



**Riverside Baseball Federation
May 2014 Membership Meeting Minutes
April 30, 2014**

The meeting was called to order at 8:33 pm by President Andy Jeannette.

The April meeting minutes were read by Secretary Derek McNeill. The motion to accept was made by Casey Graham seconded by Chad Dwyer. The minutes were accepted.

The Treasurer's report was read by Treasurer Tia Gunn. The balance in the checking account was \$13,981.89 and the balance in the snack shack account was \$1,828.94. The motion to accept was made by Dave McDade seconded by Eric Kress. The Treasurer's report was accepted.

Old Business

1. Membership dues should be paid.
2. Retaining wall around playground needs to be replaced. Chad Reilly will submit an estimate. RBF may do it.
3. Base inserts need to be fixed on the Little League field
4. Ice cream freezer was replaced at Bradshaw
5. Fridge at Franklin does not need replaced, although it appeared to be not working it is.
6. Put everything away (L screens, buckets, bases, etc). We are considering chaining the L-Screens to the inside of the batting cages during the season. If this does occur the coaches must make sure they are chained each night.
7. All equipment MUST be turned in at the end of the season. We purchased 5 new sets of catchers gear in 2013. Most of the gear is now missing.
8. Game schedules were distributed.
9. Meeting with BAYBA and all Mustang/Little coaches went very well. Schedules appear to be good with little if any conflicts.

NEW Business

1. Opening day went very well despite the wet fields.

- a. T Ball played in the outfield.
 - b. Farm played at Franklin.
2. Kevin Rader put a lot of time in working on the snack shack remodeling and did not charge any of the labor for the remodeling to RBF.
3. Buddy Emrick built the stainless steel counter for around the fryer.
4. We had a very good showing at the pre-opening day work day Thursday night.
5. We were rained out Friday and still need to get some work done.
 - a. The lips need cut off the Mustang and Little League fields
 - b. Base inserts need installed on the Little League field and at third base on the Mustang field.
6. We are currently working on closing in a portion of the pavilion.
 - a. Mike Garvin is heading this up and can use help Sunday.
 - b. We will get bids for a steel man door and overhead door.
7. Coaches should schedule makeup games as soon as possible.
8. If you have a rainout please do not forget to contact:
 - a. Umpires: both patch and parent
 - b. Snack Shack: Teresa Bishop
9. Mike Hess will review the umpire assignments and verify that each parent volunteer is scheduled to umpire twice.
10. The snack shack cabinets need to be finished. We can use help doing this.
11. We will have 5 tons of conditioner dumped at the Mustang field and 3 tons at the Little League field.
12. Ray Sprow of Sports Turf Specialties has provided a preliminary bid for laser leveling the infields at Bradshaw. The price would be approximately \$500.00 per field if we provide the required dirt, cut out the lip on the Little League and Mustang fields, and have him do all three fields. Derek will meet with him to get a firm bid.
13. Tournaments are posted on MCAA.
14. RBF purchased 6 new catchers mitts for the Mustang and Little League teams and are being handed out.
15. We need gravel at the dugouts at Concord. 2A modified, crushed limestone is recommended. Matt Bishop will take care of.
16. BAYBA has asked if we can play rainout makeup games on Sunday afternoons.

The motion to adjourn was made by Casey Reilly seconded by Bill Campbell. The next meeting will be Thursday June 5, 2014 at 8:30pm at The Bradshaw Park Meeting Room.

Those in Attendance

RBF Officers Present:

Andy Jeannette, President
Mike Garvin Vice President
Derek McNeill, Secretary
Tia Gunn, Treasurer
Mike Hess, Commissioner

Members Present:

Paul Boehm
Eric Kress
Chad Dwyer
Dave McDade
Jodi McDade
Bill Campbell
Chris Chill
Teresa Bishop
Ben Kristophel
Ron Thellman
Mike Boswell
Casey Reilly
Matt Bishop