

**BRIDGEWATER BASEBALL AND SOFTBALL  
MARCH 10, 2020 – BOARD MEETING MINUTES**

**Board Members**

Alifano, Tom	Confalone, Phil (P)	Locrotondo, Joe (VP)	Young, Kevin
Cannizzo, Tom	Franklin, Katie	Pikulin, Mike	Zeiman, Robert
Colbert, Mike	Fresco, Andy	Santiago, Paul	

**Guests**

Blanchard, Dan	Lehberger, Art	Santiago, Theresa
Brewster, Mike	Lorino, Anthony	
DeWacker, Seth	Regenye, Ron	

***Approval of Feb 2020 minutes***

- Alifano made the motion to approve both meeting minutes, seconded by Paul Santiago

***Treasurer Report (Tom Alifano)***

- Total cash on hand: \$331k
- Turf loan balance is \$66,752k; making \$6k monthly payment
- Year-over-Year Comparison: down \$26k

***Cooperstown 2020 (Katie Franklin)***

- Cooperstown fees have been paid in full
- Raised \$20,400 out of \$30k goal
- Mystery Dinner made \$6,314 profit
- Continuing with:
  - Dining for dollars
  - CharityMania tickets for NCAA March Madness
  - Spring shake-a-can
  - MDT - T-shirt sales; what to do if BW MDT does not happen?

***Marketing (Paul Santiago)***

- Atlantic Health will most likely renew at \$7500
- Pearl Vision / Jointure pending
- Top Corner - pending

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### ***Spring Registration (Art Lehberger)***

- 610 players compared to 659 same time last year
- Number of Teams by League;
  - T-ball K – 53 / 6 teams
  - T-ball – 50 / 7 teams
  - Farm A – 6 teams
  - Farm AA – 6 teams
  - Minors – 95 / 8 teams
  - Majors – 70 / 7 teams
  - Seniors – 8 teams
  - Babe Ruth – 4 teams (for now)
  - Softball PeeWee – 4 teams
  - Softball Minors – 6 teams
  - Softball Majors – 3 teams
- Field open – March 27 USABL
- T-ball / PeeWee clinic – 9-2pm Eisenhower on March 15
- Lower League Meeting – March 16, 2020 7pm at Middle School

### ***2020 Rules (Kevin Young)***

- Minor updates in 2020
- Upload to rulebooks to website

### ***Babe Ruth (Mike Colbert)***

- 3 Bridgewater teams
- Readington
- Basking Ridge
- Flemington
- No Hills this year

### ***Softball Minors (Kevin Young)***

- Skipping draft – Kevin will form teams based on last year's evaluation data

### ***Opening Day (Joe Locrotondo)***

- April 18, 2020 (April 19 raindate) on PR2
- 8:30am – board members
- 9am – coaches
- 9:15 start

### ***Snack Shack (Tom Cannizzo)***

- Cold case swapped out by Pepsi (free of charge)
- Point-of-sale terminal will be activated in about 1 week

### ***COVID-19 (Phil Confalone)***

- Will obtain hand sanitizers from Atlantic Health
- If schools close – no activities on school property
- Wait for township's action

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***Field maintenance  
(Mike Pikulin)***

- PR2/PR3 mounds being rebuilt tomorrow
- Parking/Scrubbed out 2 cu yd of dirt from PR2/PR3
- Rebuild mound end of Feb
- Additional cleaning to be done in March

***Facilities Update  
(Phil Confalone)***

- Township parking lot light – concrete replaced; new lights being ordered
- NB lighters will remain as-is;
- Breaker replaced on NB2
- PR2 bleachers – installed on the RF; looking to install on the LF
- PR4/5 – work (flattening lips and replacing base cleats) will be scheduled

***Tournaments  
(Mike Pikulin)***

- Uniforms in Friday/Monday
- Hats / pants – TBD
- Districts now requiring coaches to have:
  - Background check
  - Safety training (SAFE Kids – every 2 years)

***Rec Equipment Handout  
(Anthony Spirra)***

- Pickup after draft
- Commissioners to collect security deposit checks (\$150) from team managers

***Rec Uniforms  
(Tom Alifano)***

- Will be ordered tomorrow
- Softball pants and socks – BSN
- Baseball uniforms - BSN
- Sunscreen – jersey # and sponsors

***Plaque for Chuck Hewitt  
(Phil Confalone)***

- Ceremony scheduled for April 14, 2020 at 8pm on NB