

LONG VALLEY BASEBALL CLUB



MEETING MINUTES

Date: September 7, 2023

ATTENDANCE	
Nick Meile, President	Dawn Clessuras
Rob Baker, Vice President	Adam Foltz
Colin Rafter, Treasurer	Jacob Ulm
Steve Hagemann, Secretary	Kevin Mooney
Kevin Dailey	Will Condron
Mike Glock	Greg Finer
Jim Richmond	Jason Melofchek

A meeting for the LVBC was called to order at Cornerstone pizza by President Nick Miele at 7:34 pm

Financial Update:

- Profits: About \$700 for July and \$4000 in August due to rec registration.
- Rec expenses and travel dues for USABL will come off the books next month.
- Net profit of about \$3000 for snack stand.
- Next meeting, will have a better breakdown of concession stand profit and profit through hosting the State tournament for 13U.
- About \$16K in the black for the year.
- About \$3000 in umpire costs will be coming out, as well as some uniform costs. Also, utility costs and umpire costs for rec.

Rec Update:

- Schedule is in process. Most game schedules are completed, except for minors.

- Playing with MO and Roxbury.
- Rec uniforms should be in on Thursday
- Equipment pick up date TBD. Jim Richmond will determine distribution date and communicate to coaches.

Travel Update:

- Travel uniforms are in.
- Tryout date: October 8, Rain date October 15 (8U through 14U)
- Tryout info distribution through league email, facebook, Long Valley Moms facebook
- Opening Tournament: Will look into Ripken on weekend of April 6, 7
- Winter Practices - Will take suggestions and investigate other options.
 - Looking for a larger space for 14U.
 - Randolph
 - Centercourt
 - ITZ
 - Mount Olive Bubble
 - Prospects
- A kid from Tewksberry is interested in playing on the fall 11U travel team. There is no team offered in their town.
 - Motion to allow Tewksberry child to play on 11U travel team in the fall. Motion passed unanimously.

Cornhole Tournament:

- October 20, 6PM arrival and 6:30 start time
- Jacob to create flyer
- Will work with Colin to set up Registration in Sports Engine
- \$50 per team. Prizes TBD.

P4 Lights Upgrade:

- New bulbs installed on field 4.

Board Updates:

- Nominations needed for executive positions:
 - Secretary: Dawn Clessuras
 - Vice President: Rob Baker

AOB:

- Nick proposing that we do a banquet for LVBC to celebrate each of our teams, and celebrating the kids who will no longer be playing with us. Would like to start the banquet this year.
 - Motion to plan and implement an EOY banquet for the outgoing 14U team. Passed unanimously.
- Greg Finer suggesting a league wide trip to Cooperstown for the Baseball HOF.
 - 10/27 through 10/29, or 11/10 through 11/12

- Greg determined group rates for room and museum tix.
- Jacob wants a popcorn machine to replace the pretzel machine.
 - Jacob makes motion to purchase a popcorn machine, not to exceed \$200, for the snack stand. Motion passed unanimously.
- Kevin created FAQ for the website with a lot of great information for parents.

Meeting adjourned at 9:17pm.