



MEETING MINUTES

High Desert Little League Board of Directors Meeting

Thursday, November 20th 2025

Via TEAMS

8:00 p.m.

Board Members

Attendees: Tara Krantz , Hannah Beer, Ben Grindel, Amity Jokerst, Jentri Young, Dawnee Hunt, Lia Morton, Megan Fay, Jaime Campbell, Stephanie Venezia, Tim May

Absent: Adam O'Halloran, Adam Raley, Kyle Kuhn, Kristin Patrick

Additional Attendees:

- **Meeting convened at 8:02PM**
- **Approval of 11.6.25 regular meeting minutes - Motion to approve by Lia, Second by Megan. Motion carries.**

- **Officer Reports:**
- President – Tara Krantz
 - District 3 Updates: Cactus Foothills or Cactus Horizon will be hosting District All Stars. High Desert not hosting any. Boundary Maps might change. Need to monitor for changes to HDLL. Softball Interleague games available in Spring.
 - Anthem Community Updates: Ice machine still not working. Fields are still flooded. Doubtful games will happen until after the weekend. Safety bases will be required on LL fields for Spring.
 - Submitted application for fields at Deer Valley District. No fee.
 - Do we want to host TOPS in June? Need a BOD decision.

- Vice President – Hannah Beer
 - Request to approve scholarships
 - Only approve 3 per season. Need should be priority.
 - Stillson (tee ball) was able to verify a need
 - **Motion to Approve by Tara, second by Lia – Approved**
 - Robinson (11) was a hand written note
 - Tabled
 - Beck () has received a scholarship every season
 - Has not applied yet, expected
 - Confirming In-Person attendees.
 - Lia, Hannah, Dawnee (maybe), Lia said Adam R might
 - Tara needs Hannah to attend the next D3 meeting on Dec 10.
 - Send background checks to registered coaches.

DATE:

- Treasurer – Ben Grindel
 - Budget finalized
 - Making sure field and umpire payments are caught up
 - Registration fees are coming in
 - Email received about tips in the drawer. Ben confirmed they are all in there.

- Secretary – Adam OHalloran
 - Tryout SUG is ready. Adam R has been asked to review and approve.
 - Email sent to reserve rooms for drafts.

- Softball Director- Jentri Young
 - Pitching clinic with ACU was at ACU due to rain. All but 3 girls made it
 - Catchers clinic on Dec 6th
 - Question about number of teams
 - Discussion about 9 year old wanting to play majors.
 - Only concern is her size. Safety
 - Motion to approve a 9 to play in SB majors.
 - **Motion by Amity, second by Megan, Approved**

- Information Director – Tim May
 - Fielding registration questions
 - Fees updated on website
 - Softball clinic distribution for Jentri
 - Dawnee helping with graphic for scheduling
 - Request to put sponsorship info on FaceBook
 - Link to registration documents needs to be set up

- Player Agents – Adam Raley
 - QRG
 - Added Senior column, AA changes
 - No stealing home on passed ball or wild pitch in AA
 - **Motion by Lia, second by Jentri, QRG wording Approved**
 - Amend Softball QRG to no stealing of home
 - **Motion by Jentri, second by Jamie, QRG wording Approved**
 - End of Fall season survey
 - Registration Numbers
 - 18 tee ball, 19 MP, 22 minors, 12 majors, 5 juniors, and 1 senior

- Manager Coordinator – Lia Morton
 - Illegal bat used last weekend. Umpire handled.
 - Managers need to be updated on weather rules/standards.
 - Manager meeting is coming up. Getting ready.
 - Coaches training with Troy – Lia wants to have a face to face with him.

DATE:

- Safety / Equipment – Stephanie Venezia
 - Fall equipment turn in. Need help those days.
 - Pre for Spring season on Dec 27th (planned).

- Scheduling Coordinator – Dawnee Hunt
 - Spring field reservations sent in.
 - Rain outs – are we rescheduling? When?
 - No response from Kellen.
 - Need to clarify dates.
 - AA, AAA, and Majors want to reschedule games.
 - Will email Paul to see availability, then check with coaches.

- Concessions Coordinator – Kristin Patrick
 - No updates

- Uniforms / Pictures – Megan Fay
 - Spring Pictures date of Feb 28th.
 - If Fall games are rescheduled, we can get pins out.
 - If not rescheduled, how do we get pins out?
 - Sit at fields and hand out pins

- Umpire Coordinator – Kyle Kuhn
 - Organizing Spring Umpires
 - Setting up a list by higher rated umpires
 - Game coordinator needed at each game where umpire is under 18
 - Can we use Game Changer Parents?
 - CFLL hosting an Umpire Clinic we want to piggyback on.

- Sponsorships/Fundraising - Amity Jokerst
 - 23 confirmed sponsors
 - Hit streets. Gone to businesses.
 - Raffle items are coming in. Donations from several sources.

- Events – Jaime Campbell
 - No update

- **Upcoming Events:**
 - Next BOD meeting – Dec 4 (VP led)

Meeting Adjourned at 9:27pm