

Beech Grove Little League Board Meeting Minutes

Date: 6.16.25

Location: Hartman Park

Meeting Type: Regular

Minutes Approved: 7.23.25

Attendance:		Absences:
Dustin Didion	Chad Butrum	David Didion Chad Becker Bobby Baumann
Margaret Butrum	Matt Johnson	
Britney Woods	Jeremiah Marshall	
Mandi Cunningham	TJ Crawford	
Felicia Gochett		
Guests:		

Quorum Present (7): yes

Call to Order: 6:02pm

Guest Recognition:

Approval of Minutes:

- 4.17 - approved
- 5.14 - approved

Reports

- Treasurer: Loss of \$4,960.50 for May; Profit of \$1,514.09 so far in June
 - Current expenses that need to be paid, totalling ~\$6,200: Juniors Uniforms (\$720), Awards (~\$3,000), All-Star Uniforms (~\$1,500), All Star Tournament Fee (\$535), Sponsorship Plaques (~\$372)
 - Royal Splash has refused to honor their sponsorship - Crew Carwash and Prime Carwash trying to help out and soften the blow - will have an answer later this week for Jeremiah on what they can offer us this year

Announcements and updates

- Update from Jeremiah on other sponsorship/donations in the works: shifted the fiscal year for sponsorships from July to July, applying for bigger grants - we need more specific numbers for accounting purposes in order to qualify for grants/report back on grants we receive. Better overall tracking of money over the past year and a half will help with this.
- Batting Cage update - need four pads of concrete poured, (holes are already dug) four arms screwed in and net installed - Dustin not available until next Tuesday - might need 2-4 more bags of concrete.
- Trophies ordered for division winner and tournament runner up. Small trophies ordered for Tee Ball and Rookies - hoping to have them in by Saturday but possible it will be later than that.
- Rings for Tournament champions: **Dustin** is checking in again on those tomorrow.
- Ribeyes (¼ inch sliced, 100lbs needed for June 26): Claus's supposed to get back to **Dustin** tomorrow: **TJ** will go to Don's tomorrow, Michael's Food Dist - **Felicia**

Updates from President's Meeting

- Jeremiah attended: seeding for District Tournaments, Derek will come by and look at the fields sometime to see if we can host the 9/10/11 Tournament

Unfinished Business

- All Star Uniforms: White hats with an orange brim with our Hornet, same jerseys as last year, random numbers if necessary
 - Ask the price of fitted hat versus adjustable
- Summer Concert Series June 26 - expect around 200 attendees - waiting for more information on set up times, concert starts at 7pm
 - Using Felicia's food trailer - will need someone to haul it
 - Working the event: Dustin, Chad, Felicia, Margaret, Matt, Jeremiah, TJ maybe
 - Menu/prices
 - Ribeye \$10; cheeseburger \$5, hamburger \$4, hot dogs \$2, no fryer food, chips and bottled drinks or can drinks?
 - Becker will drop off more bottled water
- July 3rd Fireworks
 - Set up begins at 4:30pm - will need as many volunteers as possible, expect long lines for a few hours
 - Use same menu as concerts
- Fall Ball Skills Camp
 - FTLL interested in merging for Fall Ball - will we have control over it at all? Or combined play with FTLL?
 - Alford Insurance would like to sponsor - get more information from him, cover cost of t-shirts for players
 - Run as a skills camp with possible scrimmages if there are enough players per division
 - What to charge - \$25
 - Dates - open registration by July 1st
 - Coaches - Jeremiah is working with Marion and UIndy on getting baseball players here to help
 - Reach out to current coaches about availability for Fall Ball, especially if they want to coach again next spring - give them more learning opportunities
 - Jeremiah considering an umpire clinic as well

New Business

- Fall Festival booth space now available to reserve
 - Why were we paying \$300 previously? It's \$190 for non-profits + \$10 per additional foot of space desired - were we asking for 11 additional feet of space? Jeremiah will ask for additional information on booth space at the Promoter's Club meeting tomorrow
- Board nominations and elections

Other Business/Comments:

- Ask Becker for water
- High School baseball camp? Reach out to HS coach
- Promote Marion University summer baseball camp

Adjourned: 7:03pm

Next Regular Meeting: 7/17/25