

Apple Valley Travel Baseball Board Meeting

March 2nd, 2026 at 7:30pm

Board Members Present: Gary Wurtzberger, Luke Ingles, Brian Martin, Brian Vollbrecht, Krystle Avila, Brad Willis, Cameron Kackman, Jose Avila, Tim Bartram, Steve Howe, Gabriel Quiroz

Members Absent:

Guest: Mike VanArsdale

New Board Member Vote

- Mike VanArsdale
 - Motion for Mike to join the AVTB made by Luke, seconded by Brian M
 - Motion passed

2026 Final Registration Numbers

- 136 total players - we will see some cuts at a couple ages
 - 9U: 15 - 1 team
 - 10U: 31 - 3 teams
 - 11U: 23 - 2 teams
 - 12U: 26 - 2 teams
 - 13U: 26 - 2 teams
 - 14U: 15 - 1 team

Fields/Boxes

- What is needed for field boxes?
 - Need a new box
 - Pallets and tarps for mounds at Wildwood and JCRPE
- No access to Redwood this year due to construction. Kris O is working to get us a Burnsville field to replace it
- The city is working to ensure everyone has field allocation based on the number of players with AV addresses
 - Last year we had 76, this year we have 89
 - They have our requests for fields along with the noted issues at each field.
 - With the higher registration numbers at 10U, I had requested Wildwood be utilized as a game field meaning it gets dragged and maintained daily by the city instead of only on game days.

Uniform

- Uniform Fitting 3/11 & 3/12 6-8PM
 - Need volunteers to help with uniform fittings

- Tim, Brian V, Brian M, Steve, Luke, Krystle
- Cooperstown selling spaghetti dinner tickets and raffle tickets
- Spirit Wear store open 3/5 - 3/15

Picture Day

- Picture Day Tuesday May 12th @AVHS pond
 - Schedule will go out a couple weeks before

Tournament Updates

- High School field permit approved

Misc. Updates:

- Since we only have one 14U team, we will be giving the times for the second team to our third 10U team so everyone will still have 2 spots in April.
- We are moving again!

Tryouts

- With larger numbers, do we want to move tryouts to the end of the summer?
 - Gives options to families to spread registration payments out over a couple of months
 - Cooperstown team would need to be selected early enough to mail the check in time for the October deadline
- Field of Dreams - hotel info?

NEXT Meeting April 6th @ 7:30