

RICHVILLE BASEBALL SOFTBALL ASSOCIATION

The April Coaches Meeting of The Richville Baseball and Softball Association was held on Sunday April 21st 2024, at 18:00 in the large pavilion at Richville Community Park with President Bowen calling the meeting to order. In attendance were:

Board Members – Mike Bowen, Josh Shimek, Steven Jones, Melissa Shimek, Drew Zollars, Sam Haiduc.

Coaches / Attendees – Mike Scharver, Brandon Sanko Sr., Gail Whipkey, Heather Scheffler, Amie Orwick, Justin Baldwin, John Marks, Ian Ramsey, Brandon Shank, Matthew Ames, Cody Minor, James P. Neal II.

Secretaries Report

- Recording Secretary Haiduc reviewed the minutes taken from the March Board Meeting. Minutes approved by Brandon Sanko and Mike Scharver 2nd.

Treasurers Report

\$14,376 Fluid Funds
\$5,876 Team Funds
\$20,252 Total in Account

Treasurer Jones reported:

- Reported on major expenses which included \$12,083 to Regos, \$2,289 for infield mix, \$476 for gravel. Board also purchased many sets of catcher's gear.

Treasurers report accepted with Mike Scharver making motion and Brandon Sanko 2nd the motion.

League Coordinator Report

League Coordinator Melissa Shimek reported:

- Picture Day times for all teams
- There will be a makeup time for pictures for those who are still awaiting uniforms. Were 4 teams affected.

New Business

- Received \$300 from Dicks Sponsorship as we had great attendance during coupon day. We also received more coupons to use for gear!
- Banners should be up in 2 weeks
- Two proposals made for field #4: One was for electric to be run to field. President Mike stated that the electric that was in the shed was not ours.
- The temporary homerun fencing will be arriving this week. Matthew Ames volunteered to mark where posts will go.
- September 8th is the Eagles Car Show at park. Will be needing volunteers. It would be great to have volunteers as they have already donated \$10,000 to RBSA.

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- Any interest for a 2025 Festival? Many scholarship applicants stated that they loved the old festival. Secretary Haiduc stated that for a festival to take place, we will need a commitment from at least 20 to 30 people. As that was the average number that was needed when the RVFD ran the Homecoming (Which Haiduc was the Fire Association President and was involved for 16 of the past festivals.)
- Umpire monies – See Treasurer Steve after meeting! Prices – 10-12 are \$70/game and 13-14 are \$80/game.
- Mike Scharver and Brandon Sanko still need coaches shirts
- Coach Whipkey asked for a piece of fencing to be installed at opening of fence on first base side of field #6 as balls go thru the opening and into the creek

Treasurer Drew Zollars Report

The board has made the rounds around the fields and have found field tampers, rakes, shovels laying around as well as trash not collected at field. ALL, we must do our part to keep OUR PARK clean!

Motion was made to call the meeting to order, and motions made by Gail Whipkey 1st and Josh Shimek 2nd.