democratize the club. We will also agree new frameworks for player advancement and welfare, community engagement, youth football, and women's football. These four pillars will be evident in our future development.
- We envision a club that is not only the best governed and most efficiently structured club in Cayman but have made and will be making efforts to exceed all CIFA, CFU, and CONCACAF standards.
- 7. I have been visiting and learning from 3 major community football clubs in London who are supporting us on this journey.
- 8. We are exploring fundraising options for an international development tour, to support the purchase of new equipment, to invest in training and development, and build the clubs profile in the community. We are also starting to explore options to establish dedicated training facilities for the club. Of note, as a matter of policy as a volunteer-led organisation, there will be no mandatory fees for youth players or for any grassroots developmental programs.
- 9. We are working with CONCACAF to tailor standardized requirements for coaches and volunteers that are realistic, but that also place us ahead of all other local clubs.
- 10. A new standardized internal system for registration and player management is under development.

- 11. We are exploring standardized access to advancements, nutrition, and medical support for all players.
- 12. We have committed to establishing a strong and permanent women's program and will be starting a drive to involve more women and girls this season.
- 13. We encourage all to communicate their questions, thoughts, and concerns with the committee so we can address them as openly as possible.
- 14. Meeting closed at 19:08.