

Seaview Little League 2020/21

Board of Directors Election Bios

President- Bryan Bear

It has been a privilege serving the Seaview Community as a Board Member over the last six years. I have served as Lower Division Coordinator, Field Maintenance Coordinator, and finally as President for the last three years. Seaview has been a huge part of our family's lives. As my son gets ready to enter his last year at Seaview, it would be an honor to serve as President for one last year. Over the last several years, our board has faced unprecedented adversity yet we have still been able to accomplish so much. I am confident that we can continue our mission of strengthening our league for the future.

Vice President- Paul Mason

My family has been part of the Seaview community for five years. I have managed for five years and have served as Vice President on the Board for the past three years. My interest in this position is rooted in a desire to make the Seaview experience the best possible experience for all Seaview families. I am committed to putting forth the time and energy required to carry out my responsibilities and believe my experience on the Board this year will serve to further Seaview's interests going forward.

Treasurer- Brian Sparks

This will be my 5th year as a member of the SVLL Board of Directors. I have previously served as Lower Division Coordinator and Lower Division Player Agent, before transitioning into the Treasurer role last year, which I hope to continue for the 2021 season. I have an undergraduate degree in Accounting, an MBA in Finance, and am a Certified Public Accountant in the State of California, which makes me well suited for the role of Treasurer of Seaview Little League.

In addition to my board roles I have also managed for 7+ seasons at Seaview. We have two boys in SVLL and we are active members in the community. I am extremely proud of what we have accomplished as a board, especially how we have managed the uncertainty of this past season both on the field as well as the league operations & finances. I'm happy to be able to give back to the league in my role on the board and will continue to be an active board member next season if elected.

Information Officer- Ken Moorhead

I am the current information officer here at Seaview. Over the past year, I have worked to improve the league's utilization of the website and increase our daily visits/traffic. I have coached and managed both of my sons at Seaview since we moved to HB in 2012. My older son has since aged out and my younger son is currently in Minor B. Although I don't have formal training in website development, I have administered multiple websites for personal and work uses.

Lower Division Player Agent- Tiffany Lambert

My name is Tiffany Lambert and this will be my third year on the Seaview Board. I believe we have a tremendous group of individuals continuously working hard to improve our league and most importantly do what's best for the kids! I would be honored to be elected again to help continue working to make our league the best league.

Lower Division Coordinator- Theresa Comins

My name is Theresa Comins. I have a son who is currently playing Coach Pitch for SVLL. After being team parent for the last three years I would like to do more for the league. It would be my pleasure to volunteer for Lower Division Coordinator.

Thank you!

Upper Division Player Agent- Randy Whitecotton

While this past season has been trying for all of us, I appreciate all the support received from the parents acknowledging the efforts of the entire Board in our attempts to provide a positive Baseball experience for everyone. I am running for a third term as the Upper Division Player Agent. The Player Agent is responsible for making sure the players get treated fairly -- to make their time at Seaview the best possible experience for each and every one of them, as well as coordinating tryouts, drafts, and All-Stars. I have been a player, coach, and manager at Seaview for many years, and know we will continue the Seaview tradition of fielding fun, and competitive teams. I have enjoyed getting to know many of the players, parents and managers, and would appreciate the opportunity to be Upper Division Player Agent again for the 2021 season.

Upper Division Coordinator- Justin Cato

My name is Justin Cato and it's been my pleasure to serve as the Upper Division Coordinator on the Seaview Board of Directors for the past two seasons.

In addition to this responsibility I also coach for my son's Majors Dodgers team. I have one child currently playing in Seaview Little League (Majors), and one who aged out two seasons ago. Over the past nine years we have thoroughly enjoyed the friendships, memories and opportunities that SVLL has provided us.

I have personally participated in and coached athletics from youth recreational sports to the collegiate level. With that perspective I believe the values of teamwork, leadership and sportsmanship that children learn in a community-based sports program have a profound impact on their development as solid citizens.

Seaview Little League provides the perfect platform to translate these lessons into our classrooms, community and beyond.

If elected, I look forward to the opportunity to serve as your Upper Division Coordinator. In doing so I will dedicate my efforts to providing the best youth baseball experience possible for our community.

Sponsorship- Troy Hall

As a parent of 1 boy currently in SVLL (Minor A) and a 12 year old who recently aged out, I enjoy not only the community feel that SVLL provides but also look forward to giving back in the way of Sponsorship for the Board. For the past 6 years I have had the honor of Coaching and Assistant Coaching for both my boys. In addition, my wife volunteers for score keeping and Team Mom every year. As a family, we are committed to Seaview Baseball and absolutely enjoy the SVLL Community. Over the years we have forged lifelong friendships from Seaview and love engaging with SVLL Families.

I would like to be considered for the Board of Directors position of Sponsorship once again. I promise to dedicate the utmost professionalism to this position and work diligently to raise as much funds as possible to support the infrastructure and success of SVLL Baseball.

Safety- Greg Glover

After many years around the league I feel it's my time to step up and help out, so I would like to run for Safety Manager. I have been involved in Sea View since 2015 as a manager and a coach every year, even taking on managing 2 teams for 3 seasons. I've also been involved as a coach in AYSO, Upward and NJB for the last 5 years. Although I did not grow up in HB, I've always been a local community and team supporter in everything I have done in life. It's been a pleasure to meet all the families and kids over the years and I feel that I'm relatively known around SV for being competitive, but fun and fair most importantly. Working for a major

mechanical contractor in the area, I understand how important safety is and hope to implement the same mindset in SV that I do in my work environment. I would appreciate the opportunity to be the Safety Manager for the 2021 season.

Umpire in Chief- Steve Atherton

Steve Atherton is the incumbent UIC. He likes long barrels and powder runs in his spare time. He is also the assistant coach for his sons Majors team. In addition to baseball he has coached and refereed soccer for several years.

Equipment Manager- Brian Richardson

The 2021 spring season will be my 3rd season coaching/managing at Seaview. I have one boy in Seaview and a daughter that will be a future SVLL slugger. We have enjoyed the community that has been created here and have become friends with many of the players' parents off the field.

Baseball was my life for my entire childhood and into my late 20s. I have played and coached at many different levels and take pride in teaching the youth in the areas where I reside into becoming valuable and respectable members of society. My goal is to teach life lessons through sports and to solidify many positive childhood memories the players can recollect upon and pass on to their children.

More importantly, I have waited for many years to have a child of my own that I could spend countless hours with as their coach. This is the same passion my father had with me for my youth years. I always promised myself that I would give my child the same dedication that my father did with me as it helped shape me into who I am today.

During the manager interviews this year I gave my word to the board that one day I would join in some capacity. If you look at any youth programs there are people that are contributors and there are others that are fully committed. Without the latter, there is no program. I am keeping my promise here and excited to break into the SVLL board by serving as the Equipment Coordinator for the 2021 season if elected. I hope to bring value to the board with my experience, positive attitude, dedication, and my ability to always have fun.

Auxiliary- Melissa Rizk

Melissa started her career in the corporate event management industry. It was an amazing experience and made the love she had for planning events even stronger. She has own Boutique Event Planning for 9 years and truly loves what she does. She has coached 2 years of T-Ball and 1 year of Rookie ball. baseball for Seaview so far. In addition to baseball, she also is the VP for Moffett Elementary.

Melissa was fortunate enough to marry her best friend, partner, motivator and forever Laker-game-date. Melissa and her husband have been blessed with three amazing, rambunctious boys! Max 9, Hendrix 7, and Fletcher 7. In her spare time you can catch her sipping a refreshing cocktail by the pool or catching up on the latest celebrity gossip!

Snack Bar- Dawn Bear

I have been the snack bar coordinator for the last three years. I have enjoyed interacting with all of you and look forward to running the snack bar again next year. We have developed a better system of staffing the snack bar that incorporates kids earning volunteer hours for school. I will not be a member of the board of directors. Thank you.

Field Maintenance- Brian Huber

I want to thank all of you for working with the SVLL Board during these most crazy times. I appreciate and value our Little League community and its extended family. As the current person in charge of Field Maintenance, I feel it important to volunteer for this position for one last year.

Working with our awesome board we were able to make some positive changes to the care and maintenance of our fields, which I hope will help us save money in the long term. With your support I hope to see this through and spend another year working on the fields, coaching and enjoying watching our little ones play.

Secretary- Rachel Larsen

My son Emmitt loves sports and he's always loved playing baseball. When he wanted to start playing we looked into the Seaview little league and I was really impressed with how organized it was. In the 2-3 years we've played with the league I've always been happy with how balanced the teams are and how well the managers and coaches interact with the kids. And I've always been impressed with the way the league makes everyone feel like family. We've made some great friends through the league, like Randy Whitecotton, and he has always had such positive things to say about being a board member. When he asked if I, an unemployed stay at home mom, had time to spend an evening or two a month taking notes at the meetings, I said "Sure, I can do that!" I'd love to help out the league! Thanks for considering me as a possible secretary.

Co Umpire in Chief- Open