

# Inver Grove Heights Baseball Association

## Meeting Agenda

January 6, 2019 6:00  
p.m.

In attendance: Members: Jake, Laura, Karen, Jeff, Tabitha,  
Kari, Jessica, Judy, Jesse. Parents: Ryan C, John S, Nick S,  
Jeremiah O

- I. Call to order 6:05 by Jesse
- II. Approval of minutes from 12/2/18 meeting Motion- Jeff, 2<sup>nd</sup>-Tabitha
- III. Officer Reports
  - a) Pres/VP Report – Jeff Baglio/Jesse Krebs
    - Organization updates
    - Board elections - President & Secretary Secretary: Judy nominated Jessica, Jeff 2<sup>nd</sup>. Unanimous yes. President: Jesse nominated Jeff, Jessica 2<sup>nd</sup>. Unanimous yes. Jessica will continue as Secretary, Jeff will continue as President for another 2 year term.
  - b) Treasurer Report – Judy Krebs
    - Any other unpaid bills from 2018? no
    - Winter Clinic report
    - Tournament checks mailed? Yes. We lost our spot for 14/15 in Albert Lea, so they are now registered at Minnetonka (June 7-9)
    - Send Park & Rec invoice for Winter Clinic attendees
    - Move money from our savings account (.35%) and put it into a Barclays account that earns 2.2%. Also move some money from checking into Barclays. Or buy CD's that would mature in 6 months and get multiple so money is available every 6 months if needed.
    - Judy would like to change banks. We are charged a fee to count cash as a deposit.
- IV. Open issues
  - a) Winter Clinic
    - recap 57 kids registered (27 and 30). Zach did a better job this year than last, more organized. Some of the 11-12's thought they "stood around a lot". Do we add another time slot for older or more focused kids? Need to have Zach come to a meeting before the next clinic to hear parent input. Send out a Survey to parents who had kids signed up. Zach mentioned having college baseball friends home over break that could maybe help next year.
  - b) Sunday Clinics
    - Simley HS providing instruction Loose structure, partly on the kids to keep moving. Try to have some of the drills that they will see at evaluations.
    - 2 groups
    - 4 total Sundays HS is in the gym 12-2pm. 2-5pm would be available.
    - Compensation to Simley HS baseball boosters? \$1000 for the 4 Sundays. We're willing to pay more if there is some specialized/focused training. Can he get C

- gym? Then we can have young and old kids and they can split times. Or 2:15-3:30, 3:45-5:00. 9-11, 12 and up
- The Shed: Can we rent mid Feb-end Feb? Then start regular hours in March. Maybe go Mid Feb-end April
- c) Tournament Report
- Tournaments are posted and open for registration 13AA, 13A, 14AA are full. Did not get a MBT qualifier for 11A.
  - Away tournament registration complete All of our teams are registered for a MBT qualifier and pending GSTC
- d) Volunteer Report
- Feb hours open people started signing up
  - Start working on putting together tournament hours Tabitha and Kari are looking at last year's sign ups and have a good base line. Add grill hours- 2 people for 4 hour slots
- e) Equipment Report - 2019 needs? Jesse will email Jake
- f) 2019 Coaches Clinic
- Mar 9, 2019 from 9 am – 12 pm @ VMCC - Looking at new dates - Guest speaker(s)? Basketball and wrestling tournaments. Al was going to check on other dates. Speakers: Coach Hendrikson, Coach Kissling's dad
  - Sign-up requested
- g) Uniforms & apparel
- Christmas orders handed out
  - Gloves? Should have them this week! Have them out at clinics to try on and sell.
  - 2019 spring online store? Close by end March. Have a few options to try on at evaluations?
- h) Coaches Director Nick is not here. He has talked to Jeremiah
- Coaches page updates?
  - 2019 Application -
  - Up to speed from Jeremiah? -
  - Contact of college coaches?
- i) Scholarship program
- Info & form online Applications due January 31. Laura to post on FB and try and get a flier into Wednesday folders. Tabitha can help with printing. Ryan C to see if the flier can get into Discover Charter School.
- j) Media Director
- IGHBA.com website admin area Laura has got in and looked at it
  - Email newsletters – 1 per week (Wed) Jesse wants Laura to start sending the emails
- k) Sponsorship
- Draft letter review
  - Other opportunities BWV- 10%, Chili's- 15% open for 30 days (can do a fundraiser every month). Jersey's and A&W do 20%. Try and do Jerseys on July 8 (home run derby) from 4-9pm.
  - Try to get teams to do Community Involvement Feed my Starving Children, etc
- l) 2019 Evaluations
- Held @ Hamline Univ on Feb. 24<sup>th</sup>

- 10:45-12:30pm 9-10
- 12:45pm-2:30pm 11-12
- 2:45pm-4:30pm 13-15
- Assign times to age groups
- Makeup date Feb 28<sup>th</sup>

V. New Business

- a) Fundraising Director
  - IGHBA Food/Beer/Wine fest
  - Concession stand on weeknights at RV
  - Other fundraising ideas
- b) 2019 Parent Meeting Date
  - Last year was on Mar 18 @ Cahill court Find a new location? Cahill Ct costs \$.  
March 18? 6:00pm
  - Parent Gatorade donation
- c) Uniform sizing
  - Sunday clinics Jan 27 and Feb 17
  - Last day to size will be evals Feb 24
  - Update form
- d) HS involvement
  - Youth day
  - HS players attending practices/games
  - HS players pitching for P&R

VI. Open Floor/Announcements

- a) Next meeting Feb 10<sup>th</sup>, 2019 @ VMCC

VII. Adjournment 8:33pm. Motion-Judy, 2<sup>nd</sup>-Tabitha