

Glenmoore Eagle Little League Meeting Minutes

Eagle, PA

September 17, 2014

Order of Business

1. Call meeting to order
  - a. **Meeting was called to order at 7:35 pm.**
2. Roll call via sign-in sheet
  - a. **Attendees included Chuck Mahon, Todd DiFonzo, Kevin McWilliams, Dave Vrobel, Brian McGonagle, Jere Geib, Brad Rasco, Rob Welsch, Mike Walters, Tom Downie, Stephen Mullin, and Pat Kelly.**
3. Approval of the August minutes
  - a. **The August minutes were approved.**
4. President's report
  - a. **GEYA Executive Board elections will be held in October.**
  - b. **The Executive Board approved the purchase of new L-Screens.**
  - c. **The league will transition to Spalding baseballs.**
  - d. **Important Dates:**
    - i. **12 Oct – Liberty Union 5K Community Run**
    - ii. **7 Nov – District Banquet in Kennett Square**
    - iii. **8 Nov – Fall Ball Cleanup (sponsorship signs, batter's eye, garden hoses)**
5. Fall Ball Update
  - a. **A total of 121 players registered and are playing Fall Ball. The numbers are slightly down from last year, mostly at the 13 and over age group.**
  - b. **Chuck Mahon will provide a field maintenance class for the fall ball coaches at a time TBD.**
  - c. **A bucket of balls was requested for each coach. The board approved placing one bucket of balls at each press box/equipment shed to be used by all teams.**
  - d. **Planning continues for the 7-8 year old end of year tournament with GEYA, Twin Valley, and Downingtown.**
6. New Business
  - a. Spring 2015 schedule, including USTC practice calendar

- i. **Brad Rasco will reserve USTC for spring indoor practices (4 weekends ending 3/28).**
  - ii. **The 2015 spring schedule will start on April 7<sup>th</sup>.**
  - iii. **The board agreed that league commissioners would generate the spring schedules.**
  - iv. **Nominees for spring commissioners are as follows:**
    - 1. **50/70 – Gray Lambe**
    - 2. **Majors – Brian McGonagle**
    - 3. **9 y/o – Todd DiFonzo**
    - 4. **8 y/o – Brad Rasco**
    - 5. **7 y/o – Pat Kelly**
    - 6. **T-Ball - TBD**
- b. **Internal GELL bat rules for fall/spring seasons**
  - i. **The board agreed to continue playing by the league’s internal bat rules.**
- c. **Springton Manor dugout maintenance**
  - i. **Dave Debitus will replace the roofs.**
  - ii. **The Executive Board approved the purchase of new dugouts at Springton Manor.**
    - 1. **Now we are waiting for school board approval prior to starting the project.**
- d. **Batting cage maintenance**
  - i. **Chuck Mahon will loosen the batting cage nets to avoid baseball ricochet.**
- e. **Hickory Park Field 2 sound system**
  - i. **Stephen Mullin will repair the wires to the sound system.**
- f. **Snack bar freezer/fridge**
- g. **Mower usage**
  - i. **Since Challenger Soccer uses Hickory Park as a field, the board approved the use of our mowers.**

7. **Business Tabled for Next Meeting**

- a. **Vote on sibling discount for 2015 Spring season.**
- b. **Team Pictures – Todd DiFonzo will research two options: 1) a day dedicated to team pictures or 2) pictures taken throughout the year (similar to last spring).**
- c. **Sponsorship – Kevin McWilliams is working the sponsorship plaques and will reconcile the budget with the Executive Board.**

8. General Meeting Adjournment

**a. Meeting was adjourned at 9:02 pm.**

9. Executive Session