

SAXONBURG AREA BASEBALL ASSOCIATION

March 2022 BOARD MEETING MINUTES

March 10th, 2022 – 7:30PM

| Name | Position | Present | Absent | Name | Position | Present | Absent |
|---------------------|--------------|---------|--------|---------------------|--------------|---------|--------|
| Jamie McSwaney (JM) | President | X | | Scott Kriley (SK) | Twp. Liaison | | X |
| Nick Dreher (ND) | V. P. | X | | Todd McCurdy (ToMc) | Colt/Legion | X | |
| Kim Andrews (KA) | Secretary | X | | Troy McCurdy (TrMc) | Pony | X | |
| Cassie Beres (CB) | Treasurer | X | | Ron Perkins (RP) | Bronco | X | |
| Todd Feidt (TF) | Field Maint. | X | | Bryon Breese (BB) | Minor | X | |
| Ali Ciz (AC) | Concessions | X | | Matt Johnston (MJ) | Farm | X | |
| Kevin Thompson (KT) | IT/Web | X | | Jim Boris (JB) | T-Ball | X | |
| Jill Black (JiBl) | Sponsorship | | X | Sam Naples (SN) | Tax Preparer | | |

JM opened meeting at 7:43 PM. – Minutes from prior month reviewed and approved.

MONTHLY UPDATE – Jamie McSwaney (JM) JM Reported:

- May 9th – Schedule no games, it will be SABA Night at Pullman Park for Senior Night
- Tball clinic addressed below

TREASURER'S REPORT – Cassie Beres (CB) CB Reported:

- General Checking: \$59,315.29
- All-Stars Checking (KMS Team): \$12,934.05
- Concessions Checking: \$5,000
- Savings: \$23,057.47
- Scholarship Savings: \$1000.03
- Investment: \$20,941.88
- Total of All Accounts: \$122,248.72
- Total registration receipts so far: \$36,086.48
 - Mandatory fundraiser: \$7,080, Concession Opt Out: \$2000, Knoch Clinic: \$2520. Net Reg Income \$24,486.48
- Estimated upcoming expenses ~\$15K including 2021 dumpster invoice, farm field maintenance, golf cart, Community day, raffle ticket items, uniforms for all leagues, bases for Legion field
- Working with bank to open the All-Stars accounts, should be good to go in next week or two
- Evaluating insurance renewal – inventory of property to evaluate coverage.

CONCESSIONS – Ali Ciz (AC) AC Reported:

- Signed paperwork at bank for concessions
- Pricing for menus in process
- Working on concession charts for each league
 - Some players not yet assigned – part of the 12U team trial
- Uptick in opt-outs this year so scheduling issues
- Work out some kind of contest to fill the rest of the schedule

FIELD MAINTENANCE – Todd Feidt (TF) TF Reported:

- Two pallets of field dry, one pallet of chalk on order at Saxonburg Feed

- Nick is ordering bases for legion – they keep getting delayed, likely June
- St. Luke's – we will be replacing a bench, build it for \$220, buy it for \$550
- Concordia – needs four benches as well
 - UNANIMOUS YES approval to fund building the 6 benches – will ask for volunteer
- Chalk liners - \$631 shipped for the plastic option will order
- Will start charging batteries
- Portajohns – will call Amco to arrange – 4 total

TOWNSHIP REPRESENTATIVE – Scott Kriley (SK) SK Reported:

- No meetings starting until April
- Township gave approval to move dirt across from Pony up from softball
- Water turn on

WEB/IT/SOCIAL MEDIA – Kevin Thompson (KT) KT Reported:

- Gear trader group is going well
- Working on background checks and will update
- Demo for Sports Connect next Monday
- Working on backing up data from website to Dropbox in case of emergency
- Receipts for Facebook ads - \$49.97

SPONSORSHIP – Jill Black (JB) JB Reported:

- **\$15,100** so far, will end up at \$17,300 that we know about
- Bar bingo was a huge success, \$5386 income
- Working on gathering items for raffle
- Handed out tickets at evaluations, will hand out the rest to Tball and Pony

LEGION/SENIOR COMMISSIONER – () Reported:

- No new business to report.

COLT COMMISSIONER – Todd McCurdy (ToMc) ToMc Reported:

- Resigning his post as his son has decided not to play
- Will find someone to nominate

PONY COMMISSIONER – Troy McCurdy (TM) TM Reported:

- Uniforms are almost ready, picking up next week
- Draft went well
- ARL will be scheduling in earlier April
- \$60 & \$55 for umps per game

BRONCO COMMISSIONER – Ron Perkins (RP) RP Reported:

- Draft is done
- Uniforms and hats are ordered
- Working on schedules and looking for umpires

MINOR COMMISSIONER – Bryon Breese (BB) BB Reported:

- Draft is done – needs to contact CT & East Butler to get some scrimmages going
- Umpires will be Bronco and Pony players – will reach out to Jon Schaffer about doing another clinic

- Will order uniforms

FARM COMMISSIONER – Matt Johnston (MJ) MJReported:

- Draft is done, went well
- Schedules are done
- Uniforms are done
- Hat issue with MLB hats – cannot get them
 - Go with the color scheme of the jerseys and Sax logo
 - Potentially major league for one and minor league for the other between farm and minor

T-BALL COMMISSIONER – Jim Boris (JB) JB Reported:

- Registration still going well, 2 head coaches and 8 assistants but will reorganize
- Needs kids from KMS team for clinic
- May need to close registration earlier than planned because of supply chain concern

VICE PRESIDENT –Nick Dreher (ND) ND Reported:

- KMS Update
 - 25 kids tried out, 16 made roster
 - Worked with Stoops and Reiser to develop tryout format
 - Charging \$50/player, players and parents will be signing code of conduct
 - Knoch Boosters are doing an apparel sale
- All-Stars Update
 - Bank project going, need a few more
 - Fundraiser details to Nick
 - Teams can begin forming and scheduling tryouts
 - Uniforms for All-Stars on brand

New Business Not Noted Elsewhere & Open Forum:

JM ended meeting at 9:00PM

Next meeting (Closed): 4/7/227:30pm @ Jefferson Twp. Building