

DRS League Meeting Minutes  
Monday June 29, 2009  
St. Patrick's Bar & Grill

Meeting called to order by Secretary, Sean O'Neill. Roll call showed all teams present. President Jerry Walerius was absent.

There were no additions or changes to the April meeting minutes.

Chris Hertaus submitted the treasurer's report. The report showed the league is in good financial shape. The balance shows a positive \$2966.33 with all bills paid. The league is owed a total of \$470 for 10 dozen baseballs billed out to St. Benedict and the NP American Legion team (5 dozen each). Once paid the balance will be \$3436.33

Playoff rosters were discussed. All teams were notified that their playoff rosters must be at 20 players. All teams designated their 2009 playoff roster at this meeting and signed off on each team in their respective divisions. No further protests on playoff rosters can be made.

DRS playoffs were the next item. It was confirmed that the White Division will be a double elimination format, the Blue Division will be a best of three format and the Red Division will be a round robin format to determine the two teams from each division that will advance to regions.

Also discussed was the 25 man regular season roster. Two teams had more than 25 players on their roster at one time this season. All teams were reminded of the DRS rule that they are NOT allowed more than 25 on their roster at one time. The teams decided that a penalty on the books was unnecessary. Each team is asked to adhere to this and Marcy Dvorak will do her best to monitor.

It was confirmed that the All-Star Game will be held in New Prague on Friday July 10<sup>th</sup>. Nick Schoenecker has been in contact with the RVL and all is on schedule. He will work on a program. **All DRS players are asked to be at the NP Park at 5:30pm.** The DRS roster was set at tonight's meeting and the team will be managed by Monte Hennen, Terry Fredrickson and Sean O'Neill. HR contest is at 7:30pm and the game at 8pm.

All teams were asked their interest in taking an ad out for the 2009 State Tournament Program. After some discussion it was decided that the league would pay for a ½ page black and white ad at a cost of \$200. This was by a 12-0 vote. Terry Fredrickson will modify last year's ad and we will note that Elko was last year's Class C champ and note other league success in the state tournament. Sean O'Neill will notify the reps from Gaylord and Arlington.

It was noted that there were a large number of ejections this year during league games. All teams were reminded of the league policy. After discussion it was a consensus that there was not a major problem. Many teams felt there was some over reaction from umpires. No further action was taken as everyone is on board with league policy.

All necessary paperwork was completed by the teams at this meeting and submitted to Marcy Dvorak. She will submit to the state board. All teams were reminded that if they make regions, they need to fill out region roster forms. ***These must be typed not hand written.*** An electronic copy is available on the state web site.

With no further business the meeting was adjourned. No date has been set for the next meeting and teams will be contacted. Good luck to all in the 2009 playoffs.