

BASEBALL & SOFTBALL

CHANHASSEN ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION



April 11, 2021		7:04pm	Legion in Chan & Google Meet
Meeting called by	Lenny Checheris		
Type of meeting	CAA Diamond Sports Monthly Board Meeting		
Note taker	Sara Staloch		
Members present	Rod Annis, Kim Avelsdson, Lenny Checheris, Adam Feuerhelm, Derek Gunderson, Derek Johnson, Kyle McDaniel, Jerry Orcutt, Glen Schoenberg, Sara Staloch, Mark Stay, Kelli Strauss		
Members absent	Nick Hansgen, John Hawley, Jake Isenburg, Pete Linder, Tom O'Neil, Steve Tebbs, Alysa Wilbur		
Attendees			
AGENDA ITEMS			
Mar Meeting Minutes			
Presenter	Sara Staloch		
Discussion	Motion made and approved		
President's Report			
Presenter	Lenny Checheris		
Discussion	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Cooperstown is requiring all 12 year olds and families to have a COVID vaccination to attend. Believe they will be giving at least 17K refund if the team decides not to attend. Cooperstown gave us no warning this could be a possibility. More follow-up and discussion needed. -All Directors please drive home the point to maintain the fields after they finish games. Rake fields after games, etc. Need to order more rakes? -Display banners in the outfield, was supposed to have a meeting with Jerry from the city, rescheduling. -Baseball is moving forward with partnership with Edlfudson. -ETS gave us a \$750 check, need to recognize them. Tent for them at the Chan Challenge? 		
Treasurer's Report			
Presenter	Derek Johnson		
Discussion	-Send all financial requests to Derek and not to Terre.		
BOC Report			
Presenter	John Hawley		
Discussion	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Dugout club is really instrumental in getting our fields up and running. They were out at Lake Ann fields 2 & 3 today working on the pitching mounds. -Field Day was April 10th, great help from the community! -We need umpires!! Training on the 21st. \$40 per game for 12 and under. \$50 for over 12. -495 total registered, 280 are community registrations. -Community program for 14 & 15 working with Chaska and Carver. -9 COVID waivers missing from metro teams -15 year olds have 1 metro team -Still need a Field Prep Coordinator! -Planning to schedule another field day for edging the fields at Lake Ann on April 17th. 		
SOC Report			
Presenter	Mark Stay		
Discussion	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Uniforms ordered for 150 girls, 30 more than we hoped for -Got the equipment order, packed the bags, and gave out to coaches -Teams are set! -Practices start this week, Wed and Thursday. -MN Softball is doing all the scheduling, hopefully in the next 2 weeks -Held coaches training this past week, in partnership with Mission, 17 attendees -Pitching, hitting, and catching clinics going on at Mission -Umpire cadet training went well! -Need to talk to Kim on coaches certificates 		

	-Continue to pursue the relationship between association and highschool.
Safety Update	
Presenter	Kim Flottmier
Discussion	-Continue with the CAA plan for practices, similar to last year for spreading out in dugouts, 6 feet apart, use common sense and use a mask if you are in close contact with players (i.e. if you are helping a young player with batting). -Getting questions on quarantine, Kim put a flyer on the website with info to reference.
Golf Fundraiser Update	
Presenter	Jess Hansgen/Golf Team
Discussion	-We have 29 foursomes registered! Our max is 36 so as you can see we are sitting really good! -We have a handful of sponsors and some silent auction items. If anyone has some last minute adds to the silent auction pile, please let Jess know. -Jess ordered the sponsor swag and have that in-house. Signage will be coming in the next week.
Scholarships	
Presenter	Kyle McDaniel
Discussion	-3 requests for scholarships, the website is so much easier to use!! -Stipends have been processed.
Sponsorships Update	
Presenter	Pete Linder/Lenny
Discussion	-Davannis is officially a new sponsor. Still woking on Scheels but coupon to share with CAA can be sent out now. -Share the love and support all our sponsors. -Lenny to talk to Kwik Trip -Kiddiwampus toy store reached out to Derek, owner is willing to do discount coupons to CAA families.
Chan Challenge Update	
Presenter	Steve Tebbs
Discussion	9AA - We are full. 10A - Still down 5 teams 11A - Still need 1 team -Working with Rod on volunteer situation since almost every team is playing in a tournament that weekend. Need to count on Softball families to work the tournament. We can ask the 9 year old families because they are there. Possibly ask the 5-6 year olds. -Meeting with Jeff Eul next week to discuss State Tournament. -Meeting with Jerry Ruegemer from City of Chanhassen sometime in the next two weeks to go over field details for the tournaments. -Reached out to the Chan Chick-Fil-A to see if they are interested in partnering with us for the tournaments and selling on site at Lake Ann. Pete asked if we could use our sponsors Victoria Burrow and Davani's. Need to support them so we can hopefully renew sponsorships with them in the future.
Garage Sale Update	
Presenter	Sara Staloch
Discussion	-Had 1 drop off night last week, 2 more this week. Will be sending out another reminder with the Scheels coupon. -Bruemmers went through equipment this weekend and added to our pile what we can sell from storage. Jess Hansgen went through old uniforms and set aside what we can sell there as well. -Still need more donations, clean out your own garages and tell your teams & neighbors. -Need tables, who can bring? Nick & Sara to bring a tent. -Will have signs to direct people to back of the building, where to park, and signs/tags to mark prices for items. -Venmo setup to take payments for Garage Sale or golf. Cash box and square as well? - will talk to Derek -We will have a golf table at the garage sale to take payment or sign up more golfers -Will either sell some items at opening day, or donate leftover equipment. -Add a Free Bin for garage sale
New Business	
Presenter	Lenny
Discussion	Alternative uniforms: need a process if they want different uniforms. They may not represent Chanhassen. Heard that a team ordered a hat and is using that for a tournament. Vote on this next meeting, and then send the answer out to the managers.
Adjournment	
Presenter	Lenny Checheris

Motion to adjourn 8:55pm