



**Cottage Grove Baseball
Board Meeting Minutes
June 22 2025**

BOARD MEMBERS		PRESENT
Tim Kaplan	President	Yes
Tim McLeod	Traveling Director	Yes
Bryanna Sandquist Rachel Dotseth	In-House Director	Yes
Anthony LeMay	Budget Director	Yes
Andy Bowe	Fields Director	Yes
Bob De La Forest	Equipment Director	Yes
Tom Wassmund	Registrations Director	No
Rachel Tacheny	Umpires Director	Yes
Des Fulton	Communications Director	Yes
Shane Waterman	Player/Coach Coordinator	Yes
Jon Zurbey	Special Projects Coordinator	No
LEVEL DIRECTORS (OPTIONAL)		PRESENT
Open	15YO	No
Open	14YO	No
Anthony LeMay	13YO	Yes
Brian Steffes	12YO	No
Open	11YO	No
Shawn Anderson	10YO	No
Open	8/9YO	No

***Level advisors above are pending full confirmation by advisors, subject to change*
Meeting called to order at 803pm; meeting adjourned at 931pm.
Next meeting scheduled for July 2025**

May Fundraising Requests Approved:

CG 14/15A White	Jerry's Foods
14/15A Black	Jerry's, woodbury

Equipment:

- Need to be diligent about In House Equipment bring backs

Finance:

- 6 fundraisers so far this season
- Bank account is healthy
- Gambling year on year is down but still within our budgeted funds
 - Budget evaluation to be planned (November board meeting)

In House:

- Big Barrel bats are an issue - this is for safety and must be addressed. Players/families can be sat for this.
 - Modify and clarify rule for bat size for 2026 season
 - Make a doc for bats that are suggested/options
- Fall Ball:
 - Pitchball (Hillside) & PeeWee (Pine Glen) & Minors
 - August - Early Sept (maybe)
- EOY Tournaments are being built/planned
- Refunds will not be issued this late in the season.

Umpire Director:

- The entire In House season has been scheduled with Umpires.

Fields:

- In House TBallers - Lots of broken Tee's. Need to work with equipment to get these to fields.
- Hamlet sunscreen has been ordered and received. Should be put up soon (Hamlet 2). Waiting for City to put this up.
- Batting cage schedule is working well.
 - In House teams have been utilizing.
- Mats at Woodridge batting cage needs to be replaced.
 - No metal cleats at Woodridge cages?
- Need to replace Woodridge shed door.
- Portable mound at Hamlet 6/9 to be moved off of grass at end of practice/game.

Travel:

- First base gloves provided to teams?
 - Potential future conversations
- Try outs
 - Sept 6
 - Raise try out registration fee (approx 50% due at time of registration for try outs, remainder due in Jan/Feb)

Registrations

- NA

Communications

- Fundraising
- State bid pictures (7)
- Send email out regarding try out registration fee increase.

Main Board

- Batting cages at Hamlet are work in progress
- Possible work at Woodridge 1 to be done.
- Possible lighting to be done at a field at Hamlet - TBD

Legion

- 23 registered players

Player Development

- Invoice out to GL
 - Plan on similar set up/schedule for 2026 season
- Fall August Park High Clinic potential

Des proposed approval of stipend.

Bry seconded.

All approved.

Quarterly Stipends:

President	\$600
Travel Director	\$600

Co In-House Director	\$600
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Budget Director	\$600
Fields Director	\$600
Player & Coach Dev.	\$600
Umpire Director	\$600
Special Projects	\$600
Registration Director	\$600
Equipment Director	\$600
Communication Dir.	\$600