Mountaineer Little League Polls 2020

During the COVID-19 outbreak the Mountaineer Little League Board opted to refrain from in-person Board meetings to prevent possible person-to-person spread of the virus. Board decision regarding MLL were made using the app GroupMe by using polls and collecting votes via the app.

May 15, 2020 -- Beginning the 2020 Season, pending further governmental guidance.

The Board posted a poll to vote for beginning the 2020 Season. The posted options were:

- June 8 with total votes 3
- August 1 with total votes 2
- No Season with total votes 1
- Poll was cancelled.

Some Board members posted concerns that the posted options were skewed and could cause inconsistent voting. President Jason Gruse opted to post a new poll.

May 18, 2020 – To approve MLL Season.

The Board posted a poll to vote on whether to have a season for MLL. The posted options were:

- Begin June 8 with total votes 3
- Begin with possible date of August 1 pending pandemic information with total votes 9
- Begin with possible date of August had the most votes passed.

June 6, 2020 – Refunding players.

The Board posted a poll to vote on how best to refund players. The posted options were:

- Full refund of registration fee with total votes 9
- Refund less any charges from website & credit card with total votes 1
- Full refund of registration fee had the most votes passed.

<u>June 16, 2020 – To approve field rental charges of \$20 for MLL affiliated usage and \$20 for non-MLL affiliated usage</u> Fees can be waived in exchange for field work.

The Board posted a poll to vote on field usage & charges. The posted options were:

- Yes with total votes 8
- No with total votes 1
- Yes had the most votes passed.

July 13, 2020 – To cancel the MLL Season.

The Board posted a poll to vote whether to cancel the MLL 2020 Season. The posted options were:

- Yes with total votes 12
- No with total votes 0
- Yes had the most votes passed.

July 14, 2020 – To approve MLL paying the difference if a player's cost are higher with another League.

The Board posted a poll to vote whether MLL should pay any difference for higher registration fees should a player want to play for another League. The posted options were:

- Yes with total votes 0
- No with total votes 9
- No had the most votes passed.

August 12, 2020 – To approve opening the field restrooms for a travel softball tournament 8/14 – 08/16.

The Board posted a poll to vote whether to open the field restrooms for a travel softball tournament that was scheduled prior to the COVID-19 pandemic. The options were:

- Yes with total votes 10
- No with total votes 0
- Yes had the most votes passed.