

QUAD TOWN MINOR BALL ASSOCIATION

Annual General Meeting

Wednesday, January 28th, 2026 7:30pm

Odessa, SK - Senior's Room of Community Centre

Attendees: Crystal Petersen, Kyle Lockert, Brittney Miller, Marc Berube, Byron Gaetz, Sandra Gaetz, Brandi Mucha, Randy Weisgerber, Belinda Kopp, Lindsay Glas, Natasha Lockert, Brett Mastel, Gordon Schaeffer, Mandy Treble, Christa Fuchs, Sarah Selinger, Leah Longley, Darren Kress

Agenda:

1. **Call To Order:** Meeting was called to order at 7:31pm.
2. **Adoption of Agenda:** #5 Financial Statements was switched to be #3 and then everything else pushed down in order from there.
MOTION to accept the changes to the agenda: Sarah S. 2nd Byron G. Carried.
3. **Financial Statements - Sandra Gaetz:** 2025 Financial Statements were presented and read.
MOTION to accept Financial Statements as presented and read: Christa F. 2nd Gordon S. Carried.
4. **Current Board Members & Positions:**
 - a. Chair - Crystal Petersen
 - b. Vice-Chair - Kyle Lockert
 - c. Treasurer - Sandra Gaetz
 - d. Secretary - *VACANT* (Shelley Hoffart put in her resignation from QTMBA and this position)
 - e. Members at Large -
 - i. Brittany Miller
 - ii. Marc Berube
5. **Nominations for Board Positions:**
 - a. Byron Gaetz -
MOTION to accept Byron Gaetz's nomination to the Quad Town Minor Ball Association board as a member at large: Marc B. 2nd Brett M. Carried.
6. **Old Business - Crystal Petersen:** Crystal presented a summary, attached Appendix I, on the 2025 season.

7. **New Business - Kyle Lockert:** Kyle presented a summary, attached Appendix II, on plans for the 2026 season.
8. **Questions/Round Table:**
- a. Brett M. & Gordon S. - if 15U is supposed to go AA for this season by Baseball Regina, do not feel that this is possible or feasible for those individuals.
 - i. Discussed that we can have a review of our evaluations with Baseball Regina after our evaluations if we feel a team is not AA calibre. Ultimately up to Baseball Regina's further review.
 - b. Sarah S. - felt that last season the 11U A teams were left in the dust.
 - i. Discussed that QTMBA also learned and felt a bit of that last season and we are anticipating it to be much better prepared for this season.
 - c. Lindsay G. - How are evaluations being done this season? She hopes that the teams are equal this year because if not, kids will be throwing in the towel and hope there isn't a weaker team like some felt last year. She hopes that both coaches are involved in the final evaluation process.
 - i. Plan is for independent evaluators/third parties to do this initial ranking of the players and distribution of even teams. After that, both coaches and neutral board members will meet and review the final teams.
 - d. Natasha L. - What happens if kids do not show up for evaluations?
 - i. Will be reviewed as stated above with the coaches and neutral board members. Will ultimately just be placed on a team as felt to best make teams work.
 - e. Lindsay G. - Suggestion made that teams should have an equal opportunity to APs. Discussion also to be sure that coaches and managers are aware when APs are being used.
 - i. Did create some verbage in 2025 in regards to APs, will be adjusting slightly and sharing again and with all in

2026. Coaches and managers absolutely need to be aware.

- f. Brett M. - Projections for 18U A teams, guessing 20 players?
 - i. Kyle L. confirmed that we are projecting 26 players for that age division.
- g. Sarah S. - Do we get players from other organizations?
 - i. Yes. They need a release. We are implementing that we have a right to maintain a 75% QT MBA/local kid ratio to our teams.
- h. Brett M. - What is the goal of going to provincials?
 - i. Discussion on making provincial team communication more clear, discussion of using player rankings from evaluations, suggestions to make a positive experience with ultimately clear communications to all. The goal is going to depend on the coach and the team and the year but hopefully can be communicated effectively and as fair as possible. Every member of a team has a role.
- i. Sarah S. - Would our AA teams be in the same provincial tier as our A teams?
 - i. Baseball Saskatchewan does a review before placement of all teams in a Tier. We would hope upon review that our AA team and A teams of the same division do not end up in the same tier but it could be possible after their review. More than one team in the same division can apply to go to provincials.
- j. Darren K. - Jamie or himself are willing to help out with any additional tasks the board may need help with, please just put us somewhere for a job.
- k. Brandi M. and Sarah S. - also willing to help out with additional tasks, please reach out.
- l. Belinda K. - Why are we doing evaluations for A teams?
 - i. We need a score or something to show a rationale of how teams are equal. We have learned from history and previous seasons. If people have accommodations, we need to know beforehand and do not take them after

teams are already made. Accommodations are reviewed, not a guarantee.

- m. Randy W. - Communication in regards to evaluations and team splits and what happens if players do not show up needs to be had with those 18U players as there is some unsettledness from last season.
- n. Christa F. - Suggestion to maybe have coach drafts when it comes to making team splits.
- o. Christa F. - Suggestion to have each TBall team be one colour instead of all the colours. It is chaos enough and adding in all the colours just adds to it.

9. **Meeting Adjournment:** Meeting was adjourned at 8:41pm
MOTION Darren K. 2nd Brett M.

2026 QTMA AGM APPENDIX I

Old Business (Crystal):

- Continue to see growth in our membership in both baseball & softball
- 10 baseball teams, 11 softball teams (including 2 Tball), 115 baseball players, 115 softball & Tball players, 59 staff members
- We saw 5 of our teams attend a Provincial Championship in the 2025 season
 - 11UAA Tier 5 in Odessa - GOLD MEDAL Champions
 - 13UAA Tier 5 in Regina
 - 18UAA Tier 8 in Carrot River
 - U13B Softball in Regina
 - U11A Softball in Moosomin - BRONZE Medal
- U9 teams hosted a 12 team 1 day tournament June 14th
- Our U11B & U13B softball teams attempted to host a joint 2-day tournament but the smoke and then rain ultimately led to cancellation.
- 11UAA Baseball co-hosted provincials with Kipling
- U9 softball ran their 2nd consecutive tournament hosting 10 teams, and once again a great success
- Quad Town Minor Ball day expanded to a 2-day format June 7-8th and is always a significant source of fundraising for our association. This WAS NOT a huge success due to the weather and lots of teams ended up canceling their games while others still played. It was extremely disappointing that a lot of teams cancelled their games so easily. This is the only major fundraiser for our organization and we only ended up with half the profits of previous years. Plus a lot of planning efforts went into this.

2026 QTMB AGM APPENDIX II

New Business (Kyle):

- Looking to register teams in AA Baseball 11U & 13U
- Informed by Baseball Regina that we need to field a AA team in 15U
- A Softball program for U11
- Evaluations
 - AA Baseball and A Softball Evaluation signup opening soon
 - Evaluations scheduled for early Mid-Late Feb into March in Weyburn
 - Will be conducting independent Evaluations for all team splits for U11 and up
- QTMB plans to be more involved in provincials within our organization
 - Team selection (rosters)
 - Coaches
- Registration is open:
 - Deadline Feb 8 for U11 up and Mar 8 for U9 down
- 2025 Executive Plans:
 - Reduced workload for current board members unless more members sign up to help. Some of the roles/tasks or workings that may drop off if more help does not happen:
 - Minor Ball Day in Odessa - significant funding source
 - Picture Day - teams would be on their own
 - QTMB Clothing Order - No gear
 - Spring Gym Times - No pre-season tune-up sessions or potential practices coordinated in the local gyms
 - Continue to replenish and replace equipment and uniforms
 - I would like to offer training and skills sessions organized through QTMB, but would not happen without additional help.
 - Will be Registering 11U & older with Regina Baseball and Regina Minor Softball
 - Continue to have our U9 and younger teams play locally with games scheduled against fellow rural associations
 - Continue to collaborate with villages of Odessa, Vibank and Sedley and their associated Recreation entities for diamond usage, facilities management, and equipment where applicable