

Northfield Youth Baseball Association
Board of Directors Meeting
Wednesday, January 13th
7:30 pm

Members in attendance: Art Monaghan, Mike Glampe, Doug Stanga, Jerry Anderson, Daniel Hollerung, Megan Kraby, Kristin Holz, Sean Stanchina, Mark Auge

Administrative Reports

1) Approval of minutes

November and December meeting minutes have been approved and posted to the NYBA website.

2) Financials

Not much change from review of financials in November

Second concession check still outstanding

Rodeo clean up check still outstanding

3) New/Other Items

Mark Auge, new varsity head coach of the Northfield Raiders high school team joined us for our meeting. Mark has been an assistant coach with the varsity team for 20 years. He is excited to work with and collaborate with the NYBA program.

Board meeting schedule

Meetings will be held on the second WEDNESDAY of each month at 7:30pm

January 13th

February 10th

March 9th

April 13th

May 11th

June 8th

July 13th

August 10th

September 14th

October 12th

November 9th

December 14th

Art motioned to add Mark Auge as a NYBA board member

All in favor – 10; opposed – 0

Kristin motioned to nominated as the 2016 Executive Board members:

Sean Stanchina

Daniel Hollerung

Mark Auge

All in favor – 10; opposed – 0

It was decided that the Registrar board position would be eliminated as the Travel and In-House programs have taken over those roles respectively.

Board member pictures to the website so that people can put a face with the names.

CAC has provided NYBA with a number of league specific codes (ie. travel/in-house) and families will need to contact the CAC prior to registering to get a code in order to complete registration without payment, as all payments will be electronic.

Travel Report

Registration-

Registration will have a main page that will then have options for both travel and in-house and will include information on each program. Participants will then select the appropriate tab to continue to the appropriate registration page to complete sign up. All payments will now be electronic

Travel registration opens January 15th and closes on March 4.

Travel fees:

\$120 tryout fee – this will cover the cost of in-house registration in the event a player does not make a tournament or travel team registration will just be transferred over to in-house.

For players making a tournament team there will be 2 additional payments of \$75 scheduled for April 8th and May 8th and will be automatically deducted from the account used to register.

These tournament team fees cover:

In-house League Fee

Tryout expenses

Tournament Fees

Equipment

Uniforms (Personalized tournament team jersey and hat, in-house jersey)

For players making a travel team there will be 3 additional payments scheduled for April 8th, May 8th and June 8th which will automatically be deducted from the account used to register in the amount listed below:

12AA, 13A, 13AA - \$75

14A, 14AAA, 15AA, 15AAA - \$90

These travel fees cover:

Tryout expenses

Field preparation and supplies (for home games)

MBL League Fees

Tournament fees

Umpire fees (regular season home games)

Equipment

Uniforms (personalized jersey and hat)

ALL PLAYERS WILL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR PURCHASING THEIR OWN GRAY BASEBALL PANTS, MAROON SOCKS AND MAROON BELT.

All information listed above can be found on the NYBA website.

Travel Tryouts –

Chris Graupmann will help to organize evaluators, etc.

March 15 6:00 – 7:45pm 12U

7:45 – 9:30pm 13U

Carleton College Fieldhouse

March 16 6:00 – 7:45pm 14U

7:45 – 9:30pm 15U

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March 17 6:00 – 7:00pm 12U

7:00 – 8:00pm 13U

8:00 – 9:00pm 14U

Carleton College Fieldhouse

April 2 12:00 – 1:00pm 10U Tournament Team

1:15 – 2:15pm 11U Tournament Team

Northfield High School Gym

Tournament Update –

All tournament dates and locations are listed on the NYBA website under the Travel tab –

Tournament Dates

In-House Report

Registration –

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In-house registration opens February 1st and a late fee of \$50.00 will begin being applied on March 26th.

Rookie teams will be formed based on experience level indicated on their registration.

Season outlook/dates to note –

February 1 – registration opens

March 26 – late fees of \$50 will be applied

April 2 – Evaluations at Northfield High School Gym

2:45 - 3:30pm : 4th Grade Minors

3:35 - 4:20pm : 5th Grade Minors

4:25 - 5:10pm : 6th Grade Majors

5:15 - 6:00pm : 7/8th Grade Majors

April 4 – Teams will be formed

April 5 – Coaches will be notified

April 8 – Coaches meeting

May 2 – Opening day!

Week of May 16 – First official games played

Week of June 26 – All Star Break (skill competitions and home run derby - Rookies, Minors and Majors)

July 29-30 – NYBA Classic Tournament (Rookies, Minors, Majors)

In January the NYBA introduced The Lineup, a monthly news letter that will be send to all players and families to keep them in the loop as to what is happening within the organization and upcoming events!

Fundraising – Megan has created a flier to hand out to local businesses to spark interest in sponsorship of the NYBA. There are multiple sponsorship level options and we hope that this will give potential sponsors a good idea of what they are getting for their money.

Other/New Items

Concessions – Daniel to formulate a plan for discussion at our next meeting

Free Hitting clinic with Pete and Sam Maus – February 28th at the high school, 3pm – open to all coach or parents interested in attending

Larson's printing would like to bid on uniforms this year.

Equipment status –

New Ts are needed

Catchers gear – have 2 sets of small/2 sets of large per shed for teams to use when on that field instead of each team having their own set and a set for each tournament team

Keep batting helmets in the sheds as well.

Jerry to evaluate and make further suggestions.