

Oll Executive Board Meeting
High Plains Community Center Cafeteria
February 25, 2026

Attendees:		
Adam Dinihanian	Justin Berlespch	Anthony Ayala
Jennifer Schempp	Kevin McCarthy	Melvin Saunders
Jay Jaffer	Jeff Silverman	Tara Grutkowski
BJ Palumbo	Bryan Terlizzi	Dino Guerra

Call to meeting by Adam Dinihanian at 7:49pm

Motion to approve minutes from last meeting by Adam Dinihanian

Seconded by Justin Berlepsch

All in favor

Manager interviews

- Conducted Minors and Majors interviews today
- Committee will report nominations and we can vote through email

Evaluations

- Baseball at Grind on Sun starting at 5:30pm
- Softball at Softball U on Mon starting at 6:30pm

Hardball Drafts

- 3/4 Majors
 - Potential conflict with AMSO open house
- 3/5 Minors
- Will most likely switch

Opening Day

- Set for 4/25
- Looking for suggestions, if any changes are needed
- Committees will be formed

Equipment and Jerseys

- Jeff has an understanding of how many teams are proposed and has already reached out to Nantucket
- What date is needed for Sponsors?
 - Before March 13th
- For hardball coach pitch may consider making 8 teams, as number is currently above 60
- Jeff will try and get everything in March 13th

Umpires

- Softball: Natasha will work with Michelle from Milford
- Hardball: Plan is to use Greater New Haven again
 - Can train younger kids/Oll Graduates through Milford

- 2 currently may have an interest

MLT Fair Basket

- Gift card for registration and swag basket can be made

High School Scholarship

- Application has been sent to the high school
- Flyer will be made and posted to the website

Registration updates

- Proposed amount of Hardball teams
 - 6 Majors
 - 5 Minors
 - 4 Rookies
 - 6 Coach Pitch (may look to form 8 if managers step up)
 - 10 T-Ball Teams
- Proposed amount of Softball teams
 - 2 Majors
 - 3 Minors
 - 6 Coach Pitch (maybe 7 or 8)

Updates from Denis from District 4

- No new rules
- Switching Sports Connect to Play Metrics
 - Will be phased in soon, possibly Fall
 - More in-depth app platform
- All Star Championship Dates
 - Hardball: 12u: 7/13 (Milford), 11u: 7/6 (Milford), 10u: 7/9 (TBD)
 - Softball: 12u: 6/23 (Milford), 11u: (Sectionals), 10u: 6/28 (Milford)

Training

- Executive Board Members, managers and coaches need to complete Abuse Awareness
- There are additional training courses that are optional to take

Background checks

- Have to go through Sports Connect site to complete
- Potentially only sent to coaches and not managers
 - Adam will follow up

Waivers

- 2 West Haven Little League players going through process
- Cannot participate in districts for the first year and they were notified in writing

Scorekeepers

- Is there criteria to select?
- Can we add to website?

Field Improvements

- Window in Roche scorer's booth needs to be replaced

Website Additon Possibilities

- Page with past softball/baseball district/state championships
- Page with history of Roche/Goldberg/Stankye
- OLL that made it in the pros? Moras, Winkels

Fundraising ideas

- Yard Goats game dates will be sent
 - Softball did in the past with success
- Discount cards
 - \$15 card for local businesses discounts
 - 60% profit
 - Unsure what businesses will be involved

Text Alerts

- Option to opt into text communication from website

2025 Baseball District Championship Sign

- Jenn will order

Motion to adjourn by Adam Dinihanian

Secoded by Jennifer Schempp

All in favor

Meeting end time 9:07pm