7/16/19

WBA Meeting

Call to order 8:08pm

* Paul new 9U coach for Vipers. Coached with WBA for multiple years from t-ball to instructional. Will also be commissioner for fall ball for minors/majors this year.

Dave:

Year went well but need to ensure rules that are put in place are actually followed.

Need to do something with the pitching machines- issues evidently in All Star games. 50% of season it was not reliable for the season. But they were also not taken care of appropriately- leg bent, batteries not charged, not hung up, etc.

Equipment- Andy Yingling wants to help out with this- Dave spoke to him about this.

Fall registration is open so is the travel tryouts. All have been scheduled and info has been posted to the webpages, emails have been sent and all has been posted on Facebook.

Spoke about fall ball and what age groups Winfield thinks they can pull together. We asked to know by late August what he can pull together. Will also include Sykesville, Finksburg, if still interested and Manchester.

FVE garage door needs to be looked at. The one post is also broken where the chain is. Dave reported it to WARC.

Asked Pat: LB (both), BC and Avondale turned over. Also, will remind him to take dirt over LB.

Bob- work out better communication with the county for grass cutting. He wants to ask for a meeting in the fall to prep for the spring 2020.

Maybe buy used golf carts for BC and LB.

George- 10U

Good year, close games. Will have try outs and continue through the year.

Steve- 15U

Lost player early in the year so that caused a bit of a problem. Not a good year with wins but only mercy ruled once. Losing games by one run. Expanding roster this year for speed and couple of bats. Season will end at Erin’s tournament. Want to look at babe ruth 16-18 wood bat league in fall- will ask to use landon burns. Will be a Brooklyn park tourney this weekend then erin’s the following to finish.

12U- finished up at oc tourney last weekend. 17-8 record in MABA. Tourneys were not that great. Tried to talk to Chris to get kids out for pitching and catching and infield for the big step.

BC- talked about redoing outfield due to the rain issues. Drains did help. Top soil freebie is not an option. More expensive than baseball dirt. Bob is going to do more research on this.

Cannons baseball out of Winfield. Competition.