## Roosevelt County Little League Meeting Minutes

These minutes reflect the meeting held at 5:00 pm on Sunday, January 19th at the Memorial Building in Portales NM.

- 1. League President Brian Cox called the meeting to order at 5:05 pm
  - a. Those present include: Brian Cox, Trindy Valdez, Chris Valdez, Sara Cox, Aaron Pena, Dar-Lyne Pena, Danny Nunez, and Francine Jimenez. Absent were Pete Boyd, Jerrod Strange, BJ Mitchell, Jennifer Saiz, Chris Coddington, & Elain Coddington.

## 2. Old Business:

- a. Update on Sign Sponsors: We have received 9 total sign sponsors so far, totaling \$1,900. Several businesses need following up with.
- b. Registration update: there are 74 total registrations as of meeting time. Sara is going to have the school flyers printed and handed out to the school the beginning of February

## 3. New Business:

- a. Date for sorting equipment: Dates were considered for the board to sort equipment, Brian presented information on a new storage shed from American Porta Store. They have offered RCLL a free shed. Brian is going to call this week about getting it placed at the Complex, we will decide on a sorting date after that is done.
- b. Suggestions for Field Improvements for the 2025 Season:
  - Brian presented information on a new chalker for the fields. Chris made a motion to purchase new chalker and Danny seconded. Vote was unanimous.
  - ii. The condition of the backstops on a fields was brought up. Many of the current backstops are in terrible condition, with holes and crowd hazards. Brian presented pricing information on padded backstops. Discussion was had on price and other options. Brian is going to call a check on extending the chain links down to the ground to better secure the backstops.
- c. Suggestions for Fundraising for the 2025 Season: Selling raffle tickets has proven to be popular and a great fundraiser, Brian moved and Sara seconded to purchase and raffle off a gun. Vote was unanimous. Dar-Lyne moved and Trindy seconded to raffle off a wagon full of baseball/softball goodies. Vote was unanimous. Brian is going to check and see if he can get a beef donated again.

## d. Changes to RCLL By-Laws:

- i. Brian reported from the last District 2 meeting that RCLL is highly encouraged to add a section to the by-laws that includes Crowd Control and Unsportsmanlike Conduct Two Strikes Rule. This rule is very similar to what the NMAA has in place. Everyone received a copy of the new guideline. Chris moved and Sara seconded to add this rule to the RCLL By-Laws.
- ii. Brian presented information on changing the rules to draft order. Brian moved to remove Draft Order #4 from the by-laws. Danny seconded.

Vote was unanimous. All players, regardless of age, will now be open to draft in any round of the draft.

4. President's Repor	t:
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- a. There will be a district meeting on March 2<sup>nd</sup> at 2:00 pm at the Dexter Fire Station.
- 5. Next meeting is set for Sunday, February 23<sup>rd</sup>, at 5:00 pm. We will also meet on March 5<sup>th</sup> to discuss tryouts.
- 6. Brian Cox adjourned the meeting at 7:30 pm.

Minutes prepared by Sara Cox, RCLL Secretary