





## RBSA \_\_7/9/23\_\_\_ Meeting Minutes

President D. Carlquist called the meeting to order at 5:11. In attendance were C. Farrell, T. Farrell, A. Vukoder, E. Pirollo, J. Platten, G. Kuzas, B. Beesley, and F. Soukup. May minutes were approved

## **Officers Reports**

**K.Parmalee** (via email): Rubber Ducks tickets 122 sold-has site wide reminder been sent?

Email blast resent per C. Farrell

Travel uniforms invoice balances due 8/1

Fall Ball dates 8/14-Mid October

Changing PortaPotty service for next year

**<u>D. Carlquist</u>**: Trophies to be picked up and distributed.

Crown Trophy will match any online quote; they also make banners

Trophy ordering after team formation next year

Participation Ribbons for T-ball

<u>Umpires</u>: positive feedback. No complaints of coach or parent behavior

Spangler: clarify fees at start of 2024 season

Currently: E league: \$140/2, \$80/1, Travel \$130/2, \$80/1,

Travel Cancellation fee: \$20 each or \$35 if ump showed before Cx

Travel SB: \$75/1. Umps too old-can't keep up with game.

Finding new Ump discussion: Certify our own at \$200 each @ University of Akron

Shop around 2-3 companies in area-F. Soukup to explore this further

<u>Scholarship</u>: \$500 x 2 given to graduating seniors (one male & one female)

Originally was sending check to school, but decided to issue check to student since

less than \$600

## Field Improvements:

Bath: Kickball season wreaks havoc on Bath Elementary field.

RW: Remove grass on center field so it can be used by 8u-13u.

Replace Base Stanchions & plugs which we have in storage.

Discussion of repair costs/quotes with Richfield. Enlist residents to voice concerns to community/mayor

RTH: Waiting on new shed creation

**BBP**: Mounds arrived-not installed yet

SB Dugouts: upgrade to concrete?

Running water-a mere pipe dream

Extending batting cages so pitchers for safely warm up

Reallocate fence money from F4

F4 & F5-new nets & screens need installed (in storage)

<u>Sculpt</u>-Made offer to Revere for exclusive lease facility at the prohibitive cost of \$70K annually

<u>Sponsorship Plaques</u>: Cindy F to contact BSL and mail out when ready Travel Banner hung at home games. Did travel get \$ from this? Cindy F will ask Pete

**C. Farrell:** Fall Ball Registration is open until 7/31. Non-volunteer fee removed. Refunds to be issued for late fee

<u>J. Platten</u>: H league parents request addition of a B travel team.

Creation of tournament team with the best of rec players discussed to experience competitive play without the rigors of travel ball. Add to rec league sign up in spring

**B.** Beesley: Commissioner needed for Fall Ball & BMP in fall

Equipment return before fall ball starts.

Requests seasonal admin position to relieve job of commissioners & coaches Duties to be outlined and advertised in the future

**F. Soukup**: E league registration needs to be open until mid May due to league play starting after HS ends. Leftover umpire fees to be returned to the treasurer.

Meeting adjourned	at	6:58	pm
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