

# Brunswick Girls Softball

## Minutes

03/12/14

06:30 PM

Brunswick Fire Company #1 Sycaway

<b>Meeting called by</b>	Board
<b>Type of meeting</b>	Board Meeting
<b>Facilitator</b>	Eric Buckley Vice President
<b>Note taker</b>	Dave Robilotto
<b>Timekeeper</b>	Eric Buckley
<b>Attendees</b>	Eric Buckley, Melissa Graber, Dave Robilotto, Pat Ryan, Stacy McClurg, Todd Catlin, Chuck DeCittise, Stephanie DeCittise, Kathy Castiglione, Ed Thompson, Patsy Collins, Collen Bisceglia, Stephanie Ellis, Joe Castiglione, Linda Dagostino, Stacy McClurg, Mike Madigan, Dan LaFerriere, Chuck DeCittise (Phone) Guest - Jennifer Boehm, Kris Hayden Anna Moon

## Agenda Topics

**6:30 – 8:30PM**

### OLD BUSINESS

<b>Discussion</b>	<p>Reading of old minutes</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Fundraising Candy or Big League Raffle put to Vote (Big League Raffle)</li> <li>2. Chaired Bowling Fundraiser at Hilltop until Winter (Chuck)</li> </ol>
<b>Motion</b>	<p>Big League Raffle Voted as the Fundraiser with Stacey McClurg as Chair</p> <p>By Eric Buckley</p>

<b>Accepted</b>	Joe Castiglione, Colleen Bisceglia
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### NEW BUSINESS

<b>Discussion</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. No objection to the 3 Managers who volunteered at the Mini-Minor division. Pat Bisceglia, Jason Kimball, &amp; Kris Hayden.</li> <li>2. Only 3 volunteers signed up as Manager for the Minors. Colleen Bisceglia, Todd Catlin, Jeff Lapham all approved. Board searching for another manager. Chuck mentioned that hold girls back to fill in spots at a lower level. Board disagreed that if the child can play up they should be allowed. Only time child plays down is due to ability. Diane Wagner had texted in that she would manage but cannot be at fields 45 mins prior to game. Anna selected as 4th manager.</li> <li>3. Only 3 volunteers at the Majors Division, H.S. and travel players were exempt. No objection to Kathy being scheduler and manager. No objection to Melissa Graber the President, being a Manager. No objection with Dan LaFerriere being a manger. Looking for one more. Originally Mike Madigan was selected but, Lou Salerno ended up replacing Mike due to Mike managing the Travel Team.</li> <li>4. Only 3 volunteers have signed up as manager for T-Ball. Dave Robilotto, Jessica Maloney approved. Jaime Ashe, was asked several times to return equipment back and league never received it. One day concession stand was not open during the T-Ball games and was reported to Phil Herrington. Board should have been notified instead of the town. Eric took heat from Herrington and the Ashe's. Baseball concession was open. Jaime Ashe approved. Stacey asked and approved as manager.</li> <li>5. Managers packet was handed out for review by board members. NO GENTLEMEN AGREEMENTS, OBEY THE RULES BY DIVISION. Picture night Patsy and Jenn will be handing out uniforms and running the night, be there half hour early. Pat will be running the Field Management Crew. Field Clean up is the 12<sup>th</sup> and Concessions Stand training is the 23<sup>rd</sup> and 24<sup>th</sup>. Travel starts the first weekend of June. And they need be added to the schedule, Kathy. Travel Managers are responsible to staffing the Concession Stand and picking up the key. Money goes to league NOT the travel programs.</li> </ol>
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<b>Conclusions</b>	
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**PRESIDENT'S REPORT**

<b>Discussion</b>	<p>Signup number is 151, last we were at 178. 4 teams at T-Ball, 3 teams at Mini-Minors, 4 teams at Minors, 4 teams at Majors. Noted that if there is a conflict with schedule Managers need to let the Board know immediately. T-ball is the only division that the wish list for managers is awarded. For next year, "You are not guaranteed to have the manager of your selection." to be displayed on websites. Interleague play, H.M. they were talking about interleague play due to numbers. Only problem we would have to revamp the whole league. But, if our league doesn't continue to grow we will have to do something and pair down. And maybe join Hoosick Falls, Hoosick Valley. Board decided against doing interleague play.</p>
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**VP REPORT**

<b>Discussion</b>	<p>Sponsorship Update, BGSL has taken in so far \$6,530 plus \$600 that came in during meeting for total of \$7,130. 3/31 drop deadline for sponsorship monies. Up from last year.</p> <p>Hudson Mohawk meeting, each team has to fill out an Hudson Mohawk roster sheet and ASA roster sheet before June. Roster sheets were handed out. For ASA travel teams will need to have the ID's and cards are made. Paper work needs to be up to date otherwise may be denied entry into tourney. For H.M. they are allowing 17 year olds to play on 16u but, not ASA. We are allowed to use Jim (ump) for 10U or 12U, house only. Eric will get the Books in April and pay H.M.</p> <p>Pat, repair old pitching machine for \$440 versus a new one at \$1,330. Need new wheel, pad and pull cart. Board Voted, approved. Phil is going to need to get an electrician fix the electrical panel.</p> <p>Eric ordered balls and new catcher gear spent \$947 on equipment. Maybe we go to elks to have end of year picnic or have it at the fields. Something to think about.</p> <p>Discussion about Cahill's and wanting know why website and apparel are not done. Was warned that if he is not going to shape up we might go somewhere else. Was said in meeting that we not necessarily going to leave him. But letting him know we are looking into other options if service does not improve. Dan confirmed he was contacted by Linda and just not responding. Linda and Chuck are gonna figure it out. We may stay with him after this year, maybe we won't. We're not trying to get rid of Cahill's, trying to light a fire under him. Chuck was talking to Performa in Rotterdam and he is willing to give us samples for opening day. We can have order forms for apparel. Would use him for apparel and possibly travel uniforms. Keeping Cahill for House and see what Performa may be able to do for us. Do sweatshirts, shirts, hats, long sleeve shirts, sweat pants with Performa.</p> <p>All travel teams will have the exact uniforms so that the players can be called to a lateral team or move up if needed. Also, next year if a child moves up and the uniform still fits they don't have to buy a new one. Managers are allowed to pick one coach prior to draft. Rankings were sent out and not all the managers have replied back.</p>
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<b>Motion</b>	<p>All travel teams wear same uniforms</p> <p>By Eric Buckley</p>
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<b>Accepted</b>	Ed Thompson, Joe Castiglione
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**TREASURER'S REPORT**

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