

Chichester Youth Association

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Clark Thorne - President

Robyn Eldredge - Vice President

Brian May - Treasurer

Maryellen Fish - Secretary

Joe Breesaw - Member at Large

Chichester Youth Association

March 14, 2021

6:30pm via Zoom (Video Conference)

Attendance: Clark Thorne, Robyn Eldredge, Brian May, Steve Burris, Jon Rokeh, Kristy Willey, David Jobin, Maryellen Fish

Approval Of The Minutes: On a motion made by Clark Thorne seconded by Brian May the minutes from February 6, 2021 meeting were approved with all members in favor.

Treasurer's Report: Checking account balance is \$2618.30. Savings Account Balance is \$12914.05. On a motion made by Clark Thorne, second by Steve Burris the Treasurer's Report was approved with all members in favor.

Commissioners' Report:

- Baseball-
 - Spring Training Day to be held at NH Sportsdome in Hooksett on Saturday March 27 from 1:00 to 3:00 PM
 - Opening Day for games will be May 1 for all divisions. The season will conclude in mid-June.
 - Practice will commence in early April as soon as field conditions allow.
 - Coaches will notify families of practice schedules once finalized.
 - Full game schedules will be communicated in early April by Steve Burris.
 - T Ball games will be on Saturday mornings. 1 game each week. Possibly one practice during the week, to be announced by coaches.
 - Rookies games are Saturdays at 11:00. There will be a total of 8 games. There will be at least one practice during the week, to be announced by coaches.
 - Minors games are Tuesdays at 5:45 and Saturdays 2:00 PM. There will be a total of 10 games, in addition to playoffs starting June 10. Practice schedule to be announced by coaches.
 - At this point, we have no Majors Baseball players. If there is any interest we will try to place players on a nearby town team. Majors has 3 games per week..Mondays & Thursdays at 5:45, Saturdays at 2:00 PM.
 - The Baseball Commissioner (Steve Burris) will be issuing a master schedule for all teams when available

- For Covid-19 Precautions, we will be following State issued guidelines. Please see the attached link. Coaches will be educated in all required precautions and the cooperation of parents / guardians / spectators will be appreciated.

<https://www.covidguidance.nh.gov/sites/g/files/ehbemt381/files/inline-documents/2020-05/guidance-amateur-youth-sports.pdf>

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- Softball
 - May combined Minors and Rookies players due to low minors turnout
 - Kristy will talk to other towns about placing Majors Softball Players (only two signed up)
- Soccer

Snack Shack:

- Board Voted not to open snack shack this season.

Equipment Manager:

- Will assess equipment needs to decide how to use Dick's rewards.

Fundraising:

- Robyn is reaching out to local businesses for sponsorship of softball/ baseball teams. David Jobin volunteered his White Water Service company to sponsor the Rookies team

Other Business:

- Field day to be scheduled in April when field conditions allow.

Adjournment: A motion was made by Clark Thorne to adjourn the meeting; it was seconded by Brian May with all members in favor.

The next scheduled meeting will be held on **Sunday, April 11 at 6:30 at Carpenter Park**