

## **DRS League Meeting Minutes**

**June 28, 2018 7 pm Doublewide Bar**

421 St Joseph St, Elko New Market, MN 55054

### **Roll Call/Call to Order**

Meeting called to order at 7:04pm by President Sticha. All teams present with Faribault arriving late.

### **Secretary's Report**

#### **1. Accept last Meeting's Minutes**

Motion Webster and second by Union Hill to accept the minutes from our last meeting. Approved 12-0.

### **Treasurer's Report**

#### **1. Financial update**

Treasurer Hertaus reported a balance of \$2,029.30. After officer salaries in Fall/Spring he expects us to be at \$879.31. That would be a little light going into 2019, but we do expect some revenue from the DRS/RVL All-Star game. Shakopee motion to approve. Second by New Market. Approved 12-0.

### **Old Business**

#### **1. 2018 Playoff/Region format**

Reviewed format again and asked of any questions. Teams asked for some flexibility with dates and times if it made sense for revenues and attendance.

#### **2. RVL/DRS All-Star Game – July 14<sup>th</sup> in Fairfax. 2:05pm start time.**

##### **a. Roster formation (28 players) and choose Managers**

Decided on roster make-up and created 24 player team based on team standings. Managers: Johnny Johnson (St. Patrick), Todd Bergstrom (New Market) and Terry Fredrickson (Elko) also chose four at-large pitcher nominees) Roster to be announced in early July.

##### **b. Honorary Captain**

Motion Elko and second by St. Benedict to have Mike Sandmann of Webster serve as Honorary Captain. Mike recently released himself from the Webster roster after a LONG, LONG tenure. Approved 12-0.

### **New Business**

#### **1. Suspended Games/Game Restart clarification**

Note to teams that 4.5 innings need to be completed for a game to count as complete. Any less than that and it is a restart from the beginning. Exception would be in post-season play.

#### **2. Final Roster Submissions**

- a. MBA Playoffs: 25 player max (which is already DRS League max)
- b. Ensure these 25 (or less) players are listed on your Team Roster Websites as “active”
- c. If any of the 25 players do not fulfill 4 League games played during the Regular Season (except for Summer Wood Bat players who’ve been on your Roster), they should be changed to “inactive” and are not eligible for Postseason
- d. Copies of each team’s Rosters must be signed by all League Team Reps tonight
- e. No further transactions can take place after tonight

All of the above information was reviewed with all teams. Play-off rosters were finalized tonight with all teams signing off on each other’s rosters. Only exception will be Webster releasing one player from their roster who has made himself ineligible. No penalty to Webster.

Reviewed the new process of loading team roster data into ScoreMonster. Teams are encouraged to enter it in ASAP and as accurately as possible. MBA will use this data to begin roster scoring and team classification process.

### **3. Next meeting Oct/Nov**

Look for an update from President Sticha at a later date.

### **4. Scott County Historical Society – “Play Ball” exhibit**

Brought up for discussion, but due to checkbook balance being a little low, no motion to sponsor.

### **5. Any other New Business items?**

Some concerns brought up over the quality of Umpiring. Request to not have a single umpire assigned to handle a double header. Still not general support for two man crews. Any questions or concerns on umpires going forward present to President Sticha and he will report to the NW Umpire Association.

### **Adjournment**

Motion Webster and second Union Hill to adjourn. Meeting adjourned at 8:34pm by President Sticha.