



## Tri-Lakes Little League Board of Directors Meeting Minutes

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Date: January 4, 2026

Time: 7:30PM

Location: Google Meet

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### Members Present

- Chuck Menke
- Bruce Desautels
- Marc Walrath
- Megan Bies
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- Kristen Lockhart
- Kelsey Lenzmeier
- Heidi Roche
- Megan Wheatley

### Members Absent

- Steve Butler
- Dustin Tupper
- Jesse Leiker
- Nicole Simmons

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### Call to Order

- C. Menke called the meeting to order at 7:31pm MT.

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### President's Message

- Reviewed 2026 Priority List for action items.

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## Umpire Assignments

- The Board discussed an RFP to evaluate potential umpires for 2026 season.
  - C. Menke spoke with J. LeCayo re: umpire resources and existing relationships with other local LLs.
- The Board anticipates sending a communication to solicit umpires for the season.
- The Board identified B. Desautels to serve as TLLL's point of contact to continue conversations re: umpires as the season approaches and for scheduling once the season commences.

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## Team Names

- K. Lenzmeier and B. Desautels presented proposed team names across divisions.

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## Roundtable

- VP Baseball Operations
  - Desautels posted signs in the southern TLLL boundary.
  - Desautels circulated draft bylaws for review and feedback. Board members are encouraged to share feedback by January 18th.
  - The Board discussed tentative dates for a golf tournament (May 22nd). Desautels shared details of the event if it is hosted at AFA.
  - Desautels reaching out to HS coaches for additional bodies to assist with running assessments.
- Registration
  - K. Lenzmeier provided an update on registration numbers.
- Finance
  - The financial committee will meet on January 6th to discuss the preliminary budget.
  - Outstanding balances from 2025 were resolved.
  - 501(c)(3) status is in progress.
- Sponsorship
  - M. Walrath provided donations from Scheels and Arlene's Beans.
  - Tentative Mountain Mike's Pizza Give Back Night on February 7th.
  - The Board identified additional sponsorship prospects.

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## Meeting Adjournment

- H. Roche motioned to adjourn. M. Walrath seconded. The meeting concluded at 8:49pm MT.

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## Next Meeting

**Date:** Sunday, January 11th

**Time:** 7:30 - 9 PM

**Location:** Google Meet