

West Plains Little League

Meeting Minutes

February 23, 2005

6:30 PM

Sign in Members:

The following members signed in.

Pat Perez, Ed Franklin, Pat McCarren, Jim King, James Whitely, Robert Byrnes, Mike Paulson, Tony Harbolt, Darryl Krumm and James Ford.

February 26, Sign-up

10:00-2:00 All locations

~ **Cheney HS:** Chrystal Southwick, Mike Paulson, James Ford and Pat McCarren

~ **Airway Heights:** Adam Smith and his wife

~ **Medical Lake:** Robert Byrnes and Tony Harbolt

Adam Smith will deliver the supplies to all three locations before the 10:00 start times.

Equipment

Tony Harbolt met with the City Administrator of Medical Lake. The city plans to keep its baseball equipment for the C.A.R.E.s league for at least one more year.

Storage Shed

Tony Harbolt that we cannot build or store a shed at the Medical Lake City Hall, due to future expansion of the facility. Ideas are still being sought for the storage of equipment.

Treasurer's Report

Darryl Krumm reported about Tax forms for the league. He reported that he needs more information for filing the tax forms. Mike Paulson will check into this with Adam Smith.

Sponsor Updates:

Jim King gave a check from his local union for \$300.

Flyers for Late Registration

Mike Paulson has distributed flyers to all the schools in the Medical Lake School District including Michael Anderson Elementary at F.A.F.B. Ed Franklin has done the same for the Cheney School District.

Medical Lake Baseball Association

~ Mike Paulson gave a report about the Medical Lake Baseball Association (MLBA). The MLBA would like to help with our Little League by paying for possible clinics. They only want to do this with the Medical Lake players.

~ Ed Franklin proposed that we look into the cost and try to have a separate clinic for the Cheney area players, with the West Plains Little League paying for the clinics. This was agreed by the Board Members.

~ Mike Paulson and Tony Harbolt are meeting with the MLBA on February 24, 2005.

Dora Bert Field (Medical Lake):

~ Mike Paulson reported that this field may not be available for our use this year. John Higgins was not happy about the field conditions after games last year. A decision is being made by John Higgins. It was decided that we must do some politicking (i.e. kissing butt)

~ It was offered that if we framed and put a door in the 3rd base line shed at the Dora Bert field, we can use this for storage. Volunteers are needed.

~ Mike Paulson, Darryl Krumm, Tony Harbolt and Pat Perez volunteered to do this on February 27, 2005 at 12:00 PM.

Tryouts

Mike Paulson reported that he received a phone call from a parent to see if their child should have to tryout again this year. This child had a tryout last year and was put into the Majors. He then was put down to AAA due to his lack of interest of going to practice. This child was never a part of the Majors. For these reasons the Board decided to let the child go back into the draft.

Next Board Meeting is March 2, 2005 at the Cheney High School

Meeting Adjourned at 7:23 PM, Respectfully submitted by Patrick Perez