



**Junior Baseball Organization, Inc. Minutes  
Board of Commissioners Meeting  
September 17, 2023, 1:00, Google Meet Board Meeting**

**Board Meeting called to order at 1:00pm by Jay Faxon**

**Quorum Present** Jay Faxon, Tim Nystrom, Terrence Haimoto, Joel Boothe, George Vandehey, Shane Ebberts, Lynn Robinson, Kristen Meeker

**Members Absent** Terrence Haimoto, Jeff Douglas, Ryan McGeary

**President's Report** Thanks to all for a great season. Best season we've had as a board in a long time. Appreciate all of the input and energy.  
NYBUA is interested in changing game time limits.  
Cross-district transfers—look to getting rid of them.  
Matrix- best it has been. Recommends keeping it as is.  
Need to tone down the competition between districts. Think of JBO as a whole. We need to do what is best for the whole.  
Wilson or Rawlings? Recommends sticking with Wilson for another year. Jay is willing to help with that. Needs to work on that in December.  
Volunteering to do board training, be liaison to Wilson, continue with the t-shirts.  
Overall, State tournaments were pretty successful. Recommend keeping State pitch count—went very smoothly. Consider having no FTB in regular season to keep in line with State tournament.  
Club Teams: if you allow them into JBO as another division---you will lose availability of fields. Stick with the community format of JBO.  
Thank you very much and Good Luck.

**State Tournaments** Five of the tournaments had the 'if' game. MA-Newport and SN-Grant(Lewis) both came back through to the 'if' game and won. MF, JF, and SF also went to the 'if' game.  
Need to figure out what a trained umpire is. What does it mean to be certified.  
Need to consider increasing state team fees to pay umpires as they are continuously asking for more dollars.

**Calendar** Lynn will send out a calendar recommendation.

**Board of Directors** President position will be voted on in October.  
Treasurer will be voted on in October.  
Reminder that the Secretary position will be open in October of 2024. Lynn is willing to train and help with the position, but she is officially stepping down after this season.  
Marketing Manager is open.  
Webmaster is open.

**Board continued** DCs Westside: may have two new. Valley: may have at least one new CCJBA: has not had a meeting yet.

**Sponsors** Hoping we get same sponsors: Canby Trophies, Les and Bob's, Oliver Insurance and the Wayne Oliver Foundation, Backstop, Wilson.

**Rules** There will be a proposal to get rid of the cross-district transfer rule.  
If you have rule proposals from your district, they need to be emailed to Lynn no later than October 31<sup>st</sup>.  
Lynn will distribute to the board no later than November 4.  
We will have a google meet on November 18 to discuss proposals only.  
Lynn will then prepare a ballot and send out to board.

**New Business**

**Meeting adjourned** at 1:55pm by Jay Faxon

**Next Meeting** Sunday, October 15, at 1:00 pm