

**BOARD MEETING MINUTES**  
**OF**  
**NORTHWEST JUNIOR BASEBALL SOFTBALL LEAGUE, INC.**



Date: March 2, 2026

Time: 6:30 PM

Location: Northwest Senior Center

**Board Members:**

Present: Martin, Root, Despot, Barnhart, Hinssen, Kelley, Shackelford, Vaught

Absent: Shaffer, Mason, Milbrodt

Quorum Present? Yes

**Others Present:**

Don Whitaker – Velocity

Mike Curr - Velocity

**Proceedings:**

- Meeting called to order at 6:31 PM by Kelley
- February minutes approved

**Old Business:**

- Financials reviewed by Barnhart
  - Account sitting at 50K – paid for hats, softball registration, drags, travel tournaments
  - Things to come out in March – insurance, uniforms, baseball registration, umpers.
- Meat Raffle
  - Martin motions for online raffle forum
    - Second by Despot
    - Vote – all in favor
  - Root motion for gift card instead of physical items
    - Second by Kelley
    - Vote – all in favor
- Rubber Ducks game in May
  - Martin motions to charge \$13/ ticket
    - Second by Vaught
    - Vote – all in favor
  - Barnhart motions to pay 1k Rubber Ducks deposit
    - Second by Kelley
    - Vote – all in favor
- Fencing in outfield almost completed.
- Field 8 needs a lot work including tree trimming

**New Business:**

- Velocity members came to propose a softball tournament for the weekend of May 22, 23, and 24.
  - 12u and 18u for 110 games Fri- Sun

- They provide: site director, trash cans, porta john's (if needed), chalk.
- NJBSL will prep fields(drag and line) for Fridays games and Sundays games. NJBSL will also run concession stand.
- Potential to host this tournament for next three years
- Would like to pay less than 6k
- Will discuss and vote within the next week
- Martin motions to get quote from Eberhart for spraying
  - Second by Despot
  - Vote – all in favor
- Vaught motions for background checks from other sports (within last year) to count for NJBSL
  - Second by Despot
  - Vote – all in favor
- Root motions to buy three new padlocks
  - Second by Martin
  - Vote – all in favor
- Next Meeting:
  - 4/13/2026 6:00 PM
  - Location: Northwest Senior Center or NJBSL complex
- Meeting adjourned at 8:15 PM

Minutes by: Secretary, Katie Kelley