

Minutes of CGSL Manager's Council Meeting – March 19, 2018 – 8:00 p.m.
519 Church Community Centre

Present: Eric Akaoka, Schwingers
Chris Boosalis, Storm/Umpire
Lisa Cameron, Paisanos/Sons
Debbie Chenier, Nighthawks
Jim Downey, Bolts
Kate Fudge, Paisano/League Rep
David George-Cosh, Bringers Rain
Jameson Glas, Woodpeckers
Eric Henry, Cocktails
Chris Ho, Flo-Bros
Tim Lau, Schwingers
Luigi Mariani, Lumberjacks
Tyler Marshall, Royals
Trevor McFarland, With our Balls

Albert Ng, Bombers
Sula Pazianas, Rage
Blaine Perry, Sexpos
Perry Peters, Benders
Jim Rebstock, Hey Sailor
Tanner Richardson, Benders
Chad Simon, Membership
Kevin Sun, Commissioner/Outlaws
Will Symister, Shameless
Ken Tedford, Assist. Comm/Paisano
Kevin Tokarz, Storm
Ron Ward, Royal Pains
Ryan Webb, Field Operations

1. Welcome / Opening Remarks – Kevin Sun – Commissioner

Kevin welcomed all to the meeting.

1.1 Roll Call on the number of players per team: Kevin confirmed with Managers number of returning players.

1.2 Team fees + player fees: Team fee of \$500.00 due by April 7. For waitlisted teams, players are still encouraged to register by April 7 to take advantage of Early Bird fee. Sula suggested that this be posted on website.

1.3 Number of teams: Confirmed max of 26 teams this year. Chad advised 6 current teams on waitlist. Teams need to confirm if they are returning by April 7. Three new teams joining: Lumberjacks, Sexpo, With Our Balls.

1.4 Player Draft: Chris B asked about Draft - Chad confirmed 8 players have registered non rostered of yet. Chad confirmed if teams do not register, players can choose to be on another team if the team folds.

2. Treasurer's Update – Rob Tanguay (regrets)

2.1 Budget Update: Budget matters will be discussed at a future meeting.

3. Assistant Commissioner – Ken Tedford

3.1 HOUSE RULES UPDATES: Ken passed out league rules + explained changes. Chris B confirmed that 10 minute grace period is subtracted by total game time.

3.2 Chris Boosalis advised that catchers must leave laneway for runners at the plate if there is a play. Confirmed with Ken this should be added in rules to avoid injury. Manager to confirm laneway with players, and umpire to remind catcher.

3.3 Date of Managers Rating Clinic TBD

3.4 Tickets for fundraiser to be out by end of May

4. Field Operations – Ryan Webb

4.1 Field Permits: Confirmed that preliminary schedule has been set: i.e. Friday 6:45 - 10:30, Saturday 8:00 - 7:15 with no more split nights like last year.

4.2 Playoff Format: A vote was taken for the Playoff division of teams – either 3 tiers, or 4 tiers. RESULTS: 4 tiers – 17 in favour; 3 tiers – 2 in favour. Thus, it was decided there will be 4 divisions in playoffs.

5. Registration – Chad Simon

5.1 Chad confirmed online registration is up and running.

5.2 Registration event at The Drink, Church St on April 7 from 3-5 pm.

5.3 Part Time Players Rules: Confirmed PT player can bat anywhere in line up.

- 5.4 Jim Downey asked about tracking PT players. Determined it is honour system with managers.
- 5.5 Lisa C and John H stated that managers must inform umpires on their score cards to give to the other team.
- 5.6 Rain out games are not included in the 10 game maximum for PT players.
- 5.7 Chad confirmed RMT will be at the fields for massages between games.

- 6. **Events/Registration – Kate Fudge**
 - 6.1 Kate confirmed events and possibility of Pride Night at Jays Game Friday, June 8. Will not work with league games.

- 7. **Round Table – Open to Everyone**
 - 7.1 John Hunking put out the notice that they are seeking more umpires.
 - 7.2 Chris B thanked the Executive and confirmed that the strike zone will be as soon as the ball crosses plate, not when it lands.
 - 7.3 Ken & Kevin thanked everyone for coming and meeting adjourned at 9:15 pm.

-- NEXT MANAGERS COUNCIL MEETING (MCM) - TBA --

--- The meeting adjourned at 9:15 pm. Thanks to all who attended! ---