

NORTH DUFFERIN BASEBALL LEAGUE

MEETING AGENDA

SUNDAY, MARCH 11, 2018, 1:00 P.M.

Annual General Meeting of the League at Lisle Royal Canadian Legion, Lisle, Ont.

1. WELCOME

2. ADOPTION OF MINUTES

Minutes of the Meeting of the League Wednesday, August 2, 2017 and Special Meetings of the Executive Thursday, August 31, 2017 and Monday, September 25, 2017

3. BUSINESS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES

4. REPORTS AND CORRESPONDENCE

(a) 2017 Treasurer's Report

(b) 2018 Entry Fee

5. BY-LAWS

6. ELECTION OF EXECUTIVE AND OFFICERS

Vice President; Secretary; Treasurer; Statistician.

7. CONFIRMATION OF TEAMS RETURNING

(a) Confirmation of Teams

(b) Confirmation of Teams on Probation

(i) Ivy Rangers (Senior)

(ii) Lisle Astros (Junior)

(c) Newmarket Cornhuskers Leave of Absence Request

(d) Creemore Barons Leave of Absence Extension

8. NEW TEAM PRESENTATIONS

(a) Orangeville Bengals Junior Team

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9. TOURNAMENTS

- (a) Lisle Astros – May 19, 20, 21
- (b) New Lowell Knights – August 4, 5, 6

10. ALL-STAR GAME

Saturday July, 7, 2018

11. SCHEDULING

- (a) Regular Season
- (b) Playoffs

12. LEAGUE AWARDS EVENT

13. NEW BUSINESS

14. ANNOUNCEMENTS

15. DATE OF NEXT MEETING

Schedule Meeting – Wednesday April 4, 2018
Roster and O.B.A. Meeting – Monday, May 28, 2018
All-Star Meeting – Monday, June 18, 2018
Playoff Meeting – Wednesday, August 1, 2018

16. ADJOURNMENT

Subject: RE: NDBL 2018 AGM

Sender: Eric Jones [REDACTED]

Recipient: Anderson, Scott W. <secretary@ndbl.ca>

Date: 04.03.2018 12:33



Due to my own aspiration, I regret to let the league know that Newmarket Cornhuskers, would like to ask for a leave of absence for the 2018 season.

Thanks,

Eric Jones

From: Anderson, Scott W. [secretary@ndbl.ca]

Sent: February 19, 2018 1:25 PM

Subject: NDBL 2018 AGM

Good afternoon,

The North Dufferin Baseball League Annual General Meeting will be held on March 11, 2018 starting at 1:00 p.m. at the Lisle Royal Canadian Legion.

If you wish to add an item to the Agenda please let me know. As well any proposed changes to the by-laws must be made at this meeting. Please forward any suggested changes to me so team representatives can review them prior to the meeting.

We will hold the awards ceremony for 2017 recipients and lunch before the AGM at the Lisle Legion. Doors open at 11:30 a.m. with lunch and awards starting at 12 noon sharp. The lunch is open to players and fans and I ask that you please extend the invitation to your players.

The award winners and nominees are posted on the league website. Winners and nominees are asked to attend and I would appreciate you asking those players from your team to attend the ceremony.

Yours truly,

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Jan. 22, 2018

To the Executive of the North Dufferin Baseball League

On behalf of the Creemore Barons baseball team a request for an additional year leave of absence is being requested from the North Dufferin Baseball League for the upcoming 2018 season.

I would like to thank the Executive and League Members for the opportunity the Creemore Team has had in the past.

Good Luck to all the NDBL teams this season.

Sincerely,

Andy Van der Heyden

Creemore Barons Baseball Team

Letter of Application: Orangeville Bengals JR team



North Dufferin Baseball League,
c/o Scott W. Anderson, Secretary,
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Hello Secretary Anderson,

I'm contacting you today on behalf of the Orangeville Bengals JR baseball team. As the head coach of the newly formed team, we'd like to apply to participate in the 2018 North Dufferin Baseball League JR. season. In the following paragraphs, I will demonstrate to you, as well as the league stakeholders, why we'd be an exceptional addition to the league.

The reason why our team would like to join the NDBL can be traced back to the end of last season. Most of our committed players, as well as myself as an assistant coach, were all part of the Bolton Braves Baseball Association's midget rep team. After a third-place finish in the B OBA's ended our season, coaches, parents, and players started talking about how to keep the team together for seasons to come. Many players on this team had been playing in Bolton for the past 3-4 seasons, so when the head coach decided to respectfully move on from the team in September, my father and I decided to organize a JR team.

We first tried to organize the team in Bolton but unfortunately diamond time is virtually unavailable at their facilities. As such, we decided to look to neighbouring organizations to see if they could host us. Our first option was Orangeville, especially considering over a third of our players came from Dufferin county. I reached out to Dave Parsons, President of the Orangeville Minor Baseball Association, in late 2017. He responded positively shortly thereafter, and we got to work organizing a team.

Since we started organizing in November, 11 players have committed themselves to the team: 10 players played last season the 2017 Bolton Braves midget team; and 1 player coming from the Alliston Athletics SR. team. We intend on holding

tryouts at the end of April to complete our roster. Additionally, we've worked OMBA so that we play our home games at 1:00pm Saturdays at Springbrook Park. We might need to work around a few conflicts with house league and the Sr team, but as a backup we can also schedule games at either 3:00pm Saturday or possibly Friday night at Princess of Wales.

As far as finances go, you and I have been in brief communication regarding all NDBL fees. Based on our conversations (as well as some digging on the NDBL website) we've taken the following NDBL expenses into account:

League Fees - \$250.00
Awards Contribution - \$50.00
Statistician - \$50.00
Security Bond - \$100 (To be paid back)
OBA fees - \$100

I'm currently working with the OMBA to determine Registration and Rep fees, but basically every other fee has been accounted for. I will be bringing an updated copy of our Budget to the Annual General Meeting on Sunday.

In conclusion, The Orangeville Bengals JR team would make a fantastic addition to the NDBL's 2018 campaign. This is a close-knit group of players coached by a Father-Son duo, and we intend on competing strongly and respectfully. If you have any questions regarding our application, I will be happy to answer them on the Afternoon of the Annual General Meeting

Cheers,

Anthony Zambito