

Wilmot Softball Association – Committee Meeting

MINUTES

DATE: FEBRUARY 11, 2021

TIME:

6:30PM

LOCATION:

MS TEAMS VIRTUAL
MEETING

MEETING CALLED BY	WSA
TYPE OF MEETING	Regular
FACILITATOR	Mike Carey
NOTE TAKER	Mike Van De Wynckel
TIMEKEEPER	
ATTENDEES	Mike V, John V, Jason P, PJ, Ryan R, Chris F, Shannon, Todd S, Susan H, Kevin H, Scott S, Mike C, Tim, Dwight,
ABSENT	Everyone Else

Call to Order

TIME: 6:34

GIRLS BALL

CHRIS

DISCUSSION	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Update from PWSA • Pods of 8 • 4 Mandatory Weekends to replace league play. Maybe Qualifiers maybe not... • Seems like qualifiers are only necessary if we return to more normal conditions... no pods necessary • Exhibition games throughout the week only • Feb 22 EARLIEST start possible but likely March by the time the RTP is approved • The government has apparently provide subsidies so that fees to rent facilities shouldn't increase from two years ago? • Mite teams have limited options because of pod play by the rest of the teams in the province. 	
CONCLUSIONS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • We can get back to PWSA if we are able to host one of the 4 weekends • Tell PWSA in the next week? if we are willing to commit to attending Eastern Championships if we qualify • Girls teams are ready to proceed with registration any time 	
ACTION ITEMS	PERSON RESPONSIBLE	DEADLINE
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ask PWSA if there might be an option to enter a team late (U10) 	Todd	ASAP

<p>DISCUSSION</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 76 responses by families so that might be more than that many players (100?) • Multiple distribution lists have been used to pass the word around • Results haven't been analyzed yet • Huge rush of responses today, tonight... • Should we still offer two payments? Since we are already past Christmas maybe just accept a single payment this year. • Since none of the boys teams are finalized do we open registration for all the boys and refund the money for the boys who eventually don't make their teams? • Dunney's still have the baby blue girls shirts that are waiting to be sublimated. • Each of the girls teams seem to only need 2 dark blue jerseys for new players. • Tavistock has opened registration • Ayr has opened registration • We might know more about what we can do after it's made clear how things re-open next week. 	
<p>CONCLUSIONS</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Need to have discussion at some point about whether or not the price of the uniform is included in the registration fee • Open registration for rep teams (girls and boys) because they are likely to have some sort of season at least similar to last year... for teams that have wrapped up their try-outs and the teams are selected • Charge the full amount of registration fees (girls) including the baby blue jerseys to make up for eating the cost of the jerseys last year... and we will pay for the 4 extra dark blue jerseys. • We should set a meeting within the next two weeks to re-visit coaching/registration decisions. 	
<p>ACTION ITEMS</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Link the form on social media to reach out to T-Ball and new families and players • Discuss the wording for registration. • Start to map out what teams need to have coaches selected... so that we are ready when tryouts can start, and ready for registration shortly afterwards 	<p>PERSON RESPONSIBLE</p> <p>John Mike C, Susan, Kevin Kevin</p>	<p>DEADLINE</p>

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ADULT LEAGUE

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DISCUSSION	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Emails have gone out to players and umpires... Waiting for responses • Not looking at any cost increases 		
CONCLUSIONS			
ACTION ITEMS	PERSON RESPONSIBLE	DEADLINE	

TIME: 7:15PM

VACANT POSITION

MIKE C

DISCUSSION	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Scott will be stepping down at the end of this season so we need to fill that position. Thanks Scott! • Scott would be willing to help train his replacement if we find someone sooner rather than later. • Should we advertise on Social Media? This is a big position that needs to be filled. 		
CONCLUSIONS			
ACTION ITEMS	PERSON RESPONSIBLE	DEADLINE	

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COLLABORATION

CHRIS

DISCUSSION	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Now might be the time to reach out to Tavistock and Shakespeare about working together in the future 		
CONCLUSIONS			
ACTION ITEMS	PERSON RESPONSIBLE	DEADLINE	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gather some emails 	Chris		

APPROXIMATE MEMBERS IN ATTENDANCE	14
RESOURCES	Agenda
SPECIAL NOTES	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hockey might be looking at extending their seasons and we have been in discussion with them indicating that we intend to have a season and hope to start on time.
NEXT MEETING DATE:	Thursday February 25, 6:30pm
MOTION TO ADJOURN:	Tim
SECOND	John
CARRIED	Unanimously