



January Monthly League Wide Meeting NOTES (01/06/16)

Meeting started 7:40pm – Ended 8:48pm There were 11 others in attendance in addition to 7 EB members.

Agenda/Notes from the February League Wide meeting (01/06/16)

OPERATIONS: Bill /Ray

Our 2016 Spring Rec. Season registration launched, this past Saturday

--Looking to make sure the word gets out, posted large banner sign on Rt 523, signs hung on school fences RMS/HBS, email blasts, lawn signs being produced for both areas. Papers across towns will be running notice, reminders as will the school list servs.

Coaches' application/Spring Season will be posted later in the week- Email will be sent

--Only new coaches this year to league (that didn't coach in our RTJBL during Season 2015) will be required to self-pay the background screening process online during the application. We will cross reference and forward back any that had not been on the roster and screened in 2015.

Diamond Nation meeting –Super bowl Sunday use of the dome we are working through logistics as we will not have full season all divisions run through evaluations on that day as we had in the many past years. We are only evaluating new players R2-M70 We are also looking into finalizing options for LS, Rookie and Coaches Clinics. (DN, BSC, Zoned) We will host LS player clinics as well as coaches for 8 weeks within the season. And offer 4 weeks for the Rookies both 1 and 2.

By-Law Updates, Others (review tonight) cast votes next month

Two remaining items that were introduced and reviewed prior meetings related to by law edits. Handouts were left, the voting council will need to cast vote next month's meeting. (a) Attendance to participate in Travel (b) Travel Code of Conduct

Managers --- Much dialog around day to day managing the players/teams. We need to and would like support to roll out effective consistent pitch count for players. As well as the attendance of players. Many aspects of safety and teams overall value depend on it. Whether it's a manual count, clicker, tally whatever the player's parents and managers should all be on the same page as to the health and wellbeing of the player's arms There are middle school players, games, rec, travel, other teams we need to somehow keep good track to ensure no one is over extended.

Also talked about I score and other means of keeping a team book, capturing stats, important info etc. all in one place.



SPONSORSHIP/SPECIAL EVENTS: Gary

Fund Raising and Planning --- Just getting started – Will be contacting past sponsors for interest in renewal, and new ones. Going to email process rather than in the mail, see how that works out for us.

FINANCE: Guy

Two sponsors check already in. We received the return funding of \$3K from the 12 U Cooperstown team that we pre-paid in Q4.

FACILITIES/EQUIPMENT: Swanny

All equipment has been thoroughly survey, Anthony reviewed. We will as we thought need to replace the younger player's catcher's equipment. We've been looking into the deals we can get for hockey mask type.

ADMIN/OPERATIONS: Pam

Web site- work in progress refresh old to new season

Key Dates final for posting – still working through a few final alterations and then should have all posted. Opening day is slated for the 16th of April!!