



Plainview Baseball Association  
Agenda  
January 4, 2012

Attendance:

Angstreich  
 Bounougias  
 Bursky  
 Dershowitz  
 DiPierri  
 Dossie  
 Feit  
 Feldman  
 Fried

Gough  
 Jenkins  
 Kaplan  
 Liebman  
 Mason  
 Moskowitz  
 O'Connor  
 Pascarella  
 Pickus

Reo  
 Rosa  
 Saltzman  
 Supran  
 Triola  
 Vanderpool  
 Zweig

The meeting was called to order at 8:12pm at the Bethpage TOB Ice Rink.

1. Minutes for December 2011 meeting accepted by Triola and seconded by Bursky
2. Minutes from the January 4 E-board meeting were presented

Upcoming Dates and Events:

1. Next Board meeting February 1, 2012 at 8:00pm. at the TOB Ice Rink
2. Next E-board Meeting: Sunday January 29 at 8:00pm.
3. Winter Clinics – 1/9, 1/23, 1/30

Little League Matters

1. Rules committee report (Lloyd)

Committee will meet in Jan and report suggestions at Feb meeting – biggest topic of likely to be whether or not to adopt dropped 3<sup>rd</sup> strike rule in Majors divisions

2. Fields report (Mike)

Mike photographed all fields so that specific issues can be identified to school and town officials. All fields need additional infield clay. All fields with wooden benched/bleachers need repair to these wood structures

Organizational Matters

1. Treasurers report (Eileen)

Year end information sent to accountants for tax processing. All tax processing to be done by accountants including generation of 1099 forms for umpires

2. Registration update (Steve)

Registration is lagging behind last year. Could be due to many factors including families trying to wait until holiday bills are complete before registering, switching in-person sessions to Friday nights

- 2.1. Last in-person 1/20 – volunteers

Maria, Greg, Dean M, Doug, Eileen

- a) Add additional date(s)?

If necessary, an additional in-person date will be added in February

2.2. Seniors (Jim, Rich)

A meeting for interested players will be held later in January

2.3. Registration forms to pre-K and K-Center (Dean B, Mike)

Forms for Lil Hawks are being distributed to pre-K schools and forms for T-ball are being distributed to the K Center

2.4. Advertising (Dean M)

Ads continue to appear in the Pennysaver. A new ad was placed on the Plainview Patch

2.5. Using the LM to contact unregistered players (Rich R)

An e-mail blast to be sent to all eligible players from last season advising of upcoming winter clinics. Following that, division directors will contact unregistered players directly.

3. Carnival report (Mike)

3.1. Permit update

The permit is expected to be approved this week

3.2. Form committee

Dave, Rob, Jim

4. Sponsorship report (Dean M/Jay)

Over 20 paid sponsors to date with more in the pipeline. Plainview Chamber of Commerce will allow a rep from the league to attend the Jan Chamber meeting to discuss sponsorship opportunities

4.1. Parent volunteers needed? Not at this time

5. Winter clinic update (Gary, Greg)

5.1. Volunteers for 1/9

Lloyd, Dean M, Lew, Will

5.2. Volunteers for 1/23

Trish, Rob, Lloyd, Garry

5.3. Volunteers for 1/30

Dean M, Ken, Mike

6. Volunteers for new manager/coach interviews week of 1/22 (Dean M)

Volunteers to be solicited once date is set

7. School permits update (Doug)

All requested indoor permits approved. Field permits submitted but often not dealt with until Feb/Mar

7.1. Umpire training

Dates to be announced

7.2. Manager/Coaches meeting

Permit for 3/14 approved; waiting for paper copy. Rich S attempting to set up safety training to be done during this meeting. Equipment and/or uniforms could be distributed at this meeting as well

8. December 14 meeting update (Maria)

An update was given on the status of on ongoing situation

Meeting adjourned at 10:15pm