

MAGFA Board Meeting 07/23/2025

- I. OPEN/CALL TO ORDER: Ryan 6:41
- II. SECRETARY MINUTES: July has been posted to the website
- III. TREASURER'S REPORT: None
- IV. OLD BUSINESS:
- V. NEW BUSINESS:
 - a. 8u/10u travel tryouts this fall, go over proposal from Brenda - See Proposal - Pros - Have teams formed so we can register for tournaments
Cons - Is it too late to get this done this year? Do tryouts after fallball.
How are we going to form teams with pitchers? Everyone is going to tryout as a pitcher
Have clinics now for pitching during fallball season
Motion - Ryan A, JJ, second - 8u teams will be formed in the spring, 10u tryouts in the fall after fallball, district 77 only. **Motion passed**
Opening up to out of district would have to wait until the bylaws are changed, there needs to be 30 day notice to the public before the proposal is voted on.
 - b. Collaboration with the Peppers National in the future and open table discussion - Need to have a face to face meeting with the Peppers Nationals.
Thoughts are that it's either Nationals or city club teams that we will lose girls to. Lets try and keep girls in Mankato. Get a group together to talk to Tom R. Ryan A, Dan & Ryan K will be the group to talk to the Nationals. Conversation needs to happen within the next week.
 - c. Offseason facilities, generate ideas - Multiple people are looking for facilities to purchase/rent. In the meantime look into using 24/7 and what that would cost. Can we use the money to rent a facility? It's a possibility since we voted on not using the building funds to build at Jaycee. Jaime is going to look into contacting Drummer about the Shopko building. Everyone keep their eyes and ears open
 - d. Fall Travel plan - See 13/15u notes
 - e. Alternative tryout date/plan - Other clubs have an alternative date but not actually set a date. Will see how many can't make tryouts and then decide if it's needed.
 - f. Peppers in the Park at a Habaneros game - July 3st Peppers in the Park, Players need to wear their jersey. 150 vouchers to give out. Someone can speak at the beginning of the game to thank players, coaches and parents
Motion: Ryan K, Warren second

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For the Peppers to pay \$600 for entry fees for players.

- g. 13/15u teams - Eric proposed these age groups, clubs are doing this . Question - do we have enough girls? It would have to be based on the year to make sure there are A level pitchers and catchers.

NEXT MEETING: August 20th, 2025

ADJOURNMENT: Ryan @ 8:12

Ryan Kapsner	X
Marty Ray	X
Kelly Terrell	
Dan Grack	X
Warren Peterson	X
Mike Kirchoff	X
Jamie Aanenson	X
Kelly Biedscheid	X
Brenda Stevermer	X
Ryan Altmann	X
Grant Poehler	
Eric Davis	X
JJ Helget	X
Katie Faugstad	
Ashley Staunton	X
Phil Tostenson	