

Orlando Babe Ruth (OBR) League

Board Meeting Agenda

Monday, March 14, 2016

8:00pm @ Graffiti Junktion, 2401 Edgewater Drive



8:00 Welcome

- Introductions
- Review and Approval of Previous Board Meeting Minutes

8:10 Financials (Bates)

- Review financials
- Randy Welsh is offering no cost umpires for 12 games in the Spring – a \$960 value. Let's start using this up. David Terry please coordinate with Randy/Tommy.

8:30 Fundraising/Partnerships (Allen)

- Partnerships update
- Partner Decal or Picture?
- In lieu of flowers idea – Bates?

8:40 Safety & Security (Baker)

- First aid kits and ice packs

8:45 Spring 2016 Season

- All-Stars – the Executive Board is drafting the policies and procedures for Board approval via electronic review during the month of March
- All-Star Team Try-Outs – When can we hold these?
 - 6U
 - 8U
 - 9U
 - 10U
 - 11U
- Division Playoff Week - May 2 - May 6, 2016
- Championship Games and Season End Party - May 7, 2016 – plans for Championship Saturday (Equipment turn-in day-David Terry and Peter Miller)

9:00 Fall 2016 Season

- Registration is open
 - Fall 2016 Registration Closes on Monday, August 22, 2016 at 5pm EST
 - Spring Evaluations and Team Drafts
 - Majors, Minors and Juniors, August 23 @ 6pm at Trotters Park
 - Rookies, August 24 @ 6pm at Trotters Park
 - T-ball does not require player evaluations
 - Coaches Meeting and Equipment Distribution @ 11:00 am - Ben Crosby Field, August 27
 - Practices Begin the week of Monday, August 29
 - Opening Ceremony will be Friday, September 16 @ 6pm at Ben Crosby Field

- Division Playoff Week - December 5 - 9
- Championship Games and Season End Party - December 10

9:15 Division Updates (Division Commissioners)

- Rookie rule amendment (throwing equipment)

9:20 Concessions Update (Kempinger and Joslin)

- Stolen register and \$ from Trotters. Can we reimburse Frank for the stolen register?

9:30 Events Committee Update (Joslin)

- Home Run Derby March 5, 3pm @ Trotters Park – 35 participants. About \$800 raised.
- Parent-Player Game – April 16, 2016 @ 3pm-Ben Crosby Field - \$15 per entry, 1st come 1st served, max of 2 teams (20 players), 6 inning game.
- MLB Pitch Hit Run Competition at Crosby, April 23 at 1pm. Need help and set up.
- Coaches Softball Game – Fundraiser?
- End of the season party in Spring 2016-May 7, 2016 on Championship Saturday



9:45 Tournament Team Updates

- 6U (Miller)
- 8U Lightning (Nicol)
- 8U Thunder (Baker)
- 9U (Viera)
- 10U (Kempinger)
- 11U (Seeber)

9:50 Field Update

- Ben Crosby Field
 - Cages are done. 3rd base side has lights. Getting quote for 1st base side to have electric/lights
- Trotters Park
 - Getting quotes for electric to/near cages

9:55 Other Topics?

10:00 Adjournment

Future Board Meeting Dates

April 18 **	September 12
May 9	October 10
June 13	November 14
July 11	December 12
August 8	

** Note Change

Thank you for all of your efforts!