



## LBA Board Meeting September 21st, 2025 (7:00)

### Attendance

Member	Present	Member	Present	Member	Present	Member	Present
Matt Bodden	X	Jennifer Frenzel	X	Erin Lawler	X	Dave Tobias	X
Jen Bolson		Matt Gardner	X	Kelly Lewis	X	Erin Truax	
Mike Bril	X	Zach Haddy		Kari Schmitz		Chris Case	X
Alex Cecchini	X	Thane Hathaway	X	Reid Schulz			
Sara Drazkowski	X	Ryan Kriesel	X	Doug Stanton			

Agenda Item	Presenter	Discussion	Action Items/Next Steps
Welcome	Thane	End of year recap/annual meeting was going to be held Oct 12th after coaches appreciation...due to the location (Red Fox) the board will delay the meeting until TUESDAY, OCT 21st ZOOM.	Calendar items sent to board and posted on the website.  Thane to send slides for board members to update for the annual meeting.

### New Business

Director Updates			
Registration & Information	Sara D.	Surveys are still open for responses; won't close until Mid October (after fall ball concludes.)  Coaches appreciation sent to travel, community, LCs (not in-house at	Reminder to be sent to all coaches

		this time.) to be held Oct 12th.	to RSVP by Oct 6th so we can get an accurate count.  Updating all contacts on the website.
Uniforms	Jennifer F.	Closing and Inventory to be done Oct 12th (all DIBs filled) Possibility of keeping some catcher equipment at cages to use in winter training. Looking to get lockers installed at cages.	
Fundraising	Alex	Will have some pics/sponsor items to blast on sm. BWWS Jersey Mikes	
Fields/Maintenance	Ryan	Field Closing is Sat Oct 11th, 15/20 spots filled. Working on getting the mounds installed/fixed.	
DIBS/Volunteers	Jen B.	Not present.  7 paid 2025 DIBS invoices. 9 No sign-up or movement to fulfill obligation. 15/20 spots for field closing filled, 6/6 equipment, 6/6 for fall ball weekend concessions (1 no show, assessed fee and still needs to complete a shift.)  Check off system worked well this year, again. The biggest thing is families not reading emails, "coaches" saying they fulfilled it late in the year and needing to verify, families telling us they quit/moved late.	NEED official list from directors of who gets DIBs so we aren't needing to hunt it down.  Continue with 3 coaches per team in 2026.  GameChanger/field prep work for teams does NOT count.  If a player moves/quit/gets injured the volunteer coordinator and registration coordinator need to know ASAP. Most of the time, these DIBs will still stand (be required to be completed, or invoice will stay on file)
Finances/Budget	Matt B.	Summary below. CD's matured. And were moved into appropriate bank accounts (GPP and Miracle League). CDs generated +\$9k in interest in 18 months. With first payment of GPP delayed another 12 months and no immediate investment projects - recommend putting some of our cash	

		into an interest generating vehicle (again)	
Travel	Matt G./Reid (Transitioning to Zach and Jen F.)	MBL is looking to play 9A teams vs only AA and AAA.	
Community	Kelly	No updates	
In House	Chris	Erin Lawler motioned by Dave and 2nd by Jen F to take over InHouse as Chris transitions to a Coordinator/helper role with Coaches/Player Development.	Motion passes unanimously. Sara D and Thane to get Erin set up with google/access.
Miracle League	Kari	Not present	
Operations	<b>OPEN</b>		
North Senior Youth	Doug	Not present	
South Senior Youth	Mike B.	Thoughts/discussion about moving 14/15A to Junior Legion.	
Field Project	Thane/Dave Tobias	3 major sponsors (Belzers, Highmark and Lakeview Bank) working through securing the contracts and getting ink on paper.	
Cages Project	Thane	Looking at membership options per month, getting people access to the cages in the off-season.	
Player/Coach Development	Zach (transitioning to Matt G.)	Not present.  Board talked a bit about 9Us and pitching machines/development Fall evaluations to take place in October.  Some Pitching and Catchers Camps planned for this winter; will get info out to families once details are ironed out.	Email and registration about fall evals to be sent out to members and posted on the website.
Scheduling	Erin T.	Not present	
Adult Director	Dave	Team name done (Loonatics) Coach/Manager done and working through fielding a team.	

Meeting adjourned at 7:30 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Sara Drazkowski

## LBA Summary

	<u>Current</u>
<b>Organizational Allocated Funds</b>	<b>\$707,008</b>
LBA	\$392,604
Miracle League	\$175,183
Grand Prairie	\$139,221
<b>Bank Acct Grand Total</b>	<b>\$707,008</b>
LBA Account (s)	\$392,604
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