

**Farmington Youth Baseball League  
Board of Directors Meeting Minutes  
1/30/2011  
Farmington Police Department Meeting Room**

**Attendees:**

Rico Chiarillo, Doug Mutz, Mike Mihalek, Dan Stepeck, Paul Nanos, Matt Guglielmo, Karen Porter, Scott Deakin, Jay Sicklick, Jeff Mihalek, Josh Rappaport, Kelley Ryan, Byron Frank, Frank Albert, Mike Dunst, Bill Collins, Terry O'Brien, Paul Ficks, Jon Chaia, Larry Green, Dave Conrad, Scott Sytulek, Tom Woelkner, Robert Leconche, John Calcavecchia, Chuck Welsh, Dan Sucato, Tom Engle, Russ Arnold, Wendy Alena, Tony Sardilli, Kevin Quigley, Mike Farrell, Chris Sassin.

**Proceedings:**

Meeting called to order at 7:02 p.m. by Rico Chiarillo, league President.

A motion was made to accept January meeting minutes. Motion was seconded and accepted.

Scott Deakin presented the Treasurers report. FYBL had a successful registration weekend.

Income for the month was as follows:

- Registration Fees - \$46,000
- Merchandise sales - \$1,000
- Sponsorship Income - \$750

Reported Expenses were as follows:

- Insurance - \$4,000
- Merchandise - \$650
- Umpire School - \$250

The final January numbers will be presented at the next meeting as January books are not yet closed out.

The league commissioners gave a recap of the player counts to date for all divisions. They are as follows:

- American - 83
- National - 77
- AAA - 79
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- A - 49
- T-Ball – 34
- Softball (Coach Pitch) – 22
- Softball (Minors) – 33
- Softball (Majors) – 20

Rico urged everyone to try and contact all kids who played last year who have not yet signed up this year.

Larry Green gave an overview of how the upcoming tryouts will be organized. He indicated he will be sending out emails to all parents telling them what time and day their child will be scheduled to tryout. He noted that any and all volunteers are much needed and welcome.

The potential managers for both the American and National leagues each said a few words telling the group a little about themselves and why they should be a manager for the upcoming season. The list of potential managers is as follows:

#### National League

- Frank Albert
- Scott Sytulek
- Chris Belisle
- Kurt Rasmussen
- Tom Engle
- Tom Woelkner
- Bill Collins

American League:

- Dave Conrad
- Mike Dunst
- Larry Green
- Jeff Mihalek
- Chuck Welsh
- Dan Stepeck
- Jay Sicklick
- Josh Rappaport

The Executive Board was to vote after the meeting to elect the managers.

### **Committee reports**

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Equipment - Paul Nanos announced that 3 bids have gone out to Herbs, Billings, and Vincent's. Hadfield's in Berlin was also suggested as an option. There will be more to report at the next meeting.

Fundraising – John Calcavecchia gave an update on the potential opening day ceremonies at Rock Cats Stadium. He has reviewed a proposal and has additional questions. There will be more to report at the March meeting.

Rico also stressed the importance of fundraising for the league.

### **Other Items:**

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There was additional discussion regarding the vote to make the use of facemasks mandatory in the AAA, National and American divisions.

American League:

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- Mike Dunst
- Larry Green
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- Chuck Welsh
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