

Greenville Youth Sports

Greenville Youth Sports' (GYS) mission is to promote the growth of baseball and softball at all levels of competition for the Greenville community.

May Board Meeting Minutes

Meeting date and time: 5/1/19

Meeting called to order at 7:08 PM

Meeting location: Safety Building

Present

Ryan Paschke (President)
Tod Turkow (VP)
Tamara Rozmarynowski (Secretary)
Bobbi Jo Paschke (Treasurer)
Rachel Sommer (Registration Coordinator)
Kristin O'Connor (Volunteer Coordinator)
Rob Sipes (Baseball Tournament Team Coordinator)
Jason Strange (Major League Commissioner)
Dave Much (IT Coordinator)
Darin Triplett (Fundraising Coordinator)
Andy Garr (Tee Ball Coordinator)
Ryan Gass (Boys Tournament Coordinator)
Laurel Brantner (Pee Wee Coordinator)
Jim Kossow (Jr & Sr League Commissioner)
Rob Ventgen (Minor League Commissioner)
Ryan Krause (Co-Softball Tournament Coordinator, Softball Tournament Team Coordinator (8U), Softball Travel Team Commissioner)
Steve Werner (Co-Softball Tournament Coordinator)
Mark Lund (Coach Pitch League Commissioner)

Absent

Angie Gass (Scheduler)
Tim Jens (Machine Pitch League Commissioner)
Scott Schanhofer (Travel Team Commissioner)
Amanda DeHaai (Website Coordinator)
Lanny Rogers (Equipment Coordinator)
OPEN (Umpire Coordinator)
OPEN (Sponsorship Coordinator)

BOARD MEETING

- **MEMBER COMMENTS:**
- **RECOGNITIONS:**
 - Darin Triplett and Krause for help in setting up the batting cages.
 - Shirley Carlson and Tod Turkow for all of their work in another successful SCHEELs event.

- **APPROVAL OF MINUTES:**

- J. Kossow motioned to approve the April meeting minutes
- A. Garr seconded motion, April meeting minutes approved as presented.

REPORTS

- **President's Update** - *Time allotted | 10-15 min | Action required: none*
- **Vice President's Report** – *given by T. Turkow*
 - Continuing to work on the tournament team fundraising policy.
- **Treasurer Report** - *Time allotted | 10 min | Action required: review*
- **Registration Report** - *Time allotted | 10 min | Action required: none*
- **League Commissioner Reports** - *Time allotted | 5 min each | Action required: submit report by email; follow up discussion as needed in new business*
 - Junior/Senior League
 - Scheduling has been a challenge, continuing to work that out with HYS and Suburban.
 - Major League
 - We should look into having basic first aid kits available for coaches.
 - Tamara to reach out to the Greenville First Responder group to see if they can recommend and possibly purchase (GYS pays) basic first aid kits for us. Get pricing and share with the group.
 - Minor League
 - All nine coaches have completed SafeSport.
 - T-Ball
 - Currently at about 175 kids. 16 teams. Teams are all formed.
 - Coaches meeting was this past Sunday.
 - Equipment handout will be next week.
 - Practices can be on green spaces beginning May 12
 - Practices can begin on diamonds May 19.
 - Pee Wee T-ball
 - SCHEEL's event went well this past Saturday.
 - Parent meeting is May 13 at 6 p.m. at Community Park.
 - 13U
 - We need to discuss the SafeSport requirement with HYS and determine if we will require their coaches to be certified and if so, who will cover the cost.

OLD BUSINESS/Discussion / Voting Items

Time allotted |30 min | Action required: discussion / voting

- Safe Sport update
 - Update provided by A. Strange
- Park improvements
 - Ryan Krause received a quote from Security Fence for:
 - 15' high baseball netting for Diamond B & C: \$7,482

- Diamond C remove existing 6' fence and install 18' fence: \$8,448
 - Batting cage (posts and framework): \$2,972
- Tournament fundraising update (T. Turkow)
- Open position(s) – Umpire Coordinator, Sponsorship Coordinator, Boys Tournament Coordinator (Ryan G. to take over Umpire Coordinator if we can find someone to take over this position).
- League tournament - Need to continue to communicate this to members
 - Tamara to create and send an email to all GYS members (similar to the email sent to league coordinators). Send on Monday.
- Park clean up/readiness – What still needs to be done
 - Fences need to be installed
 - Chalk has been ordered
- Concession stand
 - Everything is getting finishing touches and all will be ready for Saturday.

NEW BUSINESS/Discussion/Voting Items

Time allotted |20 min | Action required: discussion / voting

- Opening Day tasks:
 - Friday afternoon/evening there will be people down there finishing up anything that needs to be finished up to prepare for Opening Day. If you can please come down to the park to help when/where you can.
 - Saturday – if you'll be down at the park please help as you can.
 - Board members please check in at the concession stand when you're at the park throughout the day. Check in with Alex and see if she needs help in the concession stand.
 - If available help prep fields between games.
 - Still in need of some umpires for Opening Day games.
 - Empty garbage if you see it is full.

MISC:

- Emily Cliver is seeking donation from GYS on her behalf to Special Olympics.
 - T. Turkow motioned that GYS funds at \$100 level.
 - R. Sommers seconded motion, motion approved.
- GYS met with HYS last week to discuss the future/direction of the softball program. More discussion is need and additional meetings have been scheduled.
- We really need to have a point person that is the decision-maker as to whether or not fields are playable.

Meeting adjourned at 9:18 p.m.

NEXT MEETING: June 5, 7:00 p.m. Safety Building