

CHICHESTER YOUTH ASSOCIATION

CYA

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President – Joe Montambeault

Vice President – Jim O'Rourke

Treasurer – Julie Mercier

Secretary – Jennifer Cassidy

Member at Large – Rebecca Pillsbury

Chichester Youth Association

Minutes from June 9, 2013

6:00 pm

Town Hall

I ATTENDANCE:

Joe Montambeault, Julie Mercier, Jennifer Cassidy, Chip Wagner, Dan Mercier, Jimmy Chiavaras, Tammy Montambeault, Jacqueline Hanna, Bob Lehoullier, Marty Ardine, Allison Eaton, Rebecca Pillsbury, Brian Cleasby, Tony Cipriano, Brett Pescinski, Doug MacDonald, Cori Casey, Joe Bonacorsi, and Joe Strazzeri.

II APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

On a motion made by Tammy seconded by Jimmy C., the minutes from May 19, 2013 were approved with all members in favor.

III TREASURER'S REPORT:

Checking Account: \$9,539.26

Savings Account: \$8,238.99

- Julie needs to move \$2,119.00 over to savings for tax purposes from the money made at the Lakes Region Casino last year. Board approved.

On a motion made by Tammy seconded by Jimmy C., the Treasurer's Report was approved with all members in favor.

IV COMMISSIONERS' REPORTS:

Soccer:

- Soccer registrations forms and Mid-West flyers to be printed and given to CCS by end of school year.
- Mid-West will be held at Carpenter Park August 5th-9th.

Baseball/T-ball:

- Majors won Championship
- Minors came in second place
- Rookie and T-ball still playing
- Steve Chapman will be drafting a letter to Suncook Valley league about another team's coach's behavior. His behavior was unacceptable at a playoff game and needs to be addressed.
- 2 ump's should be at all regular season Major games. It appears that Chichester was the only team to have 2 ump's at their home games.
- Discussion of the number of players on all teams this year. 15 players per team is too much. Coaches and available field time was taken into consideration this year. Next year may be different and will be addressed

when the registration forms come in.

- Discussion of A & B team. Ideally the teams will only play the same level of competition but the league plays all teams.
- Rookie – each team seemed to have different rules. Need more consistency.

Softball:

- Minor playoffs – 12 year olds on the other team
- Cons of Concord League – time limit, not taking practice swings when on deck, not having ump's, no consistency, playing new teams in playoffs, and cancelled last game for tourney/all-stars.
- Conflict between Drama and Baseball/Softball. We can't start any later due to daylight.
- Decide next season to go back to Suncook Valley League
- Work on pitching/catching – possibly in CCS gym on Sundays. This would be for Baseball as well.

Snack Shack:

- Going well and making a profit. Need to purchase hamburgers and hot dogs for closing ceremonies.
- Extra food – will see about selling extras

V EQUIPMENT MANAGER'S REPORT:

- Looking for anyone interested in being the equipment manager. Preferably a family that has a child in both soccer and baseball/softball/t-ball.
- Coaches can turn in equipment when their season is complete to Tammy Montambeault.
- Players only need to return their pants. Coaches can turn into Tammy at closing ceremonies.
- Jackets have been ordered. Need final count of pins.
- Discussion of selling CYA shirts/sweatshirts. A flyer can be printed for 1 order in baseball/softball/t-ball season and 1 order in soccer season.

VI FUND RAISING:

- Fisher Cats Game – Sunday June 2nd
 - Pretty good turnout. Profit of \$356.00
- Golf Tournament – Saturday September 7th at Beaver Meadow
 - Joe M. and Jen will coordinate. More volunteers to help are welcome.
 - Need sponsors
 - Need players

VII WEBSITE:

- Minor updates to be made

VIII SAFETY REGULATIONS:

- n/a

IX OTHER BUSINESS:

- Closing Ceremonies - Friday June 21st.
 - CYA will provide hamburgers, hot dogs, and cake
 - Teams to bring drinks/side dishes/etc.
 - We will also have the dunk tank and food pantry donations.
- Joe M. will talk to Parks and Rec about getting a water line up to the upper field
- Need AED at upper field

X ADJOURNMENT:

A motion was made by Joe M. to adjourn the meeting; it was seconded by Cori with all members in favor.

The next scheduled meeting will be held on Sunday July 14, 2013 at 6:00 pm at the Town Hall.