# **Spring Grove Baseball Association**

March 28, 2023 7:00pm



Welcome: Meeting called to order at 7:07PM at the Jefferson Borough Building

Attendees: Josh Fishel, Pat Craig, Jennifer Sipe, April Gruver, Michael Nicholas, Damian Sipe, Jon Kilmer, Amber Roth, Mike Frey

Guests: Jenn Bankert, Jasmine Caskey, Jason Trayer, Bob Runkles, Katie Runkles

## President's Report, submitted by Josh Fishel:

 Motion to accept February meeting minutes – the time at the top of the minutes needs to be corrected otherwise all accepted

## Vice President's report, submitted by Pat Craig:

- Uniforms for 8UA-12U have been ordered and should take about 3 weeks.
- o Still need to order teeball, 8UB and 8UC
  - Spirit wear has all been handed out

## **Treasurer's Report, submitted by April Gruver:**

o SGBA Accident insurance is due in March

March 2023	
Beginning Balance	\$62,147.70
Credits	\$7,744.34
Debits	\$14,455.33
Ending Balance	\$55,436.71

#### Secretary's Report, submitted by Jennifer Sipe:

- o Still waiting on small game of chance status.
- Small first aid bags need to be purchased because the existing bags were falling apart all approved
  - The small bags will be given to all coaches to take to away games.
  - The large bags will stay at each field for home games.
- Uniform list information
  - SGBA owes 11 teeball players \$35 for uniforms
  - SGBA owes 25 8UB&C players \$35 for uniforms
  - 4 10U players owe SGBA \$35 for uniforms
  - 6 12U players owe SGBA \$35 for uniforms
  - 2 16-19 players owe SGBA \$35 for uniforms

#### **Equipment Director, submitted by Jon Kilmer:**

- Need 1 bucket of 48 balls
- o Catcher's gear will be placed at Jefferson, NC and HS for 8UB and 8UC
- o Catcher's gear will be given to each 8UA, 5-10U, 4-12U teams
  - Need more bags for gear all approved to purchase
- Equipment handout planned for 3/31 from 6pm 7:30pm
  - Mike to email out to all coaches
- o \$500 from Dicks included purchasing catcher's mitts, helmets and baseballs

#### **Technology Director, submitted by Michael Nicholas:**

Nothing to report

## League Liaison, submitted by Blane Reichart:

o York county teams are registered for 8U-12U and the older teams will be registered later.

#### Fundraising and Sponsorship Director, submitted by Amber Roth:

- Continuing to send out requests weekly for sponsors
- Suggested a sub sale and York Revs fundraiser

#### Player Agent/Player Development Director, submitted by Tim Steinhauer:

Nothing to report

# **Communications Director, submitted by Mike Frey:**

Late requests for registration (1-14U and 1-teeball) – all approved to accept late registration.

## Fields and Grounds Director, submitted by Damian Sipe:

- Damian reviewed summary of costs and savings from donations.
  - o Logos for donations should be placed on website and banners made
- Thank you to all who helped with the fields.
- Jefferson still need 1 load of Diamond Tex at approximately \$1400 all approved
  - o Moving L-screen and digout tool from SG boro to Jefferson
  - Will remove trash from sheds and then concrete the floor
- St Rose of Lima the school will allow us to use 1-2 fields. 8U and teeball can use the small field. We will plan to use the larger field in the future.
  - o Remember on Sundays we cannot start practice/games until after 1pm
  - Benches need fixed
- o NC Leaves need cleaned up. Plan for cleanup on 4/7.
- o SG Boro Bus garage possibly used for batting cage and pitching. Will ask and determine this in the future.
- Heidelberg Damian will check back in with Heidelberg in July because there will be new leadership.
- Email to be sent out for donations of tractors to drag fields at NC and Jefferson.

#### **Open Floor:**

- Opening Day scheduled for April 15 at Jefferson field starting at 9am (all board members are to arrive by 7:30am)
  - 8U & 10U scrimmages to be scheduled on the mid field
  - Teeball scrimmages to be scheduled on the upper field
  - 35+ scrimmage on the big field
  - Need signup sheet for concession donations Jen to do
  - Small game of chance items to be purchased
  - HS players to help with directing parking
  - Will kick off opening day with national anthem and announcing all players on the field
  - The youngest player will throw the first pitch of the season to the oldest player
  - The board decided not to have picture taken during opening day and will use the company that the school uses – Josh to coordinate
  - Jon K to reach out to Kona Ice
  - Mike F provide drone to take pics
- O Mike N. mentioned that there is no tee at NC Upper
- Mike N. also mentioned that some parents are concerned with no communication for 8U yet. That is because teams were just formed tonight and coaches will be reaching out soon.

Announcements: The next meeting is scheduled for Tuesday April 25, 2023 at 6:00 PM at Jefferson Borough building.

Adjournment: Meeting was adjourned at 8:50 PM.

Respectfully submitted

Jennifer Sipe, Secretary

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