

St. Paul Park Traveling Baseball Booster Meeting
Tuesday, January 10, 2012
7:00 p.m.
Heritage Park Building

TRAVELING BASEBALL REGISTRATIONS WILL BE AT THE HERITAGE PARK BUILDING ON:
JANUARY 26TH, 7:00-8:00 P.M.

PLAYERS MUST ACCOMPANY A PARENT TO REGISTRATION FOR UNIFORM FITTING AND ARE TO WEAR A T-SHIRT.

Membership: Shannon Banaszewski, Robin Bassett, Bonnie Dekoster, Tami Hopp, Dana Parks, Kathy Remackel, Jonda Woodrich

SPPAA Board Guests: Cheryl Mullan, Treasurer; Dan Pennington, Baseball Director

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- **Meeting Called To Order at 7:06 p.m.**
- **Minutes of the December 11, 2011 meeting were approved.**
- **Registration**
 - ❖ There are currently seven 15U registrations and five 13U registrations to date.
- **Financials as of December 31, 2011 – Cheryl Mullan**
 - ❖ The current cash flow statement was distributed. The cash balance as of December 31, 2011 is \$7,927.92. There has been no change since the last meeting.
 - ❖ Cheryl Mullen discussed a proposed budget for traveling baseball based on last year's numbers. She stated that based on last year's numbers, approximately \$4,730 would need to be raised to balance the budget. However, since the year began with a surplus, there will be additional money available at the end of this season. It was previously discussed and agreed upon that a portion of any season-end surplus will be earmarked to the SPPAA Board to be used for the benefit of the entire baseball program. Specifics will be discussed at a future meetings.
- **Heggies Pizza Fundraiser**
 - ❖ Everyone who registered tonight was given an order form for the fundraiser. Each player must sell a minimum of 20 pizzas to fulfill their fundraising requirement.
 - ❖ The forms will be e-mailed to all Booster members on January 11. Forms and payment are due by January 26 and can be turned in during registration from 7:00-8:00 p.m. at the Heritage Building. Anyone not able to drop off their order forms and payment at that time are to contact Shannon at 612-325-5207 to arrange an alternate drop off.
 - ❖ The pizzas will be ready for pick-up at the February meeting.

- ❖ Stacia Heller, SPPAA Board Secretary, will e-mail a notification to all members of the SPPAA, informing them to contact her for the details and forms of the fundraiser if they plan on registering for traveling baseball at the next registration date. This to notify all additional members not currently on the Booster distribution list.
- **Sponsors**
 - ❖ Shannon will send the request for sponsorship letter to the following past supporters: Park Estates, Tennis Sanitation, SPP Fire Department and Anchor Bank. New banners will need to be purchased this year. Sponsors are recognized on the website and on the banners that are placed at the fields.
 - ❖ If anyone knows of additional sponsors they can solicit, please contact Shannon for a copy of the letter.
- **Indoor Practices – Dan Pennington**
 - ❖ Dan stated that he is still working with the Park Activity Center to find practice dates. The Activity Center likes to hold their open times for the booking of birthday parties, but Dan will continue to work with them to find possible practice times.
 - ❖ The Cottage Grove Armory is not a good practice venue and is too expensive for what can be accomplished.
- **New Business**
 - ❖ Saint Paul Saints Spotlight Game – Kevin Zittel
 - Shannon stated that Kevin was not able to attend the meeting but would like the Boosters to sell concessions at the Spotlight game. This topic was tabled until the next meeting when Kevin could present details.
 - ❖ March Meeting Date Change
 - Shannon and Kathy are not available for the March 13 Booster meeting so it was agreed that the meeting will be moved to March 20. Stacia will be asked to change the Heritage Building reservation from March 13 to March 20. The meeting will remain at 7:00 p.m.
 - ❖ January 26 Traveling Baseball Registration
 - There was discussion about putting the registration date on the Masonic Center marquee, as well as setting out the SPPAA sandwich boards on various corners as of January 23 to promote registration. Shannon will follow up.
- **Next Meeting – February 14, 2012, 7:00 at the Heritage Park Building**
- **Meeting adjourned at 7:32 p.m.**

Respectfully submitted by Tami Hopp, Booster Club Secretary