

DCEYB Meeting Minutes – March 16, 2025

Start time: 702 pm

Roll Call Executive

- President-Jimmy Olafson- present
- Vice President- Mike Wodalski- present
- League Advisor- Eric Feldman-present
- Treasurer - Tina Lang- present
- Secretary – Kristy Zander-present
- Babe Ruth Commissioner- Dale Zander- present
- Majors Commissioner- OPEN
- AAA Commissioner- OPEN
- AA/A Commissioner-Brian Drolshagen- present
- T-Ball Commissioner- Sarah Olafson-absent
- Concession Stand Manager – Melissa Sigmund- absent
- Travel Commissioner (8-10U) – OPEN
- Travel Commissioner (11-14U) – Mitch Zblewski-present

Appointees/Key Positions

- Advertising Director /Fundraising – Jodi Teige-absent
- Equipment Manager –Mike Peterson-absent
- Field/Facilities Lead – OPEN
- Apparel/Uniform Lead – Amanda Zblewski- absent
- Coach/Player Development Lead – OPEN
- Registration Coordinator – Brian Pensinger- ZOOM
- Parent Committee Lead/Picture Lead – Kelly Ziegelbauer-
- Inventory Lead – April Coleman- absent

- Scheduling Lead – Katie Howard- absent
- Volunteering Lead – Tom Coleman- present

Additional attendees:

ZOOM: Brian P

Old Business: Meeting minutes-motion by Mitch second by Mike W., minutes approved.

Treasures Report: Tina Lang- \$99,099.37, a few outstanding checks to be cashed. Indoor tournament-\$4088.69 for admissions for the two days. Concessions from the weekend totals not in yet. Check will be coming Greenheck from concessions from the weekend yet.

Expenses: Coaches cage jackets and screen printing.

New Business: Board Members – Need to fill seats 2025

Travel Team Update: 13 white has tournaments now. All teams should be set with dates. All tournaments should be paid for. 11U will be withdrawing from two tournaments. Mitch will update schedule/listing.

Uniform Update: New uniforms looked great. Velcro will fray it, so wash separately.

Travel all uniforms were ordered with the rosters provided after fitting day. Not sure if there will be add ons.

Rec jerseys will be ordered soon.

Uniform Payments Needed?

Apparel Stores: Pro-time store open yet. Four Seasons can be opened again, looking at when rec teams are formed.

March Indoor Tournament – Recap

50/50 raffle-\$500 raised.

Concessions-some concerns with food, cost and backups. Will need to review for next year. Will have to see where numbers come back with for if it is worth doing again.

Games were mostly on schedule both days. Some feed back was it was well run and kids had fun. Teams that came wanted to do more tournaments here.

Next year med kit at each scores table.

Ceiling was hit several times on 11U field but was ok.

Most volunteer spots were filled and seemed to go ok.

Admission went well with paying both days.

Feed back would be to look at three days, but some liked having Sunday off.

Next year thoughts: keep it two age groups or go to three? Two days vs three days. Oldest age group would still be 11U. Next year will be 3 days and two age groups.

Volunteers-will be coming up with plan for rec

Tournament Planning 2025

6/28-6/30: 13US, 13UW FULL!

7/12-7/14: 10UG-one spot open, 13GG FULL

7/26-7/28: 8UG Still have openings, 11UG FULL, 14G FULL

REC Eval Recap: 115 kids out of 140 came through between the two days. Jimmy and Mike W will do Majors draft. Have coaches for most teams. Next year might just do one night due to cost. Not a lot of high-level talent. 4 majors teams and 9 AAA teams. Some 5th graders signed up for majors so might just put them there. Might look at 7th grade to see if it would be appropriate.

Imagine Recap: Busy night. Tried to get new people to register when they came in. Added about 20 registrations in the last week. Good feedback on the kids helping out.

Village Kennedy Plan: Donor for 2nd field. Two fields will be built at the same time. Lights on field two are not in the plan yet, but will be fundraise for that. Both fields are small fields, but can be convertible to 50/70. Will both be turf fields. Other fields will still be useable during construction of new fields. Grants are being written and requested. More to come.

CrossBar – A few people still need to register in new program.

Background Check – going through list of people who needed new background checks.

Second Payments – Has to be sent out yet. Watch for emails.

REC Team Creation: 497 kids signed up so far. But need to check again. T-ball is open until 4/10/25. Will do another Peach Jar. Will have a late sign-up fee for Babe Ruth, Majors, and AAA. Some travel ball kids still need to register for rec. Further emails will be sent out to register.

Important Dates:

March 18th Red Robin Fundraiser 20% all day.

April 7th Texas Road House Fundraiser

UW-Whitewater-not sure who many kids went this year.

Majors/AAA Draft – 3/19?

Youth Baseball Camp 4/27 on high school field

Kick Off Weekend 5/3-high school using Jones 1 until noon for softball. Jones 2 and Big Field will run all day and then both fields starting at noon.

High School Baseball Youth Night 5/13

Next Meeting – April 13, 2025 7:00pm Greenheck Turner

Motion to adjourn by Brian D. & second by Mike W. Ended at 803pm