ZIMMERMAN AREA YOUTH ATHLETICS ASSOCIATION

MEETING MINUTES

MONTHLY BOARD MEETING

Date:	September 7, 2025
Place:	Zimmerman Community Event Center
Meeting called to order by:	Bob Trumbull, President, at 5:58 PM

IN ATTENDANCE

Bob Trumbull, Gary Dick, Jim Flaaen, Ross Orrock, Elise Andresen, Devin Kalor, Josh Svedin, Brad Thomas, Jillian Erickson, Chaz Norrgard, Dustin Salmon and Michelle Carlson.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Jim motioned; Gary seconded to approve the minutes of the last meeting.

REPORTS

President – Bob Trumbull

- This is Bob's last meeting. He indicated that Coach Riley reached out and said next year's emphasis will be on JV field mounds. The new field is complete, and scoreboard is functioning.
- Regarding MYAS, we need to be registered in December.

Vice President & Interim Majors/Minors/T-Ball Director – Gary Dick

- Wreath fundraiser has been set up, and online store will be live soon. Deadline for orders is October 28; pickup is November 11 at the Civic Building. Coaches can pick up and distribute to their teams.
- Dustin Salmon, Chaz Norrgard and Jillian Erickson were introduced to the group. Dustin is looking to become next Majors/Minors/T-Ball Director, and Jillian will assist Joanna and Natalie on uniforms and fundraising. Chaz will join the board as an At-Large.
- Gary will get Dustin up to speed regarding fields for next year and partnering with Princeton again. Bob indicated that every other year the school district will rotate to Elk River, so this coming season we should be able to use two fields at Westwood and one at Zimmerman Elementary.

Registration Coordinator – Jim Flaaen

- Invitation system went well after tryouts. Everyone has either paid or is on a payment plan to commence early next year. Credits will be issued to board members if a payment plan exists on their account.

Interim Travel Director – Ross Orrock

- We are still looking for a few more11s to join the 11A team, along with an 11A coach. Bob suggested waiting until January to send an email to the team asking if anyone would like to volunteer to be a coach or otherwise dissolve the team.

Field Coordinator – Elise Andresen

- The Civic Building for the wreath fundraiser has been confirmed. Carylanne has dropped off the check for rental.
- We may need to work on obtaining gym space early if teams want to utilize the school before outdoor weather permits.

Equipment Manager – Josh Svedin

- No buckets or balls came back from coaches so we will need to send out an email to retrieve these items.
- Gary mentioned that 2 new L-screens will need to be constructed over the winter. Also, 2 new chalkers, 2 batter's boxes and a 9-square purchased for next year will be stored in the equipment shed.

Sponsorship Coordinator – Devin Kalor

- Tentative date for travel ball pictures has been scheduled for April 30, 2025.
- Spoke with Geared Up and had them do a rough draft of a uniform and quote prices for a temporary store. Geared Up will give back 10% of proceeds to the association.
- Gary suggested getting uniforms decided on early, along with setting up early try-ons.

At Large – Brad Thomas

- Brad presented Bob with an award on behalf of the Association to commemorate his years of service.

OTHER DISCUSSION

Bob indicated what happens when a President steps down. Josh asked if we could vote today on Jim Flaaen becoming next President. Gary moved, Devin seconded, and all approved to appoint Jim as next President. A separate vote will go out to the voting members to confirm the Travel Director, Majors/Minors/ZBall Director and two new At-Large positions. The Tournament Coordinator position remains vacant.

NEXT MEETING

Next meeting will be held on October 11, 2025.

Motion to adjourn was made at 6:25 p.m. and was passed unanimously.