

Minutes from 4/5, 2/3 (instructional/advanced)6/7 and 8/9 Coaches Meeting
May 13, 2017

Meeting for 4/5 called to order at 5:35 and closed as 6:31 PM

1. Roll Call (by Team)

South Division

Easton Red Rebels	Present
Palisades North	Present
Palisades South	Present
Palmer Hurricanes	Present
Saucon Valley A/Fireballs	Present
Saucon Valley B	Absent – Denise O’Neill
Williams Rams	Present
Wilson Warriors	Present

Central

BT Narwahls	Present
BT Storm	Present
Easton Outlaws	Present
Forks Cyclones	Present
LN Storm	Present
Palmer Diamonds	Present
St. Jane’s	Present
Upper Nazareth	Present

North

Bushkill Township	Present
Forks Diamond Divas	Present
Pen Argyl Knights	Present
UMBT Dirt Devils	Present
UMBT Intensity	Present
UMBT Wildcats	Present
Wind Gap Gators	Present

- a. No Fines from April Meeting, one \$25.00 fine as noted above
2. Old Business
 - a. April Minutes approved
 - b. **Quick note for all levels.** Information on ELV website is for informational purposes. Please note that note all information is updated in real-time. For example, the original schedules are not updated to reflect changes made by coaches. Also, the proposed meeting dates and times discussed in meeting are subject to change. Please defer to e-mail from Gary to coordinators to coaches 3-5 days prior to meeting for exact date and times.
3. Treasurer Report

- a. Lower Level Balance \$19306.85
- b. Upper Level Balance \$2678.13
 - i. Outstanding bills to Jon Adams for assignment fee and Gary expenses.
- 4. Review of Game Reporting and Scheduling
 - a. Ann reported most games are being played.
 - b. Gary reminded coaches that rescheduled games shall be made up in the week, by that Sunday.
- 5. Tournament Discussion
 - a. Reminder; June 23-25 at UN fields
 - b. Tournament coordinator meetings will start the week of May 22.
 - c. Volunteers
 - i. Phill Rissmiller (Palmer)
 - ii. Shawn Swartz (Forks)
 - iii. Jose Gonzales (UMBT)
 - iv. Craig Swinsburg (Palmer)
- 6. Rules Interpretation
 - a. Agreed that overthrow is only being played at first base. Runner can advance to the next base at their own risk. The example discussed is a runner at first, ball hit to shortstop, who throws to second base and overthrows the 2nd baseman. Due to attempt being made, all coaches agreed, no further advancement.
- 7. Adjournment
 - a. Next Tentative Meeting: Sunday, June 4th
 - i. 2nd/3rd graders: 5:00 PM
 - ii. 6th/7th graders: 6:00 PM
 - iii. 4th/5th graders: 7:00 PM
 - iv. 8th/9th graders: 8:00 PM
 - b. Agenda
 - i. All Make-up Games and score reporting
 - ii. Playoffs
 - iii. All-star tournament
 - iv. Fall Ball
- 8. NOTE: The ELV Secretary will not be at this June 4th meeting. I am looking for one coach to volunteer to take roll call and take minutes. Then send the minutes to secretary, where I will combine all minutes and post to website.

Meeting for 2/3 Coach and Advanced call to order at 6:38 pm and closed as 7:15 PM

1. Roll Call (by Team)

Coach

South Division

Palisades	Present
Easton Angels	Present

Forks Ponytail Express	Present
Wilson Warriors	Present
St Jane	Present
Palmer Tornados	Absent – Brian Rinda
SV Dolphins	Present
<u>North Division</u>	
BT Emojis	Absent – Mike Broadhead
NE Bluejays	Present
Bushkill Lightening	Present
LN thunderbolts	Present
UN Black Diamonds	Present
UN White	Present
LN Blue Raindrops	Present
Advanced	
<u>South</u>	
Palmer Panthers	Present
Saucon Valley Stingers	Present
Williams Township	Present
Easton Bandits	Present
Palisades	Present
<u>Central</u>	
BT Night Fury	Present
Forks Devils	Present
BT Lightning	Present
Northeast Dragons	Present
Forks Fierce	Present
<u>North</u>	
UMBT Lightning	Absent – Nicole Powers
Upper Nazareth Roadrunners	Present
Bushkill Rockies	Present
Pen Argyl Chatterboxes	Present
UMBT Maroon Fire	Present
Lower Nazareth Leopards	Present

- a. No Fines from April Meeting, three \$25.00 fine as noted above
2. See section from 4/5 grade minutes for general items
3. Review of Game Reporting and Scheduling
 - a. Rich reported most games are being played.
 - b. Gary reminded coaches that rescheduled games shall be made up in the week, by that Sunday.
4. Umpire Assignment

- a. Gary shared umpire sheets with 2/3 advanced coaches. This has about 1/2 the games scheduled. Gary is working on getting more umpires to take games.
- b. Decision is Rich will add column to score sheet with umpire assignment.
- 5. Tournament Discussion
 - a. Reminder; June 23-25 at Wilson fields
 - b. Tournament coordinator meetings will start the week of May 22.
 - c. Volunteers
 - i. Matt Seyfield (SV)
 - ii. Heidi Deem (Palisades)
 - iii. Nathan McIntyre (Easton)
 - iv. Alex Jordan (UN)
- 6. NOTE: The ELV Secretary will not be at this June 4th meeting. I am looking for one coach to volunteer to take roll call and take minutes. Then send the minutes to secretary, where I will combine all minutes and post to website.
 - i.

Meeting for 6/7 called to order at 7:30 PM and closed as 8:10 PM

1. Roll Call (by Team)

South Division

Easton Avengers	Present
Palisades North	Present
Palisades South	Present
Palmer Power	Present
Saucon Valley	Present
Williams Rams	Present
Wilson Warriors	Present

Central

BT Lightning	Present
BT Titans	Present
Forks Flames	Present
LN Talens	Present

Northeast Royal Absent - Josh Harclerode

Palmer Flames Absent – Marc Crisafulli

St. Jane's Hawks Absent – Andrew Micklos

North

Pen Argyl Knights	Present
UMBT Bombers	Present
UMBT Slaters	Present
UMBT Thunder	Present
Upper Nazareth	Present
Wind Gap Wildcats	Present

- a. No Fines from April Meeting, three \$25.00 fine as noted above

2. See section from 4/5 grade minutes for general items
3. Review of Game Reporting and Scheduling
 - a. Gary reported most games are being played.
 - b. Gary reminded coaches that rescheduled games shall be made up in the week, by that Sunday.
 - c. Gary asked that you cc your score to Mike MeMasi at mdemasi@vseyewear.com..
4. Tournament Discussion
 - a. Reminder; June 23-25 at BT fields
 - b. Tournament coordinator meetings will start the week of May 22.
 - c. Volunteers
 - i. Marc Green (Forks)
 - ii. Joe Trudniak (SV)
 - iii. Terry Kichline (WG)
 - iv. Bill Schankel (BT)
5. Rules Interpretation
 - a. Please print out these minutes and place in your book for all games. Share with Umpires at the start of the game.
 - i. If batter walks on pass ball of the catcher, where the catch attempt is to get the ball back to the pitcher in the circle, batter cannot advance as already noted in the rules. However, if the catcher makes the ball live, all runners can advance at their own risk. For example, runner on third, ball four is a pass ball to back stop, where the runner at third attempts to score. Catch attempts to make the play at home. The ball is now live outside of the circle, and all runners can advance at own risk, including the batter that just walked.
6. NOTE: The ELV Secretary will not be at this June 4th meeting. I am looking for one coach to volunteer to take roll call and take minutes. Then send the minutes to secretary, where I will combine all minutes and post to website.

Meeting for 8/9 B called to order at 8:20 PM and closed around 8:40 PM

1. Roll Call (by Team)

South Division

Bethlehem Township	Present
Forks Township	Present
LN Firecrackers	Present
Palisades	Present
Palmer Aftershock	Present
Pen Argyl	Present
UMBT Lightning	Present
Upper Nazareth Clippers	Present
Wind Gap	Present

- a. Currently No fines: 100% attendance (April and May meeting)
- 2. See section from 4/5 grade minutes for general items
- 3. Review of Game Reporting and Scheduling
 - a. Gary reported most games are being played.
- 4. Tournament Discussion
 - a. Reminder; June 23-25 at NE fields
 - b. Tournament coordinator meetings will start the week of May 22.
 - c. Volunteers
 - i. Rod Wilson (LN)
 - ii. Bill Riecker (Palisades)
 - iii. Jason Kupcha (UN)
- 5. NOTE: The ELV Secretary will not be at this June 4th meeting. I am looking for one coach to volunteer to take roll call and take minutes. Then send the minutes to secretary, where I will combine all minutes and post to website.
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