



EXETER YOUTH BASEBALL & SOFTBALL

(www.exeteryouthbaseball.com)

MEETING MINUTES FOR MONTH OF: MARCH

DATE: April 5, 2022

Call to Order:

- Live meeting at Stonersville Fire Company Social Hall called to order by Jeremy Reeser at 8:04pm.
- March Minutes approved by Matthew Burkhart/Jason Diefenderfer.

Secretary Report (Miller)

- **Key Upcoming Dates:**
 - 4/9 – Upper Levels Opening Day of Games
 - 4/10 – Lower Levels Opening Day of Games
 - 4/15 – Fundraisers due
 - 5/14 weekend – District Team tryouts
 - 5/21 – Picture Day & Fundraiser Pickup

President's Report (Reeser)

- Opening Day weekend in place of the parade will consist of each team's manager introducing each player and lining up on the baselines for recognition – similar to an all-star game.
- Potential parade information will be sent out tomorrow in regards to lower levels.
- Uniforms are expected to be ready this Thursday night – please be on the lookout for an email for pickup. It will be up to the managers to distribute to their teams.
- District Info – Josh Hoyt will send coaching interest sign ups within the next couple days.
 - The EYBS board will vote on the final list once the interest is finalized.
 - Districts are expected to start 6/10
 - State tournament is expected weekend of 7/4.
 - Kid picks will begin at the 12U level and move down to the age below.
 - No 8U team will be assembled due to numbers.
 - District/State teams will be completely separate from the current Tier roster.
- Stonersville Fire Company and EYBS are in good standing.
 - Dates will be provided for Exeter Youth night at the Reading Phillies game in June.

Vice President of Baseball Report (Jones)

- Can't stress complex rules during the season:
 - No smoking/vaping/pets/etc.
 - If anybody sees any rules being violated, please reach out to a Board member immediately.
- Thank you again to all who volunteer to keep the complex in great shape.

Vice President of Softball Report (Turner)

- Games have been all scheduled.
- Most games are in-house, with a few non-league.
- Reminder - Josh Turner will be stepping down in October.



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Treasurer's Report (McCusker)

- **No monthly report.**
- **Umpire checks will be distributed after the meeting to all Managers.**
- **Umpire fees for the season are expected to be approximately \$6,000.**
- **Fundraisers are due back to Jeff by next Friday.**
- **New HOF batting cage net has arrived and will be installed soon.**

Player Agents' Report –Registration (Hoyt)

- **Home Team is responsible for lining the field before a game – Away Team drags/rakes, makes sure dugouts are clean & puts bases away.**
- **Clearances expire after 2 years and need to be renewed to coach this season.**
 - **Must be completed by first practice**
 - **All volunteers that will be interacting with the players will require this**
- **Reminder - Josh Hoyt will be stepping down in October, so anybody interested may shadow Josh during the season to learn the job duties.**
- **Any equipment requests are to be directed to John Heckler & Josh Hoyt.**
- **(x2) new balls should be provided by the Home Team for each game.**
- **Each kid should get the opportunity to play any desired position with safety in mind. This is how we progress a kid's ability and interest in the game.**

Player Agent's Report –Scheduling (Willauer)

- **Schedule has been completed for the Spring Season.**
 - **Any conflicts, please email as soon as possible, and it will get addressed.**
- **Sports Engine is up to date for all team games. Managers can add additional activities on their own, such as practices.**
- **If a game is cancelled due to weather, it is up to the Home Team Manager's responsibility to notify the umpire scheduled for that game – very important!**
- **Coaches/Umpire lists were sent out.**
- **Kevin Hole is the individual responsible for scheduling umpires.**
- **Managers must inform the umpire of any rescheduled games.**

Field Maintenance Report

- **None to report this month.**

New/Old Business:

- **None to report this month.**

Motion to Adjourn:

- **8:45PM – by Matthew Burkhardt/Harry Snyder.**