

# Coon Rapids Fastpitch Association

## April 2024 Board Meeting Minutes

4/14/2024



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- **Approve April Agenda:** Mary Jo, motion. Cole 2<sup>nd</sup>. Approved
  - **Approve March Meeting Minutes:** Cole motion. Mary Jo 2<sup>nd</sup>. Approved.
  - **Old Business**
    - **Fundraising 2024** – 99 Pledges ready to go. Will talk to parents at the Parent Meeting (4/15) and then send out. Goal per player is \$150/make goal, get a shirt. Top 4 players get \$100 gift card. Top team gets pizza party.
    - **Player Objectives** – Nothing to add at this time. Will get added to the website.
  - **President Update** – All teams entered, updated. Schedules made, will add. Contacting umpires. Told 8U they will be on Field 3 as much as possible or Moor Park. 5/28 all teams are at Home. All teams have picked tournaments and registered.
  - **Parent Meeting** – Monday 4/15 at CR Civic Center 7-8. Mostly about volunteer information, collecting volunteer checks, and signing the code of conduct. Parents will have the opportunity to meet with their coaches. Will go over 99 pledges. Selling old pants/socks/belts, etc. Sign up genius for volunteer hours will also be discussed.
  - **2024 Season** – Same as above.
  - **Cardinal Classic** – 48 teams total – full. Been in contact with umpire in charge – Dan Pfifer. Working on pools. Ordering medals soon. 6 vendors so far (3 both days/3 only Saturday).
  - **Aspen Update** – Open, can play on it. Banners will go up after pictures are done. New field plate on fields one and 2. Batting cage net up – thanks Brian! Billy will look at score board – possibly paint with stencils. Informing city – need another batting cage net.
  - **Treasurer Update**
    - Current Balance \$42,406.00
    - Previous Balance \$43,385.00
    - Outgoing Summary
      - Refunds - \$400.00
      - Uniforms - \$817.00
      - Winter Training - \$292.00
      - League Fees - \$4,020.00
    - Incoming Summary
      - 2024 Registration/tournament fees - \$4,500.00
      - Sox fees - \$50.00
      - Other: PayPal Account - \$1327.45
    - Questions
      - Reimbursements? Send Mike email or give him printed pages/receipts.
  - **SOX Update** – Zach absent, no update.
  - **High School Program Update** – Alicia absent, no update.

- **Volunteer Update** – Ashton provided game schedule, working on sign up genius. Will collect volunteer checks at parent meeting.
- **Concessions Update** – August cleaned concession stand last week, all ready for season. Started buying items online. Going shopping this week.
- **Player Rep Update/Issues** – Got a coach for 10 Grey.
- **Training Update** – Pitching Training at HS with varsity girls. Grand Slam worked great for winter training and would use again if needed a space.
- **Communications/Website Update** – No update currently.
- **Scheduling Update** – Next meeting Sunday, 5/5 @ CR City Hall Center 6 PM. Sunday 6/9.
- **Equipment Update** – Need to order 6 tanner tees, wagons, & magnet boards for season. Also added a couple extra raised ball holders Ryan makes motion. Mike 2<sup>nd</sup>. Motion passes.
- **New Business/Open Mic** – Jason Thoen would like to join the board. Brian motion, Ryan 2<sup>nd</sup>.
- **Next Meeting: Sunday, 5/5/2024 @ CR City Center @ 6 pm.**
- **Meeting Adjourned** – Ryan motion, Brian 2<sup>nd</sup>. Meeting adjourned.

**Attendees:** Cole, Ashton, August, Mike, Billy, Brian, Ryan, Mary Jo, Ron, Jason Thoen

**Absent:** Zach, Angie, Jillian

**Coon Rapids Fast Pitch Board Members and Current End Dates:**

Cole Traynor President 2023  
 Angie Erickson, Vice President 2025  
 Mike Carney, Treasurer, 2023  
 XXX, Equipment Manager  
 Rob Dane, Scheduler, 2023  
 Jillian Ronning, Training Coordinator, 2024  
 Zach Nienaber, Sox Director 2022  
 Ashton Crooks, Volunteer Coordinator 2024  
 Mary Jo Hauge, Secretary 2023  
 Brian Nelson, Traveling Player Rep 2022  
 August Spiegelberg, Concessions Director 2025  
 Ryan Martin, Tournament Director, 2024  
 Billy Gavin, Member at Large 2025  
 Jason Thoen, Member at Large 2026