

Rochester Youth Baseball Association
House Committee Meeting Minutes
October 21, 2018 @ 1900

Attendance:

Lisa Atkielski, Bruce Kall, Hal Norman, Mike Burman, Scott Darrington, Adam Springer, Brent Jacobs, Matt Markland, Garth Nelson, Josh Rhoades, Dan Berkland, Chris Stout

1. Feedback from last year

- End of the year survey? Didn't get sent out this year – needs to be done next year.
- Coach Expectations – playing to win vs playing to learn/experience
- No All-Star Weekend – have set earlier
- End of year Tournament dates/format – have set earlier
- More focus on development
- First Aid kits?
- Form k-3 earlier so 3 can help 4
- Hold a coaches clinic:
 - How to run a practice
 - Skill sets per grade levels
 - Coaches fill out stats on past year
- Batting order – rotate, person on deck to end the game should start the next game
- Commissioner responsibilities – define better

2. Goals for this year

- Improve Communication
- Have dates set ahead of time

3. Flat League vs Majors/Minors split

- Have majors/minors start at 6/7
- Natural transition to middle school, division by skills, abilities
- 4/5 tryouts have been a struggle the past few years, eliminating them simplifies things for house
- Flat 4 league, Flat 5 league

4. Scheduling/Tryout?/Season Start & End Dates/End of the Season Tournament/All-Star Game

Kinderball	M/W
1 st Grade	Tu/Th

2 nd Grade	M/W
3 rd Grade	Tu/Th
4 th Grade	M/W
5 th Grade	Tu/Th
6/7 Minors	M/W
6/7 Majors	Tu/Th
8 th Grade	??? Talk to Tim H

5. Next Meeting: Sunday, November 4th 1900 @ Centerstone

Future Business:

- Grade Level Commissioners
- Newsletter Information
- Rules Review/Umpire Cards?
- Scheduling
- Opening Day?
- Equipment Pick-up and Return
- Registration
- All Star Weekend
- OMC Sports Clinics?