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January 12, 2016

Meeting called to order at 7 PM by Cari Buchholz

Present: Doug Perret, Debbie Bedell, Duane Bedell, John Halloran, Leslie Parpart, Mary Arnold, Ron Care,

Jack Holpuch, Steven Thompson, Tim Rush, Greg Graziano, Jim Quest, Lela Bartels, Elizabeth Rife

Absent:

Guests: Jeff Busserie

Treasure report: None given

Meeting Minutes: October minutes need to be approved as the November 2015 meeting was the Presidential retreat (no minutes) and the December 2015 meeting was cancelled.

## **Old Business:**

- 1. Volunteer forms: Most are turned in. District Staff: Ron's is missing. President's: Liz's is missing.
- 2. Money: still owed from South Valley
- 3. Safety Plans: Some districts have already submitted. If help is needed, contact Cari. There is a \$375 credit given if in and approved by March 13, 2016. It's important to submit with time to correct if necessary.

- 4. Softball Meeting: At the last meeting in September, Keizer LL mainly attended. The next meeting is January 26 at the Keizer Field House 7 PM. Potential agenda includes: District Tournament May 14 and 15 for Major Softball. A letter has been sent to Western Region to allow AAA softball to also play. Encourage softball representatives from all leagues to attend the next meeting.
- 5. Registration: most leagues have submitted registration dates, times, and places. D7 will do it's best to have representatives there to verify birth certificates.
- 6. Price quote from Jevin. Dismissed as the league interested decided to go with a different vendor.
- 7. Movie Ad: Some have seen it played in local theaters, so the information is getting out there.
- 8. Taxes/financial records: Date for Oregon is February 15, 2016. Please make sure and send a

copy to Cari as well. She will then forward to Little League.

a. West Salem question: Does D7 have copies then? Answer: Yes, they are in a

binder that Cari has for each league.

9. Data Center: Charter and Insurance is still missing from S. Valley, Mid Valley, TriCities, Tri

County and Sheldon. It needs to be paid prior to registration dates for coverage.

10. Board Members: If there are changes to boards, please email Cari those changes and update

the data center.

- 11. Constitution: According to Data Center, East Lane is still missing.
- 12. Boundaries: S. Valley and W. Valley maps are still needed. There has been no update on

maps being available electronically via Little League. (New Business) District 7 has proposed

Woodburn be allowed as part of D7 for softball. Documents were submitted January 11, 2016. No

baseball, just softball.

13. Concussion Law: Make sure there a document is at signups for parent and child 12 and order

to sign indicating they know about concussions and the law. Additionally, all staff (board members,

managers, coaches, umpires) need to take course and provide certification.

14. Oregon State Conference: January 22 – 24 at 7 Feathers Casino in Canyonville. Cari will send

out the agenda and registration material.

## **New Business:**

- 1. Birth Certificates: Once they are in the 'book', they don't have to be seen again at registration.
- 2. Umpire Training: Let D7 umpires know if a league would like training. We have several

umpires willing to come and train.

3. Change softball age dates: send Cari an email concerning desire to change the age date for

softball. (Desire to have the same date for softball and baseball). The more letters submitted the

greater chance of having the request heard at Little League. (Softball date corresponds with the other

softball groups age cutoff date. Baseball dates are being moved and ages grandfathered in).

4. Tournament fees: Little League is raising tournament fees \$50 for the upcoming season (from

\$150 to \$200).

5. Crushers Tournament: Cascade will be hosting the Crushers Tournament this coming Memorial

Day Weekend (May 2016). Currently AAA and 50/70 teams. Encourage teams to camp in the parking

lot with RV's, campers etc). More information later.

6. Salem Leagues: Malinda with City of Salem will be publishing allocations sometime this coming

week.

7. Interleague rules: Cari will send out the baseball ones. Please look them over and comment to

bring to next meeting. Softball interleague rules will be given out at the softball meeting January 6,

2016.

Motion to adjourn at 7:36 made by Liz and seconded by Jeff. Motion approved.

Next meeting will be at 7 PM February 9, 2016 in Albany or Wednesday, February 10, 2016 in Salem (depends

on venue. A reminder and location will be sent out prior to next meeting).

Additional dates to remember:

District 7 meetings:

February 9, 2016 (Albany) or February 10, 2016 (Salem)

March 8, 2016

April 12, 2016

May 10, 2016

June 14, 2016

No meetings in July, August, and September

State Conference January 22-24, 2016

Respectfully submitted, Next meeting potential agenda item(s):

Please let Cari know so she can place on agenda

Leslie Parpart Interleague rules for baseball and softball

Secretary/Scorekeeper

District 7