

# ***Willingboro Little League Baseball***

## ***Coach's Meeting Minutes***

February 24 2009

### **I. Call to order**

**Nathaniel Anderson** called to order the regular meeting of the **Willingboro Little League Baseball Coaches** at **7:00 pm** on **2/24/09** in **JFK Recreation Center in Willingboro, NJ**.

### **II. Roll call**

Nathaniel Anderson conducted a roll call. The following persons were present: President – Nathaniel Anderson, Treasurer – Tracey McLaughlin, Secretary – Kasheema WC Payne Sr and Player Agent – Vincent Gilliam.

### **III. Approval of minutes from last meeting**

The minutes from the previous meeting were not read at this meeting due to the Secretary arriving late.

### **IV. Committee Reports**

- a) **Uniforms** – First choice of team names and uniform style will go to the coaches who have paid their 2009 coaches dues. All coaches were informed that the current dues for the upcoming season and are responsible for getting their dues paid as soon as possible.
- b) **Windscreen** – Kasheema Payne reports that he has found a supplier for our windscreen. A company called Net-Results Sports Inc. has provided us with some useful information and a quote for the price of the windscreen. There was one stated objection from the floor to place this project on hold until there could be another option found to improve our facilities this season. The objection was noted and a second proposal for improvement should be addressed at the next meeting.
- c) **Coaches** – Dave Shine states he will be in contact with the coaches for WBLL to ensure that everyone is aware of draft day and the mini camp that is scheduled.
- d) **Fundraising** – Eric Rivera has been designated to head the fundraising for WBLL this season. Eric states that he has many different ideas and is ready to hit the ground running.
- e) **Concession Stand** – Tracey McLaughlin has been designated to become the Concession Stand Manager. She is going to be in charge of the day-to-day operations of the concession stand and any and all funding it brings in. She requests that we have at least one parent in the stand for all games and events.

## V. Unfinished Business

- a) **Megan's Law Forms** – All persons involved with WBLL this season need to complete with a copy of a photo ID. Little League requires this change be made to all persons involved with a Little League organization.
- b) **Funding Request** – The Township has stated that any request for purchases that total \$2000 or more must be presented along with 3 different estimates from different suppliers. Also there has been no budget or designated amount of funds to be received from the township either thus far. As soon as new information is available it will be presented to the body.
- c) **Protected Player Deadline** – The deadline for protected players has past and there was a motion made and accepted to extend the deadline until Saturday March 3, 2009. This is to ensure that all players who did not get the chance to register to play have one more week to get registered.

## VI. New business

- a) **Charter Fees** - We have paid our charter and district fees to Little League. These are to ensure we are still protected by Little League for our organization.
- b) **Interleague Play** – Nat Anderson has sent an email to the presidents of the leagues in the surrounding towns offering to have interleague play for the upcoming season. Only two towns have responded to the email at the current time. Presently we are waiting to see what our registration numbers look like to see if we will have enough players to have interleague play.
- c) **Coaches Training** – Our coaches training for the upcoming season is scheduled for 3/21/09. This will be held in the JFK Recreation Center in room 5. Items to be covered at this seminar include CPR, First Aid and many other useful items to help our coaches have a safe season.
- d) **Picture Day** – Our picture day has been attentively scheduled for April 1 thru 3. There will be more information to come in the next meeting.
- e) **Opening Day** – Our opening day has been scheduled for April 4. This is not the final choice but by the next meeting we should have our schedule in place and a final date picked.
- f) **Draft Day** – The draft for the upcoming season has been re-scheduled to March 14, 2009 this is to ensure we have enough time to order the uniforms and have them before the start of the season.

## VII. Adjournment

**Kasheema WC Payne** adjourned the meeting at **7:23 pm**.

Minutes submitted by: KW Carrington Payne Sr.

Minutes approved by: [Name]