

Board Meeting Agenda February 7, 2018

Attendance Treasurer Report. (Approved) Agenda

- 1. Tournament Review
  - a. Questions/concerns

## 2. Items to be addressed

- a. Update on what is known for girls league to be played in Waupun.
  - i. Matt and Neil attend a meeting on 2/7/18
- b. Umpire Preparation/Payment for next season
  - Umpires (Pay adults; Have parents help; Training class; Schedule 2 scrimmage games as training). Waiting on game schedules to see what is going to be needed for number of umpires.
  - ii. Video for the kids to use as training. The video is 3-4 hours long. Wayne W. will help with the training.
  - iii. How many leagues and how many umpires will be needed? There is a possibility to reach out to Marian and Ripon College for umpires. Need to determine leagues and the need for umpires first..
  - iv. Payment amount for umpires. Last year payment was \$20 per game. Still looking into. Discuss February meeting. At the end of last season it was voted to increase pay to \$25.00 for 2018 season.
- c. Travel/League Policies

i. LLL will add travel teams to be covered by insurance policy. Waiting on total number of games. Heath will update at May renewal.

- Ii. LLL will have an expectation of travel teams practices and policies
- d. List of requirements/skills to be taught at each age level for coaches.

- e. Look into maintenance and batteries on the AED's. Also Heath will look into training. Training for AED's will be done in spring with coaches. Possible sponsorship for maintenance on AED's.
- f. Draft will be April 10th. (AED discussion to be held with coaches). Location to be determined.
- g. Registration will be open Feb. 15th to March 1st.
  - i. Registration will run 2 weeks.
  - ii. Email was sent out through weekly school email on 2/15/18.
  - iii. Registration issues/fees/additions to form
- h. Partnerships with Dicks Sporting Goods and possibly others for equipment funding for league and personal equipment.
  - i. Dicks Sporting goods will donace \$2800.00 worth of equipment (balls, nets, batting bags.)
  - ii. Also will give a coupon packet for various items, and there will be a weekend in which mid April (April 21 ad 22) for 20% off any purchase in the store.
- i. New website platform possibilities.
  - i. Board to review.
  - ii. There is advertisements on site.
  - iii. Travis is working on putting a new improved website together to launch prior to the season.
- j. Softball & Baseball clinic (email was sent through school on 2/15/18)
  - i. Softball will be held April 28th
  - ii. Baseball will be held April 21st
- k. Boys Ripion league
  - i. Matt and Heath meet with them on 2/8/18.
- I. Batting cages
  - i. Motion to approve new cages at Brandon and Taylor Park. (Jamie/Matt)
- m. Purchase of indoor practice balls.
  - i. LLL will be purchasing indoor practice balls for Baseball and softball use. They will be located at RI.
  - ii. Approved (Craig/Chris)
- n. Rule change for pitching minor league boys Possible use of pitching machine for peewee level
- o. LLL Gmail account set up by Stacia. All board members to check and monitor. <u>laconialittleleague2018@gmail.com</u>

## Positions/Duties for next year

a.	Diamond care			
	i. Rosendale-	Lalors and Boyds		
	ii. Eldorado	Schnieders		
	iii. Brandon	Smits		
b.	Umpire Coordinator	Craig Shaver		
с.	Medals/Photo/Shirts Coordinator	Linda		
d.	Tournament Concession Coordinator	Stacia / Abby Pluim		
e.	Raffle Ticket Coordinator	Riedemann		
f.	Game/Practice Scheduler	Chris L		
g.	Girl Softball Representative	Matt P. / Neil		
h.	Upper Level Baseball Reps.	Scott Seggerman, Shaun Hiemstra		
i.	Website	Travis Klotzke		
j.	Facebook	Stacia / Jen		

1.	Electio	n of Board Members	Current
	a.	President	Heath
	b.	Vice President	Matt Pluim
	c.	Treasurer	Jaime
	d.	Secretary	Jenny Derksen
	e.	Registration	Jessica / Tami

Action items by next meeting:

New business to be discussed at next meeting:

- 1. Registration night framework/format/duties
- 2. Bats allowed for use for boys baseball
- 3. Waupun girls league update
- 4. Ripon boys league update
- 5. New Website
- 6. Expectations of LLL for travel teams
- 7. 2017 NSF \$45, family registering for league again in 2018. How should we handle?
- 8. Post Prom donation? Historically gave \$200.
- 9. Registration issues/fees/additions to form
- 10. Rule change for pitching minor league boys
- 11. Possible use of pitching machine for peewee level

- 12. 501(3)c Application
- 13. Possible Grant from Fond du Lac Dock Spiders

## Next Meeting: March 14th at 6pm. Location RI Library.