## **SOSLI LEAGUE MEETING NOTES**

Date: 2/23/20 Location: Goshen

I. Call to OrderII. Roll Call

SOSLI BOARD MEMBERS:		PRESENT:
PRESIDENT	RACHEL RAY	YES
VICE PRESIDENT	MICK MCMULLEN	YES
TREASURER	KRISTIN BENNETT	YES
SECRETARY	AMBER TURNER	YES

SOSLI DISTRICT REPS:		PRESENT:
BATAVIA	AMANDA MAHAM	YES
BETHEL	KELLEY DOUGLAS	YES
CNE	ANTHONY WILSON	YES
EASTERN	JOSH TABOR	YES
FAYETTEVILLE	KIM WADDLE	YES
FELICITY	LINDSEYBRANDENBURG	YES
GEORGETOWN	CHASITY FENDER	YES
GOSHEN	MIKI MILLS	YES
LYNCHBURG	BETH GRIFFITH	YES
MT. ORAB	NICK BROWN	YES
NEW RICHMOND	CARI LALLY	YES
TEALTOWN	BOBBY TYMINSKI	YES
WILLIAMSBURG	MATT WATSON	YES
WT	MELVIN ECKERT	NO

# TEAM COUNTS:

	5U	6U	7U	8U	9U	10U	12U	14U
BATAVIA	-	1	2	1	1	-	2	1
BETHEL	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
CNE	1	-	1	0	1	-	1	1
EASTERN	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
FAYETTEVILLE	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
FELICITY	1	1	1	1	1	-	-	-
GEORGETOWN	2	1	0	2	0	-	1	-
GOSHEN	0	2	1	2	1	1	1	1
LYNCHBURG	2	1	1	1	-	1	1	1
MT. ORAB	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
NEW RICHMD	2	1	1	1	0	1	-	1
TEALTOWN	1	-	-	1	-	1	1	1
WILLIAMSBURG	1	1	-	1	-	1	-	-
WT	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	1
TOTALS:	15	11	12	14	7	9	11	11

### BALL COUNT:

	11 INCH:	12 INCH:
BATAVIA	5	4
BETHEL	5	2
CNE	2	1
EASTERN	0	0
FAYETTEVILLE	5	2
FELICITY	3	0
GEORGETOWN	4	1
GOSHEN	0	0
LYNCHBURG	7	4
MT. ORAB	10	4
NEW RICHMOND	0	3
TEALTOWN	2	2
WILLIAMSBURG	2	0
WT	?	?

#### V. Recap Important Dates

- 1. Umpire Training dates: 3/22 at Fayetteville at 3:30pm or 3/29 at Batavia 2/30pm.
- 2. Mid-season tournament dates: Fayetteville 5/6 to 5/11, Batavia 5/6 to 5/11.
- -age breakdowns by coaches meeting.
- 3. End of season tournament dates: Bethel 6/18 to ?, Felicity 6/18 to ?
- 4. Rosters due 3/22
- 5. Schedules released 3/29
- -Any district specific requests, get to Rachel or Mick ASAP for schedules. Coaches are able to reschedule and there will be errors.
- -If coaches do not attend one of the meetings on 3/22 or 3/29, they cannot talk to umpires. This includes assistant coaches.

#### VI. Open Issues

- 1. Player Releases-
- 2. Jason Dalton (WT) is not allowed at tournaments or league games and may only attend a SOSLI game if there is an immediate family member playing. There was a meeting with him and he promised to do as asked. WT will not be allowed to host tournaments for a year for due to what he did.
- 3. Baseball umpires can come to the meeting for umpires for experienced umpires and get clickers and rulebooks. We won't use umpires in tournaments that are not at these meetings. Umpires need certified. Umpires can be approved by each park but they need to know SOSLI rules.
- 4. Player Exception Committee and Player exceptions:
- -grade level and age which is listed on website too.
- -talk about this more in the fall starting with this year's kindergarten class start this age adding them in each year one at a time by grade level. We will need to decide to go by age or grade, we cannot grandfather kids in.

#### 5. Exceptions:

- -Williamsburg requested 6U first grader 4/17/12 DOB be approved. All reps approved and voted "YES" to this exception.
- -Eastern requested two new players who are sisters be approved for 8U with DOB 1/11 (3<sup>rd</sup> grade) and 2/10 (4<sup>th</sup> grade). The grade plus age puts the 2/10 sister over for 8U but would give enough for an 8U team. All votes are "NO" for these two players.
- -Felicity requested a first-grader that wants to play 6U and misses the DOB by a month. All reps approved and voted "YES" to this exception.

- -Lynchburg requested a 9U 3<sup>rd</sup> grader who is a first year player with a DOB of 4/25 misses the cutoff by 3 months. All votes are "YES" and approved this exception.
- -Mt. Orab requested 6U for a 1<sup>st</sup> grader who has a DOB putting her two days over the requirement and in 7U. She wants to play 6U. All reps approve and voted "YES" to this exception.
- -Williamsburg has two girls who were 10U last year and are in 5<sup>th</sup> grade and hope to play 10U again because they are 5<sup>th</sup> graders to the present and age 11. DOB for these two: 6/28/08 and 7/28/08. All reps approved and voted "YES" to these two exceptions.

#### VII. Old Business Recap.

-Season starts 4/6 and ends 6/17 at 10pm. Seeding set on June 14<sup>th</sup>.

#### VIII. Open Forum

- 1. Meeting on 3/22 at Fayetteville. Reps at 1:00, coaches at 2:00.
- 2. Meeting on 3/29 at Batavia. Coaches at 1:00, experienced umps at 2:30 followed by regular umps at 3:00.

#### IX. Meeting Adjourned.

<sup>\*</sup>These kids that are exceptions and are approved as exceptions cannot dual roster.