

Meeting Minutes



Event: Mars Baseball Association – General Meeting

Place: Adams Township Municipal Building

Date: Wednesday, April 9, 2014

Motion to Open: Phil O’Hara, Rege McKaveney 8:48pm

1) President’s Report (Chuck Rouda)

- Discussed bad weather and poor field conditions
- Need to get batting cage up at Adams 1 & 2
- Discussed field improvement opportunities
- Call for tournament coaches

2) Treasurer’s Report (Larry Fox)

- All numbers are approximate
- Totals \$114,200+
- General \$58K
- Edward Jones \$46.5K
- Land Grant \$9.7K
- Giant Eagle & Lambert fund

3) Lakevue Update (Edwin Palmer)

- Good shape financially
- Schedules are complete
- There are still some open time slots if teams get rained out

4) Spring Registrations (Henry Totzke)

- Registrations as of 4/9/2014
- There were 456 registrations in 2013 – based on past registration trends we should finish close to this number.
- Brad Fuller circulated flyers at the Elementary School
- Close Palomino registration

League	Registrants	League	Registrants
T-Ball (4-6)	55	Bronco (11-12)	67
Farm American (6-8)	63	Pony (13-14)	42
Farm National (7)	53	Colt (15-16)	18
Farm National (8)	41	Palomino (17-18)	18
Minor (9-10)	97	Totals	454

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5) Tournament Coaches (Larry Fox)

- 7u – Bryan Brunsell, Chad Seideneck
- 8u – Pat Koroly, Jeff Porter
- 9u – Jeff Casino, Joe Buttermore, Gary Orosz
- 10u – Jeff Mitchell, Phil O’Hara
- 11u – Edwin Palmer, Jon Schlegel, Paul Roush
- 12u – Steve Manning, John Haggerty

6) League Reports

- T-Ball (4-6) & Farm American (6-8)
 - None
- Farm National (7) (Bryan Brunsell)
 - Needs equipment
- Farm National (8) (Phil O’Hara)
 - Needs equipment
 - Wants to do 42 feet mound and 5 kid pitches
- Minor (9-10) (Brad Fuller)
 - No news
- Bronco (11-12) (Edwin Palmer)
 - Mars, BMP & McCandless
 - Split is 8 competitive and 7 recreation
- Pony (13-14) (Larry Fox)
 - No news
- Colt (15-16) & Palomino (17-18)
 - No news
- Equipment
 - We purchased \$1,000 worth of replacement equipment (6-8 sets)
 - Bags are being dropped off at night – no name, no email – this is not acceptable
 - We really need to get bags back in a timely manner

7) Opening Day (Cara Schultz)

- Cara Schultz is handling Opening Day and is on track to put together a great day
- She will be soliciting concession donations and is looking for ideas
- Concessions are covered for Rotary and New pavilions
- Edwin Palmer is putting together the Opening Day schedule soon and it will be on the website soon

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8) Fundraising Committee Update (Stacey Palmer & Madeline McLaren)

- Mady McLaren has arranged several restaurant fundraising programs
 - Pizza Hut in Adams Shoppes day is April 24.
 - BWW in Cranberry series of 5 nights beginning on Wednesday, May 28 and run for 5 weeks through the end of June
- These nights out could raise a fair amount of money for us. Details will be on the website and will be e-mailed out. We encourage everyone to participate.
- Mady McLaren is in the process of putting together the Brick Order Form. We will be taking brick orders beginning on Opening Day and continuing all of 2014. The goal will be to place the first order so that we can give out the Replica Bricks prior to Christmas in case anyone wants to give a brick as a Christmas present.
- Cornhole Tournament - Saturday, June 7 at the Mars VFW, but we really need a group of volunteers to plan the event. Ideally, we would get a group of 7U or 8U parents to plan the event.

9) Lights at Adams 1 & 2 (Brett Schultz)

- Working on lease agreement

10) New Business (All)

- None

Motion to Close: Brad Fuller, Phil O'Hara 10:35pm

Attendance: 24 (see attached Attendance Sheet)

Attendance Sheet



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No.	Print Name
1	Henry Totzke
2	Chuck Rowley
3	REGIS MCKAVENEY
4	BRYAN BRUNSECI
5	AARON BEST
6	Rob Kelley
7	Melinda [unclear]
8	[unclear]
9	Jim Lyberger
10	JOE BUTTERWOLD
11	BRETT SCHULTZ
12	1 AT KOROLY
13	Brad Fuller
14	Phil Ottara
15	Nick Pezzuolo
16	CHAD SEIDENECK
17	Casino
18	Paul Roush
19	Larry Fox
20	Edwin Palmer
21	Steve Manning
22	Mike Wetherholt
23	Jeff Astbury
24	Paul Adametz
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