California District 64 Minutes October 24, 2019

Meeting Hosted by Vacaville National Little League

Meeting called to order at 6:20PM.

Board Members Present: Mike Pappa (DA), Milt Eberle (ADA), Maria Pappa, Brian Riley, Hayley Mendenhall, Michelle Nicholas

Board Members Absent: Mike Gorelick, Curtis Parker

League Representatives Present: DLL, ELL, VALL, VNLL, WALL, WNLL, DALL, DNLL, VCLL, RVLL

League Representative Absent: Winters Little League

A special "Thank You" to Max and Vacaville National Little League for hosting tonight's meeting.

Review/Approval of Minutes:

September minutes to review / approve

- Motion to approve minutes by Woodland
- Second the motion by Vacaville Central
- Minutes approved by all

Vendors:

• Peyton Burnham from the Sacramento River Cats came to pass out fliers about the youth baseball days coming up for 2020. There are 5 dates to choose from during April and May and prices range from \$10 to \$37. Please contact Peyton at (916)376-4607 or pburnham@rivercats.com for more information.

Reports:

- DA: Mike Pappa checked in with the leagues to see who has completed their charter or not. He also spoke about a conversation he had with a SF Giants rep about why our leagues don't tend to go to the little league days' games. Teams tend to go with their families instead of as a team. Too expensive to rent buses or vans to take whole teams. Feel free to send him any information you would like as to why your league doesn't attend as well. He also let everyone know that if there are changes to your league's Constitution or Bylaws that they need to be sent to him and then also to San Bernadino and eventually to Little League International. Make sure not to write local rules that contradict official Little League rules. Also, it looks like Davis American and National along with Woodland American and National will either have to combine and form one league or make two separate boards separating the two leagues. They can no longer work as one board with two leagues. Mike and Milt will get more information for them this week.
- ADA: No Report
- Treasurer's Report / Assessments: No Report
- UIC Report: We will be starting some new trainings, working with local umpires and having evaluations. Multiple trainings will be offered, including advanced clinics. On Monday, December 2nd there will be a UIC meeting at 7pm in Room 50 at Vacaville High School. We will be going over the umpire manual. Please send Brian your UIC contact information. Also, November 1st-3rd the Train the Trainer umpire clinic will be held in San Bernadino. Cost is \$95 for food and lodging. The more people that come the higher quality umpires we develop.
- Junior / 50-70 report: The scheduling/rules meeting will be the third week of February. More info to follow.
- Safety report: No Report
- Challenger report: There looks to be around 5 leagues so far participating in Challenger for this upcoming season. Michelle Nicholas would like to be the Challenger Representative/Coordinator.

Old Business:

• Preliminary discussion of TOC and All Stars – Tentative tournament dates were passed out and discussed. There was one discussion concerning 50/70 & Juniors and having one league host each instead of the highest seed of each game hosting. Pappa said that was fine as long as there was a league willing to host each. There was also discussion about starting after June 1st since some leagues are not done with regular season beforehand. Both 50/70 and Juniors start before June 1st for TOC's. VNLL stated that they would host the Major TOC's and the 10/11/12 All Star Tournament. Woodland said that they would host 50/70 and 9/10/11 All Stars. Davis said they would host the 8/9/10's All Stars and the 8/9/10 Section Tournament in July. Dixon stated that they would host the Junior All Star Tournament. The only tournaments left that need hosts are 50/70, Juniors and Minor TOC's.

New Business:

• Preliminary NORCAL DA Meeting (10/26/19) - Pappa will find out about the NORCAL rotation for district tournaments this week. He will let us know what is said. Right now, District 64 will be hosting the 8/9/10's for Sections. Discussion will also pertain to proposal changes and training options, district websites and tournament evaluations.

Questions & Open Forum:

- Max from VNLL brought up that he would like all 3 of the Vacaville leagues to meet and discuss boundary changes due to new housing developments in Vacaville.
- Davis brought up the air quality issues due to fires and asked if other leagues practiced or not and same with games. Each league stated that it depends on the air quality in their area. If it's bad enough then everything gets cancelled.

Next Meeting:

• Next meeting will be on January 16, 2020. Vacaville American will be hosting.

Meeting adjourned: 7:28 PM