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April 10, 2018

**Meeting called to order at 7 PM by Cari Buchholz
CASA Office Salem, Oregon**

Present:

Staff: Debbie Bedell, Duane Bedell, Brandon Borst, Tom Bowman, Cari Buchholz, Mike Falzone, Jalynn Miller, Leslie Parpart, Jeff Pinkerton, Jeff Thompson, Steve Thompson

League Presidents: Corvallis – John Hicks, East Lane – Chuck Crockett, Keizer – Brad Arnsmeier, Parrish – Mike Bevins, Sheldon – Greg Graziano, South Salem – Aaron Qualls, Sprague – Tony Strenke, Tri-Cities – Shane Felton, West Salem – Lela Bartels, West Valley – Keygan Black

Absent:

Staff: Mary Arnold, Jeff Buyserie, Ron Care, John Foster

League Presidents: Cascade – Liz Rife, Eugene – Mike Moreno, Mid Valley – Tim Rush, Mt. Angel – Bridgit Stoops, South Valley – Chris Cushman

Guests: Keizer – Lisa Buik (Keizer), Bill Schaecher (Mt. Angel)

Treasure report: Provided – no discussion

Meeting Minutes: Mike B. motioned to approve as submitted, Lela B. seconded. Motion unanimously approved.

Old Business:

1. **President's Checklist:** Cari went over items still needed by District 7. President's are urged to get these items in before next meeting. **District Reps for D7** were given and the role of the rep was discussed.
2. **Interleague:** Please send a copy of all interleague schedules to Cari ASAP. She will distribute to D7 Staff.
 - a. Make sure all managers have a copy of the interleague rules as well as an official LL Rulebook.
 - b. Interleague Rules are also on the website.
 - c. Remarks: 2-hour time limit for SB and there is no 15-run rule. (Interleague Rules will reflect the run rule). There are also rule changes adopted at 2018 World Congress; those need to be given to managers as well. They are on the web; suggested to print out and distribute.
 - d. An e-version of the rule book is available for \$6 through Little League.
3. **Special Games Request:** These need to be received two weeks prior to game(s). This much time must be given for signature/approval.

4. **Player age form and fees:** Debbie addressed missing player age forms – these need to be filled out and returned with a check this month. Update to numbers will be asked for in May 2018. Please do this as soon as possible.

New Business:

1. **Parrish Little League:** Parrish has a manager with connections to baseball teams in Mexico (non-little league) that would welcome any used equipment. The manager ships items about once a month. If other leagues have equipment they'd like to donate, please contact Mike Bevens.
2. **Interleague forms/Combined Team forms/DATA Center:** All forms are now done electronically through the DATA center. **Combined teams must be submitted by June 1.** In the past, there was wiggle room on the date. Now, that it is done online, June 1 is the drop-dead date. **Interleague forms must be completed by April 13 or teams don't play.**
3. **D7 pitching machines:** District 7 loaned out 2 machines and they haven't been returned. Please check your sheds for these – thinking possibly S. Valley or Mid-Valley?
4. **Other announcements (these were shared at last meeting, but brought up again):**
 - a. **Crushers Tournament:** Memorial Weekend, 12U and 10U. LL tournament. Contact Liz for more information.
 - b. **Majors Mix-Up:** Parrish Little League will be hosting Saturday Night Lights – games under the lights. 4 games every Saturday. Use of pitching machines (saves pitching arms for games). Goal is to bring random teams together. Major LL players – doesn't have to be regular season teams, can be made up of players from several teams (cannot combine players from other league's). Games begin April 28 and go through June 9 with exception of Memorial Day). Already approved by Western Regional – paperwork is done for all D7 leagues. Cost: \$75 a team and a dozen baseballs. *I have attached the flyer brought to the meeting to the minutes email.*
 - c. **D7 All Star Alumni Game:** Family Fun Weekend at Holland Youth Park. All Star D7 Alumni Game. June 1, 2, 3. *I have attached the flyer brought to the meeting to the minutes email.*
 - d. **Iris Festival Keizer Tournament:** May 18, 19 and 20 at Keizer LL field. LL tournament. Contact Brad for more information.
5. **Mid-Valley:** Passed out umpire background checks for leagues to process. They also have concussion forms attached. Duane addressed role of D7 umpires for season and tournament: specifically, if a D7 umpire is the UIC for a tournament, they are needed at the field – do not be placed on an umpire game crew (unless it's last minute for a no-show).
6. **Certification Night – June 19th:** All Star managers will have a mandatory meeting, umpires interested in doing district and state tournaments will have a meeting and scorekeepers will talk with Leslie about availability for games.

- a. **Prior to Certification: District Rep** will go over the player information regarding residency, number of games played in/vs. how many played – completing the check off list prior to Certification night.
- b. More information will be given at next D7 meeting

7. Next meeting **May 8th in Albany. 7 PM.** Agenda items: tournament drawing, bring estimated All Star team numbers.

Motion to adjourn meeting at 8:07 made by Brad and seconded by Greg. Motion approve unanimously.

Respectfully submitted,
Leslie Parpart
Secretary/Scorekeeper
District 7

*Next meeting potential agenda item(s):
Please let Cari know so she can place on
agenda*

Additional dates to remember:

District 7 meetings:

May 8 – Albany OR

June 19 – Certification All Stars – Albany