

# Meeting Minutes

Homer Athletic Club  
Thursday, May 12, 2016

Meeting called to order: 8:06

## **Roll Call:**

Present: Pat Greaney, Chris Moore, Nicole Korosa, Andrew Rodeghero, Nick Francone, Dave Regan, Jennifer Malinoski

Absent:

## **Secretary Report:**

Motion to accept meeting minutes from April 2016--accepted by Jen Malinoski and Andrew Rodeghero.

## **Treasurer Report:**

Went over the financial report. "Big hit this month - travel uniforms". As expected.

Motion to accept - Nick Francone and Nicole Korosa

## **Open Forum:**

Jim Slager, acquaintance of Tim Kuncis, 11U Heat, came to discuss condition of batting cages at the Complex and wants to volunteer his time in fixing. Thinks he can stretch fence and get it close to 90% workable - just needs rock. Greaney thrilled to have someone step up and offer their time - happily gave the go ahead.

Per Ken Marcin at the meeting, Dennis Strzelczyk of the Colt team is not in good health at this time and Ken interested in taking the team.

## **Committee Reports:**

### **Rec Baseball:**

Season is off and running, but weather has been poor and delayed many games so far. Heavy rain is also causing Culver outfielders to be damaged due to drainage problems and lack thereof. All is good otherwise.

Still discussing All Stars. Have not decided to keep or cancel. Could we do an All Star game mid-season? Andrew suggested a possible "skills challenge day" with sponsors end of June, middle of July.

**Fire Baseball:**

Season started--all is going well.

**Travel Baseball:**

Season ongoing--all is well.

**Rec Softball:**

Per Lisa and Nick, all is going good. All uniforms received. Only a couple of rainouts so far. Communication with Lockport is also going well.

Having no problems with parents and coaches.

**Travel Softball:**

Full/part time 11 and 12s playing now--14s, 16s will play shortly thereafter.

Also going very well.

**Basketball:**

Homer Junior High will work with Katie Melody for the kids who don't make their basketball team.

**Travel Basketball:**

Nothing to report

**Volleyball:**

Per Jen, 87 more games to get paid out.

**Field Maintenance:**

Chris Malinoski would like more instruction and information of what takes precedence by HAC. He understands banners need to go up and promises it will get done. Chris states all material from Sportsfield is in. Losing grass around the mounds due to heavy play, would be ideal to have one day off each week. Biosolids coming tomorrow.

Chris needs to know who's going to make the call on field conditions for poor weather and also on teams that are a "no show". Andrew Rodeghero has coaches on an alert system to notify them for no shows and in regards to weather.

Chris is requesting bringing on workers to help with field maintenance. Has a couple workers in mind from his school. Young school kids aren't always as helpful as he hoped. Per Greaney, if better help is needed, he has approval to get it.

Wants to mow Culver and needs a better mower. Go and buy it per Greaney.

**Concessions:**

Marguerite needs to know also when games are cancelled. She is interested in and wants to purchase a grill, approximately \$500.

A coach has asked if his team can have a pizza party or grill on HAC fields--Board voted , "No pizza parties or grilling on any HAC property".

**Sponsorship:**

Sponsorship money coming in from Kenwood this week. Still working with Meijer and Big R.

**Presidents Report:**

Greaney and Rodeghero met with Travel/Rec baseball coaches this past Monday to discuss Little League, which is the way Greaney wants HAC to go. 50/50 split opinion of this change. Because number of our rec baseball is small, it has a negative impact on HAC. Some believe Little League could help this, but because of some opposition from the travel side, he will strongly reconsider.

We continue to communicate with the township on making improvements and it seems township is happy with us.

**New Business:**

**Motion to Close:** 9:44

Motion accepted Jen Malinoski and Nicole Korosa