

# Apple Valley Travel Baseball Board Meeting

December 2nd, 2024 at 6:30

**Board Members Present:** Krystle Avila, Jose Avila, Cameron Kackman, Gary Wurtzberger, Tim Bartram, Brad Willis, Ryan Tauer, Mac (via Zoom), Luke Ingles, Christel Ingles

- **Members Absent:** Steve Howe, Gabriel Quiroz

## Budget Update

- Any changes?
- Indoor practice space for the start of season.
  - Split the cost with Community, they get 18 practice slots and we get 22. \$145/session = \$3190 cost to traveling.
  - Dates: Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays, Fridays, and Saturdays  
April: 1st, 3rd, 4th, 7th, 8th, 10th, 11th: 6 Cages 6:00pm-7:30pm (2 Teams per night)  
April: 5th and 12th: 6 Cages from 1:00pm-2:30pm and 2:30pm-4:00pm (4 Teams)

## Uniforms

- Luke still working on it, talking to a couple different vendors
- Working to get the hat order done
  - Brown with white front panel and gold lettering with possible brown outline
- Looking at additional jersey options
- Is spiritwear a fundraising option?

## Equipment

- Need smaller gear for catchers
- Easton not working for younger/smaller ages - looking at All-star
- Orders placed for game balls/practice balls

## Brian Raabe

- Wednesday January 22 at VMS 6:30PM

## Winter Clinic

- Flyer going out middle/late December to traveling and community families
- Info will be shared with EVAA as well for their families
- Dates are 1/12, 1/19, 2/17, 2/23, 3/2
- 8-10yo @ 6-7PM & 11-14yo @ 7-8PM

### **Tournament Update**

- Teams have already started to register for our tournaments - most age groups already full
- MBT Qualifier - all age groups except 14/15A (May) and 9AA due to limited availability at that age group.

### **Age Group Coordinators**

- Tournament Registrations - working on this 2nd week of the month

### **Registrations/Tryouts**

- Signs have been ordered and will arrive before registration opens
- Discuss expanding tryouts and evaluation process
- Possible use of The Cages for an expanded tryout \$405 cost for 3 cages over 3 hours. 2 machines, 1 L-screen
- Evaluators

### **AVTB Handbook Updates**

- Krystle made updates and sent handbook out for everyone to review. Updated copy will be posted on 2025 season page and with registration

### **Tryout Summary**

- Krystle typed up summary - emailed out for discussion and finalized document to be posted on 2025 season page as well as with registration

**Next Meeting January 6th @ 7PM**