

SYBA MINUTES FROM MEETING

August 19th, 2020

Shakopee Bowl – 6:30 pm

Next Meeting: Thursday September 17th – 7:15 pm (Shakopee Bowl)

Attendees: Brad Menden
Jeff Schmitz
Eric Schroeder
Allen Larson
Sean LaCoste
Clay Monsrud
Adam Colby
Chad Stensrud
Tom Schleper
Aaron Olson
Rod Hicks

Not in Attendance:

Guests:

2020 Year End Meeting (Refer to the SYBA website for more details on the year end meeting)

- Jeff Schmitz went over the Agenda that was going to be covered.
- Jeff Schmitz introduced the current SYBA Board.
- Jeff Schmitz gave a thank you to the board members whose terms expired:
Brad Menden, Allen Larson, Dave Johnson, Rod Hicks, Aaron Olson, Chad Stensrud.
- Jeff Schmitz gave more thank yous to the following: Eric Ho (Field Coordinator) Non-parent Coaches: Gary Schleper, Bill Schleper, Matt Gardner and City and School District grounds crew.
- Jeff Schmitz went over the 2020/2021 Board Candidates: VP Brad Menden, Treasurer Allen Larson, Travel Director Rod Hicks, In-House Director Clay Monsrud, Umpire/Fundraiser Coordinator Chad Stensrud.
- Jeff Schmitz discussed the terms of the board members.
- Jeff Schmitz went over the 2020 registration numbers and how they compared to past years.
- Jeff Schmitz discussed the 2020 SYBA Survey results, topics that were talked about were: Covid, Fees, Coaches, Facilities, Out of state tournaments, Fall Tryouts.
- Jeff Schmitz went over what was new in 2020: Modified summer season, Scheduled practices, Games scheduled on your own – 1 team participated in the MBL, Tournaments were self organized or out of state, Camps - June and July, Fall Baseball.

- Allen Larson went over 2020 improvements: Tapah West Payment, Jackson Township Backstop and fence, Dugouts at Westminster, Scoreboards at Westminster, Dugout fence at Stemmer and West Middle School, Shed at Green Meadows and Tapah West. Bullpens at Riverview, Jackson Township, Green Meadows, West Middle School, Batter box templates, Mound Clay, Tahpah West dugouts, Buckets, Base peg Markers.
- Allen Larson Discussed SYBA 2020 Expenses: Uniforms \$12,230, City Fee \$5,032, Tryouts \$2,395, Insurance \$5,520, Baseballs \$4,200, Background Checks \$1,711.
- Allen Larson discussed 2020 SYBA Donations: 11 individual donations + company matching totaling \$2,170, \$10,000 from Minnesota Twins, \$3,000 from Shakopee American Legion, \$500 from Shakopee Chevrolet, \$1,650 from 14's Omaha, \$2,250 Shakopee Bowl for Tapah West scoreboard, Made \$800 donation to Shakopee Dollars for Scholars.
- Allen Larson discussed the SYBA 2020 Financial Report.
- Jeff Schmitz went over things the board is thinking about for 2021: Fee structure from City and School district will increase, Fall Tryouts, Coaching evaluations of players during/at the end of the year, playing an independent schedule- not participating in MBL, Eliminate professional photographer, Tapah West- scoreboard, dugouts, batting cages, Stemmer, Riverview, MS West, Sacs infields.
- Q&A from parents: Topics discussed, Fall Tryouts pro and cons, No Savage Dome for Spring tryouts,
- Eric Schroeder gave the election results: VP Brad Menden, Treasurer Allen Larson, Travel Director Rod Hicks, In-House Director Clay Monsrud, Umpire/Fundraiser Coordinator Chad Stensrud.
- Meeting was adjourned at 8:30 pm