VGSA Board Meeting

5-9-17

Board members present: Maura Martin, Madonna Underland, Cyndi Johnson, Allison Milhorn, Amy Ritchie, Teri Kirby, Mike Sturdevent, Doug Johnson, Betty Ritchie

Call to order 7:08

FInancials-Ending balance in checking is \$52,684. Biggest expense has been dirt.

Umpires have not yet billed. There are a few outstanding registration fees. Softball USA will be billing soon.

Kaos Tournament went well. Concessions did well over the weekend. No issues.

Concessions: going well

10u- One team that wants to go up. One team that wants to go down.

Rules- Confusion over coach pitch rule and dropped 3rd strike. Coaches seem to express that rules were self explanatory. However, there is confusion whether umpires are calling an upper or lower division game. Rules

Time- some teams taking too long in between innings. Umpires will be more diligent with hurrying up teams.

Papa Murphy Cards- Ready to go for next week. Fundraiser to go through June 5th. Teams will not be able to turn in extra cards. Each player needs to pay for their 5 cards- \$25

Pictures- Positive feedback. Reschedules have been made up.

Weather- This has obviously been a hindrance. We are doing our best to reschedule games. Umpires need to be notified once make up games are scheduled. Amy Ritchie brought up concerns that we are lacking umpires and games are scheduled before umpires are confirmed. Now, scheduler will email Chuck and cc Amy when games are rescheduled. There has been a lack of umpires. Will consider rescheduling games when high school season is over so that more umpires will be available.

Hall of Fame- going well. Many donations are rolling in. Waiting to hear from Top Golf. Still finalizing details on decorations and getting people to talk about honorees.

New Business:

Pink Dream is requesting that they be able to TD their tournament. Nikki Mueller is acting TD at this point. Nikki will be PIC/UIC for the weekend. Michelle Westmoreland will be able to do bracketing and run the tournament. Michelle Westmoreland will be given login. She will only make changes to the Pink Dream tournament.

Cyndi Johnson will be phasing out as marketing director.