

LTJBSA MONTHLY GENERAL MEETING MINUTES

Date: December 11, 2024 | **Time:** 7:30 PM | **Location:** LTJBSA Indoor Facility & Batting Cages

Present Attendees: Andrea Alfieri, Paul Alfieri, John Brogle, Ken Dobkin, Kate Kohler, Gene Maguire, Nicole Mottola, Mike Russo, Dave Shockey, Carly Vichroski, Paul Vichroski, Sean Willever, Jake Zalaznick, Jason Zegarski, Zig Zegarski

I. Call to Order

- Meeting was called to order by LTJBSA President, Paul Vichroski.

Motion To Approve Meeting Minutes of November 2024, Seconded, Approved unanimously.

II. Department Reports

- **Treasurer's Report:** Dave Shockey presented an update on financial activity, noting incoming sponsorship payments that supported purchases of new bases and catcher's equipment, alongside securing the deposit for the annual Little League Night at the Trenton Thunder.
- **Little League:** Paul Alfieri reported that LTJBSA was officially awarded the HTRBA territory for softball, enabling eligible players to register directly without requiring prior waiver approvals. Registration is pacing steadily toward the mid-point of target enrollment, with registration set to conclude on Super Bowl Sunday; Lisa Cox was acknowledged for conducting outreach through local school PTOs. Sponsors secured to date include Dick's Sporting Goods, Dent Blanche Dental, Knights of Columbus, Team Toyota, Chick-fil-A, Eggert Aquatics, FMBA Local 393, Ramp Health, and Salerno's, with ongoing assistance requested for sponsor recruitment.
- **Softball:** Jake Zalaznick reported that divisional registration is actively ongoing across all age groups.
- **Senior League:** Carly Vichroski reported on the state Babe Ruth meeting, noting administrative restructuring toward a Cal Ripken commissioner role. LTJBSA confirmed it will assemble and enter a 14U All-Star roster for the state tournament hosted at Nottingham.
- **Competitive Travel:** Ken Dobkin reported that preparations are underway for winter workouts at Centercourt Lawrence, with projections to field six teams for the spring season.

Motion To Accept Treasurer's Report, Seconded, Approved unanimously.

Motion To Accept Baseball Report, Seconded, Approved unanimously.

Motion To Accept Softball Report, Seconded, Approved unanimously.

Motion To Accept Babe Ruth Report, Seconded, Approved unanimously.

Motion To Accept Travel Report, Seconded, Approved unanimously.

III. New Business

- **Communication and Design Platform Upgrades (Introduced by Paul Alfieri):** Paul Alfieri reported on software transitions, migrating league communications from Constant Contact to ActiveCampaign and activating an approved non-profit subscription for Canva to support design assets.

IV. Adjournment

- The next regular meeting will be held on January 8, 2025 at Slackwood Firehouse.
- Meeting adjourned at the conclusion of business.

Motion To Adjourn, Seconded, Approved unanimously.