

Joelle Motion to approve meeting minutes
Lisa 2nd.
Meeting minutes changed to reflect meeting today.
Minutes approved.

Community Members
Shain Mason - Teague Zimmer
Frank Alanise - AAA Coach
Ben Morris Yankee AAA Coach

Shain - Illustrating issue about cheering for Yankees, arguing for the Yankees
Mel stated she was at game because her son Andy was umpiring.

Frustrated with partisanship towards one team.

Issue related to time keeping

Back and forth between board members, Frank, Shain,

John - Addressed Perception issue.

Frank - frustrated with dealing with Parents questioning coaching decisions.

John - Impartiality - VP Coaching a team

President - Coaching a team

Umpire issue discussed - lack of umpire leading to unknown.

Raised issue of mandatory 3 hour coach education meeting.

Mel - Shared her history of going to 3 families on Cubs to help with batting.

Addressed "Monkey" issue and explained nickname given to Colton Price by family.

Shared comments from Parent Coach frustrated with "time".

Frank's assistant - added comments about not having rule book. Corrective note was made that Frank was sent rule book.

Frank shared experience with parent informing him of player that started season hating baseball and will be first to sign up for fall ball.

Chad - Equipment: Vp's take ownership of bags and duct tape who they came from.

Collect equipment and check it back out. Regular season bags by June 25th.

Post season coaches keep until July 4th except for all-star teams.

Question was asked about all stars starting practice before June 15th. No issue starting before.

Chad mentioned need for more transparent post season selection announcement process.

Agreement amongst many with this point.

Alpenrose feedback - Positive and successful. John Y. suggested an award for most popular basket.

Post Season - SW charging \$100 per payer

Lincoln looking to charge \$68.00

Discussion around changing our post season registration fees.

Agreement to maintain \$100 registration.

Fall Ball - Registration to open our July 1. Fall ball registration cost \$100
1st games after Memorial Day. Teams formed by August 15th. Needed to get uniforms ordered. Huntley, Joelle, and Brian was nominated. Frank A.

12 year old Fall Ball - Wilson SWPLL 50/70

Kurt to send Jake Hammer Field Rainouts.

Huntley to provide draft Survey Monkey questionnaire to Mel.

Linda M. Still needs pictures of kids with jerseys that has Land-o-frost on jersey.

Sending out plaques to randomly selected teams.

Discussion around last inning being open and suggestion to reconsider this.

Umpires:

John will do training this summer for field umps - mid-August. (Saturday) For those that will be 13 next year.

John Y. Will be resigning head umpire (UIC) after tournament this year.

Doesn't believe in competitive nature of little league.

John is looking for a replacement.

Kurt suggested google docs for batting cages & practices

Kurt also suggested better discussion around assistant coaches and players selections.
Frank - Asked about AA teams delivering kids with adequate experience so not as many teams that have kids not ready for AAA.

Board Meeting Sept. 10.