

SOSLI

District Rep Meeting Minutes for Feb 27, 2022

Meeting conducted via Zoom. 2pm.

I. Call to Order

II. Attendance

SOSLI Board Members		Present? Yes/No
President	Rachel Ray	Yes
Vice President	Amanda Maham	No
Treasurer	Lindsey Brandenburg	Yes
Secretary	Beth Griffith	Yes
Historian	Kristin Bennett	Yes

District Reps		Present? Yes/No
Batavia	Jason Moeller	Yes
Bethel	Kelley Douglas	Yes
Blanchester	Jamey Grogg	Yes
CNE	Nick / Matt Wilson	Yes/Yes
Fayetteville	Kim Waddle	Yes
Felicity	Tiffany Sanders	Yes
Georgetown	Chassity Fender	Yes
Goshen	Miki Mills	Yes
Lynchburg	Jason Hubbard/Sarah Hubbard	Yes/Yes
Mt. Orab	Scott Stiges	Yes
New Richmond	Ben Greeson	Yes
Williamsburg	Matt Watson	Yes
WT	Jamie Mayes	Yes

III. Team Counts

Team Counts	5U	6U	7U	8U	9U	10U	12U	14U
Batavia	0	1	1	0	2	1	0	1
Bethel	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Blanchester	0	1	0	1	0	1	1	1
CNE	1	1	0	1	1	0	1	1
Fayetteville	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1
Felicity	1	1	0	1	1	1	0	0
Georgetown	1	1	0	1	0	1	0	1
Goshen	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	0
Lynchburg	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Mt. Orab	1	2	2	1	1	1	1	1
NR	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	0
Williamsburg	1	1	1	1	0	1	1	0
WT	1	2	1	1	1	0	1	0
	13	15	10	12	11	11	12	8

92 Teams

IV. Softball Orders

- a. Turn in orders to Rachel by the end of the week (Friday March 4th). Current cost is \$67.00/dozen, but Scott is looking to see if we can get a discount through Dudley or find another option.

V. Releases/Exceptions

- a. Discussed players releases between Batavia and WT. Blanchester rosters are grandfathered in from previous year roster. All new players in the future must be from Blanchester school district.
- b. Discussed that exceptions are for 1 year only and need to be reviewed each year.
 1. 5 districts with exception requests. Mt. Orab, Lynchburg, Bethel, Williamsburg, Felicity
 2. Voted to determine if we should review exceptions at this meeting or the next meeting. Vote passed to review each exception at today's meeting.

Exception- vote now=YES	
Batavia	Y
Bethel	Y
Blanchester	Y
CNE	N
Fayetteville	Y
Felicity	N
Georgetown	N
Goshen	Y
Lynchburg	Y
Mt. Orab	Y
NR	Y
Williamsburg	Y
WT	N

G-town: Suggestion-
can we vote by
email? Instead of
waiting

3. Discussed that we should vote to see how many districts support exceptions before continuing to hear each exception. Vote passed with 7 FOR, 3 AGAINST, 3 ABSTAIN.

Districts that support exceptions?	
Batavia	Abstain
Bethel	Y
Blanchester	Abstain
CNE	Against- except ADA reasons
Fayetteville	Y
Felicity	Y
Georgetown	Y
Goshen	Against
Lynchburg	Y
Mt. Orab	Y
NR	Against
Williamsburg	Y
WT	Abstain

4. Began with Bethel exception for Isabella Gavey. 4th grader requesting to play at 9U level with her sister. Vote passed with 9 YES, 4 NO

Bethel exception

Batavia	Y
Bethel	Y
Blanchester	Y
CNE	N
Fayetteville	N
Felicity	Y
Georgetown	Y
Goshen	N
Lynchburg	Y
Mt. Orab	Y
NR	N
Williamsburg	Y
WT	Y

5. After some more discussion President, Rachel Ray, made an executive decision to change the exception approval process to be sent via email. Each district with an exception should email all reps by Friday March 4th with their exception details.

VI. Important Dates for 2022

- a. Team Counts Due: Feb 27th
- b. Rosters Due: March 19th
- c. League Fees & Softball order money is due: March 19. Price is \$200.00 per Team
- d. Coaches meetings:
 1. March 19th at 1:30 in Batavia @ Batavia Township Park. Clough Pike.
 2. March 27th at 11:00 in Georgetown High School cafeteria
- e. Umpire Training dates:
 1. March 19th at 3:00 in Batavia @ Batavia Township Park. Clough Pike.
 2. April 3rd at 1:00 in Goshen @ John Heisler Park. Kirbett Road.
- f. Season Start Date: April 4th
- g. Mid-Season Drop Date: April 28th
- h. Mid-Season Tournament Dates and Host
 1. May 5th-May 9th will be hosted by Mt Orab and Batavia. Ages held at each location are not determined yet.
- i. End-of-Season Drop Date: June 14th
- j. Last date for League games to be entered for Tournament Seeding: June 17th
- k. Last date for games to be entered for League placement: June 22nd
- l. End of Season Tournament Dates and Host
 1. June 23rd – June 27th will be hosted by New Richmond and Goshen. Ages held at each location are not determined yet.
- m. All Star Games
 1. July 1st and July 2nd hosted by New Richmond

VII. Open Forum

- a. No discussion.
- b. Next Meeting: March 19, 2022 @ 12pm in Batavia.

VIII. Meeting Adjourned