

SAU 16 Softball Committee Meeting Minutes  
May 8th, 2023 | 8pm-9pm

Attendance: Elise Amarosa, Tracy Williams, Joe Contois, Mike Tully, Christine Conner, Nicole Sheaff, Lisa Duchesne  
Chrissy Leonard, Josh Mills, Abby Mills, Kerri Rodgers

Meeting open at: 8:03pm

Item:	Discussion:	Actions:	Responsible/Due date:
<b>Approval of meeting minutes from 4.10.23</b>	Tracy made a motion to approve, Joe Second, all in favor		
<b>EJBSL Board Update:</b> Christine  <b>SportsEngine;</b> May 15th deadline - need to add Riptide/Xtreme players  <b>Scholarship</b>	May 15th update on Sports Engine Need to register Rowan Granmason (Xtreme) Do we pay an insurance fee for these girls?	Committee agreed on \$25 fee	
<b>Rules Update:</b> Sitting rule -10U through 14U	Difficulty when kids do not show up and lineups have been completed  Reviewed last years rules for 10U-14/16U	Mike Tully made a motion Joe seconds All in favor	Christine will send out an email to all coaches in the league to clarify this rule sau

	<p>Revert back to rules from last year?</p> <p>12U/14U “No player shall sit on the bench for more than one consecutive inning”</p> <p>8U/10U - the intent is to have all players playing relatively equal time over the course of the season</p>		
<p><b>Registration Update:</b></p> <p>Create Registration email</p>	<p>Make one email for registration so not using personal emails</p>	<p>Email will be created</p>	<p>Abby will make the registrar email and it will be added to the website</p>
<p><b>Schedule updates:</b></p> <p>Champ Night - Chris Snow from Hampton</p> <p>6U end of season event 6/10</p>	<p>Chris has offered to head up Champ night</p> <p>6U end of season event 6 teams at 6U this year Last year had medals for the teams</p> <p>Jamboree in Newmarket??</p>	<p>Chris has reached out via email to Champ committee for 8U-12U</p> <p>Reach out to Newmarket to do a 6U jamboree</p>	<p>Christine will reach out to partner towns and ask Newmarket</p>

<p>Sawyer Park Field Rental - Night games? Double-Headers?</p>	<p>Do we want to move games to have night games? Next year would be better Night games are affordable, \$75 for whole night</p>	<p>Moving to parking lot for next year</p>	
<p><b>Field Updates:</b> Newfields mowing - cost share w/ baseball  Storage Sheds discussion - anything missing? Please clean up after yourselves</p>	<p>K&amp;B \$5400 spent last year for maintenance, last year baseball reimbursed \$1000  Baseball may need to share the cost more equally to pay for the mowing  Land was donated to NYAA, NYAA allows the school to use the fields  Our deal with NYAA, we are given exclusive use of the fields, and we maintain the fields  Maybe next year bid out</p>	<p>Reach out to baseball about cost share</p>	<p>Christine and Josh will bring to the Baseball meeting</p>
<p><b>Treasurer Report:</b>  Riptides May Tournament Refund - Has Al gotten back to the</p>	<p>Christine emailed AL also sent a text Paul emailed him as well</p>	<p>Joe made a motion to have Committee refund Riptide  Joe Second it  All in favor except for Christine</p>	

league regarding full refund? *			
<p><b>Fundraising:</b> Food night or car wash- fundraiser??</p> <p>Hanging banners at Rec Fields - volunteers needed</p> <p>Calendar raffle - draw in June next year for extra selling time</p>	<p>Raffle sales are around where we were last year \$12, 537 this year</p> <p>We are behind in fundraising on the corporate side, due to no paper trail from last year</p> <p>Sign up- for car wash, each team sign up for a timeslot</p> <p>Sundays</p>	<p>Car wash or food night?</p>	<p>Joe is looking into Seadog for a food night and will report back</p> <p>Joe will look into Car wash options</p>
<p><b>Misc:</b> Assistant Coach removed</p> <p>8U All Star team - Xtreme</p>	<p>One assistant coach was removed because they did not attempt to start any of the background checks and process for being approved</p> <p>8U all star team - do we open it up to all partner towns in the league? Should we do a tryout? May have</p>	<p>Nicole motioned to do a tryout for Xtreme 8U C level</p>	<p>Lisa is going to head up the tryout Christine and Nicole will</p>

	<p>enough to field one team, maybe not enough for two teams.</p> <p>One team this year, maybe next year offer out to all partner towns</p> <p>Do a tryout -</p> <p>XTreme is already registered as a C level team</p>	<p>team  Seconded  All in favor</p>	<p>assist</p>
<p><b>Visitors:</b></p>			
<p><b>Parking Lot for Next Agenda:</b></p> <p>Scholarships for Umpire Patching?</p> <p>Draft Committee - to meet over the summer</p> <p>Formalized timeline for next year - help with</p>			

<p>expectations, timeline, etc.</p> <p>Pitching clinics for younger girls learning to pitch- girls need to learn basic techniques before games start to prevent injuries.</p>			
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Meeting adjourned at: 9:40pm

Next Meeting: Tuesday May 30th, 2023 at 8pm

- Director of Softball - Christine Conner
- Fields - Bobby Leonard/Josh Mills
- Umps - Josh Mills
- Equipment - Joe Contois
- Registrar- Chrissy Leonard/Nicole S.
- Treasurer - Tracy Williams
- Website - Mike Tully
- Fundraising - Lisa Duchesne
- Corporate Sponsorship - Lisa Duchesne
- Communications - Abby Mills
- Safety Coordinator
- Background checks - Kerri Rodgers
- Secretary - Elise Amarosa

Uniforms - Christine Conner (temp)

Summer League Coordinator - Christine Conner (temp)

Rules - Committee

Shirts/Trophies/Coach's Award - Committee

Member at Large - Shannon Valli