

NORTH DUFFERIN BASEBALL LEAGUE

MEETING MINUTES

MONDAY, MAY 26, 2014, 7:00 P.M.

Regular Meeting of the League at Lisle Community Hall, Lisle, Ont.

Attendance:

Executive: President Sean Hayward, Past President Rob Wilson, Secretary Scott Anderson, Treasurer Dan Gowan.

Absent: Vice President Jesse McIntyre (with regrets).

Officers: Statistician Peter Kinghan, York Simcoe Representative Vance White.

Senior Teams: Angus, Aurora, Barrie, Bolton 'A', Bolton 'B', Clearview, Creemore, Ivy, Lisle, Mansfield, Midland, New Lowell, Nobleton, Orangeville.

Junior Teams: Alliston, Aurora, Barrie, Collingwood, Creemore, Ivy, Midland, Orillia.

President Sean Hayward called the meeting to order at 7:19 p.m.

1. WELCOME

2. ADOPTION OF MINUTES

It was MOVED by York Simcoe Representative White, THAT the Minutes of the Meeting of the League Wednesday, April 2, 2014 be adopted as printed, SECONDED by Chris Esson (Clearview), CARRIED.

3. BUSINESS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES

4. REPORTS AND CORRESPONDENCE

(a) Treasurer's Report

Treasurer Gowan reported three teams currently owe for the season and any team declaring for OBA will need to pay the League \$100.00.

5. NEW BUSINESS

(a) Orillia Majors Senior Team Leave of Absence Request

The League received an email dated April 29, 2014 from Mr. Greg McMillan requesting a one year leave of absence.

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It was MOVED by Rob Perkins (Creemore), THAT the request from Orillia Majors for a one year leave of absence be granted, SECONDED by York-Simcoe Representative White, CARRIED.

It was noted with the withdrawal of Orillia, senior players must play in eight regular season games, down from nine games, to be eligible for the playoffs.

(b) Team Players' Lists

The Executive read Team Players' Lists, with all Junior and Senior lists being approved.

(c) OBA Classification

The following teams declared their intention to attend Ontario Baseball Association Playoffs in the following classifications:

Senior:

AAA – Bolton Brewers.

AA – Aurora Jays, Ivy Leafs, New Lowell Knights.

A – Orangeville Giants.

B – Clearview Orioles, Lisle Astros.

C – Barrie Angels, Bolton Dodgers, Midland Indians, Nobleton Cornhuskers.

Junior:

AA – None

A – Aurora Jays, Barrie Red Sox, Collingwood Jays, Creemore Barons, Ivy Rangers.

(d) All-Star Game Update

Jesse Ragazzon provided a brief update and informed the League of plans to honour the late player and coach Terry Shacklady during the event.

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6. ANNOUNCEMENTS

- (a) Secretary Anderson requested teams to send in a list of player uniform numbers for inclusion on the website.
- (b) Secretary Anderson asked teams to post game scores to the website message board to help with updates to standings and for press reporting.
- (c) Secretary Anderson asked teams to show some more hustle on and off the field to speed up games. The Secretary also reminded teams of the mercy rule of 10 runs after 6 innings.
- (d) Statistician Kinghan requested dates for make-up games and asked teams to make sure game cards are correct before sending them in.
- (e) Todd Patton (New Lowell) announced the New Lowell Tournament on the Civic Holiday long weekend and for any senior team interested in playing in the tournament to contact him.

7. DATE OF NEXT MEETING

The next Meeting of the League shall be Monday, June 16, 2014 at Lisle Community Hall.

8. ADJOURNMENT

It was MOVED by Todd Patton (New Lowell), THAT the Meeting be adjourned at 8:04 p.m., SECONDED by Christian Ray (Barrie Sr.), CARRIED.