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Open Call For Stonewall Kickball Charlotte Board of Directors

After a successful inaugural season in the fall of 2014, Stonewall Kickball – Charlotte is expanding its Board of Directors to accommodate and prepare for an increase in participation for the spring 2015 season.

Open positions include:

Technical Director (1 open position) The Technical Director handles the registration process and t-shirt ordering each season. He or she is also responsible for obtaining the necessary equipment for the fields and the events. The Technical Director will also publish scores and team rankings throughout the season, as well as schedule games. The Technical Director will be the top authority on kickball rules. He or she shall be responsible for updating the rules, deciding rule debates, answering rule questions, educating members of the rules, holding a referee and umpire clinic, and ensuring adequate referee and umpire coverage throughout the season. The Technical Director will also determine field safety for each game and establish a protocol for proceeding under adverse weather conditions. If necessary, he or she shall decide, with the assistance and input of the other officers, whether games should be rescheduled for unsafe conditions. The Technical Director is responsible for setting the umpire and referee schedule each season. In the event the Commissioner is unavailable, the Technical Director shall assume leadership of The League and the Leadership Board. The term of the Technical Director is two (2) fiscal years.

Treasurer (1 open position) The Treasurer is responsible for all financial transactions. He or she will maintain the financial records for the organization, ensure a proper budget for The League each season, and monitor the League's financial accounts. The Treasurer shall also work with the Events Director to coordinate fundraising activities for The League and its charities. The Treasurer shall determine an appropriate amount for registration fees each season and present such recommendation to the Leadership Board for final approval. The recommendation shall be based on previous season expenses and projected future cash flow. The Treasurer will also work with the Commissioner and Event Director to facilitate sponsorship and collect donations. The term of the Treasurer is two (2) fiscal years.

Division Leads (2 open positions) For each established division in Stonewall Kickball – Charlotte, a Division Lead will be responsible for communicating League information to Team Captains and Umpires in their division, assisting the Technical Director with field setup and takedown, as well as reporting game scores to the Technical Director. He or she shall also assist the Event Director with league events. A term for Division Lead shall last for one (1) season.

Interested parties should submit their application at <http://goo.gl/forms/nvyKZldNWD>

::::::::: ALL APPLICATIONS MUST BE SUBMITTED BY 12.19.14 ::::::::::

The **Technical Director** and **Treasurer** shall be elected according to the following process:

- a. The Commissioner shall solicit applications
- b. The Leadership Board shall select three (3) applicants per position from the pool
- c. Those three (3) applicants shall be put up for vote by the Team Captains. *(Spring 2014 Team Captains will vote for open positions at this time/ties will be decided by the SKC Commissioner)*

The **Division Leads** shall be selected by the Leadership Board

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Stonewall Kickball Charlotte is an LGBTQ & Ally not for profit sports league. We strive to develop a well-connected and diverse community through organized competition and social or fundraising events.

Our vision is that every person should have the ability to feel comfortable playing organized sports and that we have the responsibility to give back to the community.

Our mission is to provide an inclusive, low cost, high FUN kickball league that is managed as a non-profit with a philanthropic heart.

Fall 2014 Facts and Figures

- 147 Registered Players
- 6 Teams
- 5 Regular Season Game Days
- 2 Championship Game Days
- 5 Special Events
- 506 Attendees (Special Events)
- 560 Attendees (After Game Activities)
- Over \$3,500 donated to Time Out Youth

Spring 2015

- February – Registration
- March – Regular Season Games
- April – Regular Season Games
- May – Regular Season Games and Playoffs
- TBD – Charlotte to host North Carolina Stonewall Kickball All Star Game

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