

PBSA Spring Meeting 2/15/2009

Attending: Howard Shirling, Judy Shirling, Mark Radabaugh, Paula Radabaugh, Stewart Collins, Eric Riffe

Motion to accept minutes of 11/11/08 68by Judy, seconded by Paula. No opposition.

New Business:

Treasurers Report – Judy Shirling is acting treasurer. Judy presented financial report (attached). Two additional checks written to Pemberville Free Fair for program book (\$40.00) and to the Sentinal Tribune for meeting notices in the amount of \$85.10. This matches the balance numbers from 11/11 meeting.

Balance as of prior year was \$13,419.89, balance this year is \$12985.39

Expenses last year....

Higher umpire expenses

New Baseball Equipment

Concessions stand expenses: new 3 hole sink and permits for entire year. Concessions stand expense is going to be higher this year for permits. Permit must be applied before 1st of March.

Howard makes motion to continue same style concession stand. Permit to be \$260 for year. Stewart seconds motion. Motion accepted.

Motion to accept Judy's report by Paula, Seconded by Howard.

Presidents Report

League change did not happen with Luckey and Webster so they stayed with Southwood. Since Luckey and Webster are staying Pemberville will as well.

Howard is nomination Stewart as VP of Baseball. Stewart accepts and will attend Southwood meetings.

Girls Softball – on moving all to East Suburban. Howard said we did get reimbursement from Southwood and the price difference in going to East Suburban is not as big as they were expecting.

Question to members is to move all girls to East Suburban. No big drive difference in league fees. G14 has been with East Suburban for 5 years due to lack of competition in Southwood and to keep kids with kids they would play in School leagues. Webster is forming one team for girls as a travel team.

Stewart suggests waiting until signups. Paula thinks it's too late to switch leagues. Due to lack of feedback girls stay the same as prior years with Southwood.

Boys will stay in Southwood.

Legion field bases are set at 80' and cannot be moved.

12 boys in Pemberville last year due to scheduling mistake. Howard would prefer not to have 12 boys at Pemberville which would move them to Luckey. Mark's concern is that having all games at Luckey causes huge scheduling problems when there are rainouts. Paula mentioned boys were not happy about having to wear Luckey shirts rather than Eastwood. Vote was 4 to 1 that 12 year old boys stay at Pemberville. Motion passes.

Concession Stand. If we keep fields and concession stand as one person then the payment should go up from \$2500 to something higher. Rebecca is willing to do fields again. Payment will remain the same. U12 coach will be responsible for moving bases. Prior coach is encouraged to help move bases – try to stress this at the coaches meeting.

We need to cover dates for concessions stand with parents ahead of time, probably at the coaches meeting.

Umpires. We spent a lot of money on umpires last year.

Rules for umpires this year (non tournament games)

No paid umpires for U8 boys

One paid umpire for U8 girls \$20

U10/U12/14 Plate umpire pays \$20, If field umpire supplied pay is \$15. If only one umpire then pay is \$30.00

Coaches are responsible for finding Umpires for home games.

Coaches meeting will be March 22nd, 6:30pm at Bethlehem Lutheran Church

Signup Dates – Feb 28th and March 7th at EMS from 10 to 1.

Cutoff date is postmarked by March 15th.

Cleanup day is April 4th from 10:00am to 1:00pm.

Team Selection:

Each team gets his kid on a team and one assistant coach. Additional assistance coaches are allowed but only after team selection. Special requests for team selection are not going to be honored this year.

Howard would like to organize one or two games for special needs kids this year. There is no objection from attendees.

Charges for fees this year. Howard to contact Webster and Luckey to match fees as best as possible. No raise in fees, would prefer to lower them if possible.

For people who cannot afford league fees the organization can waive fees. The treasurer is to be in charge of making decisions on waivers.

Motion to adjourn by Paula, Seconded by Howard.