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## OREGON DISTRICT 9 LITTLE LEAGUE

October 12, 2014
Minutes of Meeting

Meeting called to order at 6:18 pm.

Present: Debbie Bedell - DA, Duane Bedell - guest, Diane Toberman ADA, Sue Manley - ADA, Steven Thompson - ELLL, Charity Hansen ELL, Ryan Malpass - Sheldon.

Old Business:

Volunteer Forms - Debbie handed out new volunteer forms to staff \& league Presidents,

Staff \& Presidents Listing - Debbie handed out the listing to be updated by new staff \& league Presidents.
All Stars - Reviewed the All Star tournaments. Everything went well. Debbie thanked Charity \& Sherry for all their hard work \& their staff.

League Check-off List: Debbie went through the check-off list - what is due or coming up.
ASAP - due February 1st
D7 \& D9 are still separate - Debbie is still DA for both Districts. Waiting on the Charter Comm. for decision.

Chartering of Teams - Cost went down to $\$ 10$ per team. Also if you turn in \& pay your Charter \& Insurance by December 1st you will receive 2 more rule books per team.

Teams - Discuss with your board prior to the next meeting - what age vs what levels of play - especially if you will be inter-leaguing. Reminder that
we also have Challengers, Seniors \& Big League. Talk with your HS Coaches to make sure if they cut kids from HS ball that we do have teams for them. What is being discussed right now is:

4 year olds - T-Ball A - oven mitt ball
5-6 year olds - T-Ball AA
6-7-8 year olds - Minor A - Coach Pitch only
$8-9$ year olds - Minor AA - $1 / 2$ coach pitch $-1 / 2$ player pitch
9-11 year olds - Minor AAA
10-12 year olds - Majors
11-13 year olds - 50/70
50/70 - Will discuss more when all leagues are here.
Concussion Law - Reminder that all staff, league presidents, their board members, managers, coaches \& umpires MUST take the test for concussions - this is OREGON LAW.
Softball - Meeting on Softball only - Oct. 26th - @ 6pm @ Northbank. PLEASE LET YOUR SOFTBALL PEOPLE KNOW!!!!

Umpires - WE ALL NEED UMPIRES! D9 is willing to do training if leagues can get the parents to volunteer. Get managers \& coaches involved. Have a board member at the field especially with kids being umpires. Would like to see a UIC for each league, have a mtg to discuss what leagues need to help form an umpire association - how to get new volunteers, etc. Will discuss a date at the next meeting.

Discuss having a coachs clinic at the Nov or Dec meeting.
Challengers - Sounds like Guy Lee School will be the best choice for games - Saturdays - 3pm.

New Business:
2014-15 Oregon State Leadership Conference - Nov. 21-23 -Would LOVE TO SEE PRESIDENTS, VP'S \& PLAYER AGENTS especially at the conference. Little League will be sending 2 people to put on the Little

League Road Show for 1 of the classes. Discussion was held re: Jim Buchholz putting on a class for Background checks. If you have some that you would like to discuss, take the name off \& bring it with you.

Next meeting - November 9th @ 6pm @ Northbank

Meeting Adjourned

