

MINUTES

Greenville Youth Sports Inc.

March 7, 2018 | 7:00p.m. General Member Meeting called to order by Ryan Paschke

In Attendance

Ryan Gass, Ryan Paschke, Kristin O Conner, Bobbi Jo Paschke, Tod Turkow, Nick Streudel, Rob Sipes, Angie Gass, Lanny Rogers, Steve Werner, Jason Strange, Tamara Rozmarynowski, Dave Much, Rachel Sommer, Amie Strange, Klay Konrad, Scott Schanhofer, Ryan Krause, Jim Kossow, Shirley Carlson (20)

PUBLIC: Eric Morall, Gus Wuest, Shane Rickle(3)

ABSENT: Alex Bonikowski , Megan Turkow, Jim Gerhardt, Jon Otto (4)

Call to Order

Ryan Paschke called meeting to order at 7:08 p.m. at the Town Safety Building.

January's Monthly Minutes were approved. Ryan K approved amended minutes.

Open Public Forum

-The public presented the board regarding shortening the playing time of games by 10 minutes. They would like the playing time moved back to 1 hour and 30 minutes. They suggested possibly having a 5pm and 7pm start time for games, or even possibility extending the season.

-The public also requested having a coach pitch after a certain number of balls were thrown for Minor League, to keep the game running smoothly.

-The public lastly addressed the board regarding the Minor League and the possibility of keeping teams together from last year and just redrafting the new players or if all players will get redrafted.

President's Report

None.

Softball Report

None.

Discussion Items

1. **Treasure's Report.**

A. *No update at this time, statement will be sent out at a later date.*

2. **Policy and Procedures were discussed.**

A. *GYS will make a new policy stating rules for all new players moving into the area that missed tournament tryouts.*

B. *A league coordinators please forward your policy and procedures to Tamara.*

C. *Still waiting on Jon Otto to revise his rules.*

3. **Discussed which GYS Logo we would be using for League teams.**

A. *We will use the Greenville "G" as the league logo this season and will work on a GYS logo for next year.*

4. **Scheels Sponsorship was addressed.**

A. *Scheels will be paying for all the league shirts and will be splitting the cost of hats/headbands for all leagues with sponsors for the next 5 years.*

B. *Scheels would like GYS to move up all winter dates by 1 month, in order to be prepared for the seasons start. **Ryan G motioned to move the registration and deadline process up one month, Dave 2nd motion. All were in favor, none opposed, motion approved.***

C. *March 24 is the proposed hand out date of uniforms and hats for Machine, Coach, Minor, Junior, Major and Senior Leagues at Scheels.*

D. *April 27 is the proposed hand out date of uniforms and hats for T-ball and Pee Wee at Scheels.*

5. **Donations were discussed.**

A. *Lawyer stated as long as football field is also a non-profit we could make a donation.*

1. Scott S motioned to donate \$1000.00 per year for the next 5 years to HHS football field, Steve 2nd the motion. Motion denied in a 7-9 vote.

B. Business donations were also discussed in great length.

1. All business checks would need to be made out to GYS for GYS to process.
2. All donations/requests would need to be discussed by the board for prior approval.

6. Park Contract was addressed.

- A.** Contract was updated, the town would like to be notified by November 1st of next season tournaments if possible.

7. Bleachers were discussed.

A. The town approved to provide Community Park with 4 new sets of bleachers, each set will be 10 rows high and 25' wide. Each set can hold 138 people with wheelchair accessibility. It will take 1 week to install once old bleachers are down.

- B.** \$56,000 it will cost the town for materials and installation. GYS will be responsible for takedown of old bleachers.

8. GYS Future was discussed

- A.** Each GYS board member should bring 1 idea to the next meeting that would help improve the ballpark.

9. Executive Committee was addressed.

A. Bylaws call for 4 officers (President, Secretary, Vice President, Treasurer) and 3 other board members. This vote will take place at the November annual meeting.

10. Rachel updated GYS on the current registration numbers as of March 7th.

- A. Pee Wee has 27
- B. T-ball has 138
- C. Machine has 118
- D. Minor has 94
- E. Major has 65
- F. Coach has 57
- G. Junior has 62
- H. Senior has 35 (possibly adding 14U to senior league)
- I. 13's have 14
- J. 14's have 20
- K. 15's have 10

11. League coaches were discussed and picked.

- A.** Please see League coordinators for names.

Open Member Forum

-Scott- FVYBL has tryouts April 8th, he will get schedules to Megan ASAP so she can block FVYBL games then proceed with GYS. Pay scales have been approved for coaches.

- Amie stated she has a few 7/8th graders will to coach a t-ball team

-Jason questioning the next meeting date, and also if there we will limit the number of people involved in rules committee.

-Ryan G. boys tournaments are filled and set to go.

-Rob has Betsy Bacus and Peg Mischler covering for the draft days. Also April 21st will be online registration for boys 7/8U tryouts on Jevin.

-Lanny would like to inventory equipment. Catchers gear and more balls are needed. Also outfield fences are ordered.

Ryan K. St Mary League is requesting 4 game times in May. He would also like to have a hand down day where people can sell old baseball equipment TBA in April. Next meeting he will bring in field signs for approval.

Meeting adjourned at 10:03 p.m.

Next Meeting

Meeting to be held April 4th, 2018 @ 7:00 pm. @ Town Safety Building