

CORNBELT "B/C" LEAGUE MEETING MINUTES

March 19, 2017

1:00PM

- 1) Meeting Called to order at 1:03pm, Towns represented were Greg H. Gould (Advisor), B League were President Jason Fahrlander(HBR), Mike Davis(Earlville), Jeff Bird(Plano), Dave Lee(Plano 2), Quinten Linuslex(Sandwich), Geri Henne(Leland), C. Davidson(Lisbon/Newark), Nathan Murry (Waterman), Brian Redmond(Newark), Phil Chapman(Lisbon), Ron McCaslin(Serena), Dale Baker(Serena)
"C" League were Jeremy Spoonmore(Leland), Cory Davidson(Newark), Blake Johnson (Somonauk), Jeremy Whiteaker(Serena), Nick Gaston(Waterman), Brian Lilly(Earlville), Bryan Pickert(HBR)
- 2) As of March 20 teams playing in 2017 for C League are
20 Teams: Newark Grey, Newark Blue, Somonauk Blue, Somonauk Gold, Waterman Red, Waterman Black, Wedron, Leland, HBR, Serena, Plano #1, Plano #2, Earlville, Lisbon Plano #3, Sandwich Black, Sandwich Orange, Sandwich Grey, Paw Paw, Sandwich White
- 3) B League were 19 Teams: Newark, Somonauk Gold, Somonauk Blue, Sandwich Grey, Sandwich Black, Sandwich Blue, Waterman Red, Waterman Black, Serena, Somonauk Grey Paw Paw, Earlville, HBR, Leland, Plano #1, Plano #2, Plano #3, Plano #4, Lisbon
- 4) Election of Officers for "C" and "B" League
"C" League President – Matt Kauffman, 4 Junior Drive, Sandwich, IL 60548 Cell: 630-639-0284
Email: redman0284@yahoo.com
"B" League President – Jason Fahrlander, 7S273 Mary Drive, Big Rock, IL 60511
Cell: 574-532-6973 Email: Jason.fahrlander@DPSG.com
- 5) Reporting scores and communicating with other teams is done by Facebook. All scores for "B" League and Pitchers inning pitched will be posted on facebook, Corn Belt League "B" Ball page, Each team will create a team page then post it on the Corn Belt League "B" Ball Page Roster will be sent in for "B" League to rockcreekball@aol.com No Scores are Kept for "C" League
- 6) Went over if any changes need to be made to the "C Rules year
A motion was made to change to Player pitch rule to Read" If Both Coaches agree to forgo the player pitching rule, then the coach can pitch the whole game, if both Coaches don't agree the team that wants to pitch can pitch to their own team." HBR Motioned, Somonauk 2nd, All in favor, non opposed, Motion Carried New Rule
- 7) Discuss any "B" League Rule Changes, Discussion on base stealing, but no rule change, expect there is now a written rule of No Stealing of Home Base for your one steal.

Also discussed about Hit By pitch rule how many pitches a pitcher can hit a batter with, lots of discussion, but no rule was put in place, each coach should take care if it themselves

- 8) \$100 Entry Fee for "B" League, Leave check blank so who ever needs to cash them can fill in their name. The fee to be used for: Umpires for All-Star Game, Umpires for final 4 League Tournament, 16 individual Trophies (per team) for all Players on a final 4 teams, Team Trophies for all Final Four finishing teams, Division Winner Trophy, A dozen balls for Final

Four Games (3 balls per Game) "B" entry fee money goes for all of these items. Mail Entry Fee to Jason Fahrlander, 7S273 Mary Drive, Big Rock, IL 60511

- 9) "C" League will Play on Thursday at 6:00pm and Sat. at 10:00am
"B" League will play on Tuesday & Friday's at 6:00pm

- 10) Other Business – website is www.rockcreekbball.com
Sandwich will host "B" League All-Star Game
Discussion on "B" All Star game skills and drills was to long last year to shorten it up a bit
By not having every All Star do everything, just pick one skill or Drill
If you are short kids for "B" league Bring up from "C" Team, but can only be rostered on one "B" Team
Plano Has some kids with no skills may need to stay in "B" League, HBR has a 9 yr old to stay in "C" League Jayden Williams, Somonauk has a 11 yr old Ben Goodmanson, must be pointed out to the other teams, and no 11yr olds can pitch in "B" league, Non Opposed this

Ken Isham said there will be a "B" Tournament April 22 & 23 10U, \$200 Call 815-762-4951

- 13) Next meeting Sunday March 26, 2017 at 1pm at Plano High School

- 14) Please email rockcreekbball@aol.com with any coaches information

- 15) Meeting Adjourned at 2:01pm