SCMBA Jan 8, 2024 57's Clubhouse @ 7:00pm

Welcome everyone

Present: Toni Adair, Erlene Deobald, Chad Duckworth, Gerald Johnson, Quinton Chastkiewicz, Dave and Lori Langen, Chad Kozun, Jason Soos.

Called to Order at 7:00pm

Adoption of agenda- Gerald Johnson, seconded by Dave. All in Favor.

Adoption of minutes- Quinton, seconded by Chad D, All in Favor.

Division Reports:-

T-ball, Rally Cap- Nothing to report

11U & 13U- A few enquires for coaching, but not much else to report.

18U- 12 kids showed up last night to practice. There were 3 coaches- Kurrie Darby, Shawn Lee, and Brett Schwartz. The practice went well. There are 5 more Sunday's booked for these practices. There is player that has relocated from Estevan that wants to practice. We will get him registered under SCMBA to ensure he is insured.

18U Selects Tournament- Nothing new to report. This is the 3rd year Swift is hosting. Sask Baseball supplies all the umps.

AAA & AA Coaches Applications- they will be open out this week. They will be on the RAMP website and also put on the facebook page. All courses need to be completed before provincials. We will try and get Baseball Sask to send down an instructor to teach the courses.

Coaches meeting will take place on Feb 15 at 7:00.

We plan to have the AAA & AA try-outs together starting in March. We do have some free time available at Prime since we traded our diamonds for Fall Ball.

Stockade is booked March 3- 5:15-9:15 March 11, and 17- 7:00-9:00pm Mach 24 and 31- 5:30-9:30pm April 7- 7:30-9:30pm April 8,15,17- 7:45-9:45 Gerald will be looking for more times also at the Stockade, and will also check out Prime. We are hoping for around 10 more hours.

Timeline-

Jan 9-Coaches application opens.

Jan 30- Coaches application closes.

Feb 5- Next SCMBA meeting at the Clubhouse at 7:00.

Feb 12- Registration opens

Feb 15- Coaches meeting at the Clubhouse at 7:00pm (Garnett- have your PowerPoint presentation ready for this meeting)

RAMP program and umpires- We plan to have a presentation for RAMP with the umps scheduling. Date TBD.

We are getting RAMP to redesign our Facebook page right now. The host website will cost around \$400/year.

Umpire Recruitment- We are hoping to have the umpire clinics earlier this year, around March. We are going to ask Minor Hockey to give our info to their referees, in hopes that some of them will want to ump also.

We may need to increase the umpire fee for the rep teams, and give a possible bonus after a certain number of games. We will also purchase another set of umpire gear.

Batting Cages- Gerald Johnson made a motion to accept quotes up to \$7000 for the steel posts. Chad K seconded, All in favor.

We have received 1 quote, but are waiting on 2 more quotes.

Sponsorship Committee- Jordan Brisbois has mentioned he may be willing to head it.

Clothing- Toni will go through the old stock. We may order some cage jackets for coaches and hoodies for the players. This year the green jerseys will match the orange jerseys numbers.

City-Wide- Dave and Lori, Quinton and Toni will set up at City Wide. They will also promote recruiting umpires during that evening.

Constitutions and By-laws- Updates need to be done. Our VP will go through them and make suggestions. A good place to look is at Weyburns.

We may ask past presidents to see if they see any old by-laws that are not relevant anymore.

If we need to add anything to facebook, we can send it to Lori, and she will get Ashley to update our Facebook.

Next meeting Feb 5 at 7:00 at the Clubhouse. Meeting Adjourned at 7:57pm.