

Union Baseball Association

February 16, 2016

Minutes

President's Report - Aaron Bailey - City is going to pay for the dugout covers for Field 2.

They have started working already. They are also going to work on the bullpens after we get the fencing (either donated or we pay for). Union High School is donating equipment bags and will donate old equipment. We're working on coordinating activities with the HS baseball team (camps, registration, etc.).

VP Report - Virgil Davis - Virgil is resigning his term. - Aaron appointed Kory Ries to fill in this year. Kory accepted.

Treasurer's Report - Cyndi D'Onofrio - \$13,034.36 in the bank. No pending charges.

Secretary's Report - Ehren Curnutte moved to approve the minutes as read. Ed Curnutte 2nd. Motion passed.

Field & Equipment -

- Ed Curnutte moved to pay someone \$5 per field to set up the field properly. If they do not set up the field properly, they do not get paid. Keep track of the field prep in the scorebook. Motion tabled until this meeting. The motion did not receive a 2nd.
- Gary D'Onofrio moved to make the field setup part of the Home coach's responsibility and the umpires will have the final say on whether or not the field is set up correctly. If the field needs to be fixed, both coaches will be notified and both teams will help fix the field. Virgil Davis 2nd. Motion passed.
- To help with field set up, we will make a flyer on proper setup. Give to coaches at Draft. Keep laminated version at the field. Make a survey in Google Docs - post to website. People go online to register complaints if someone isn't following through with proper setup or takedown.
- Joe Lippert said that coaches could view Paul Reddic Baseball - Internet site for coaching drills and information.
- Do we have insurance? Who's it through and what are we covered for? Yes, all covered through our insurance through Little League. We still need to take inventory of what we have and keep a record of it every year.

Fundraising / Money -

- 2016 Advertising Options - Keep working to get banners sold. Download an application online.
- Sponsorships - keep looking for sponsors.

Players, Coaches & Games -

- Last Day to Register - March 6th
- Late Registration (fee assessed) - March 7th - March 13th - \$40
- Draft Day - March 20 - Moose Lodge
- Scorekeeping Clinic - April 10 - ECC - do we have a room name/#? Not yet, need proof of insurance.
- Coaching Clinics - April 10th - 1pm-5pm - ECC - do we have a room name/#? Not yet, need proof of insurance.
- Umpire Training - April 10 - 1pm - ECC - do we have a room name/#? Not yet, need proof of insurance.
- Opening Day BBQ / Party - Need someone to take charge. Set a date of April 16th - Tickets to coaches, coaches distribute to parents. Kids games. No coaches game. Burger, brats, hamburgers for everyone. Nicer foods for volunteers and coaches. Kim Adkins will ask Swiss meats for donations.
- Sign Ups - online & in person - Feb 27th and March 5th - 10 to 2 at Hardee's
 - Feb 27th - Kim Adkins, Ashley Hulseley
 - March 5th - Cyndi D'Onofrio, Matt Bradley
- Input Paper Applications - Need volunteers & set a time/date to do it. Ehren Curnutte will take the lead on it.

New Business -

- March 19th - Work Day - Starts around 9am
 - Field Work
 - Equipment Inventory & Set Up Team Bags
 - Clean Up Concession Stand
- Active Network - problem signing up 4yr olds and 10 yr olds. Should be fixed this week.
- 11U Comp ball - Ryan Bailey is point man - 8 teams total - \$800/team
- Chris Julian - asked to retain Shelter Insurance team and step up as Manager and remove Jim Trybus as Manager.
- Joe Lippert - talked about introducing an open field concept on Saturdays to train kids, coaches, and parents.
- Kim Adkins moved to adjourn. Gary D'Onofrio 2nd. Motion passed.

Attendance

Kimberly Adkins
Amanda Kuelker
Ashley Hulsey
Tim Kuelker
Joshua Hulsey
Chris Julian
Joe Lippert
Ed Curnutte
Chris Wagner
Chad Tooley
Matt Bradley
Mike Skornia
Kory Ries
Ehren Curnutte
Gary D'Onofrio
Cyndi D'Onofrio
Aaron Bailey
Adrienne Bailey