HAAA June 2024 Meeting Minutes

June 12th, 2024 @Liljas

Organizations in Attendance:

Central Hempfield Maxwell Scottdale

Connellsville Mt Pleasant Southmoreland

Delmont PAL West Hempfield

Derry Penn Trafford West Point

Greensburg Rostraver White Oak

Jeannette Sewickley Youngwood

Latrobe

Board Members in Attendance:

President (Leichliter) Sergeant of Arms (Bentz)

Vice President (Booth) Baseball Coordinator (Biondi)

Treasurer (Miller) Softball Coordinator (Miller

Secretary (Vas)

Meeting Called @8:05pm by President Leichliter

Approval of prior meeting minutes – Youngwood/Maxwell

Treasures Report

* 4883.37 – balance

Presidents Report

* Playoffs
  + Brackets are in works
  + Coaches Meeting – Must be in attendance
    - Baseball – WH pavilion – 6/13
      * 8u – 6pm
      * 10u – 7pm
      * 12u – 8pm
    - Softball – Maxwell pavilion – 6/16
      * 8u – 6pm
      * 10u – 7pm
      * 12u – 7:45pm
  + Umpires – We will do our best
    - 8u fees - $40
    - 8u may have issues in the first few rounds due to volume
  + Hosts – keep under control, no police!!!
  + Nightly Communication with HAAA organization for hosts
  + Teams must communicate with hosts the scores
  + Developmental Pitcher not required in Playoffs
  + International Tiebreaker if needed
  + Time limits in place, but finish the inning
    - 6 innings – 2 hours
    - 7 innings - 2.5 hours

Baseball Coordinator

* N/A

Softball Coordinator

* Rostraver is aware of probation from last year
* 10u pitchers – 3 inning max

Old Business

* Wyano Softball contacted about playing in HAAA
  + 8u-15u
  + Needs to be present for July meeting
* Playoffs locations –
  + Baseball
    - 14u –Youngwood/Maxwell
    - 19u – Connellsville???
* Playoff dates
  + Baseball
    - 14u
      * Season End – 7/10
      * Seed Meeting – 7/11
      * Playoff Begin – 7/13
    - 19u
      * Season End – 7/17
      * Seed Meeting – 7/18
      * Playoff Begin – 7/20
* Rules questions
  + Softball – Leichliter and Miller
  + Baseball – Leichliter and Biondi

New Business

* 2 umps at 12 u
  + Needs voted on over winter for registration cost purposes
* Rule changes in fall only
  + Trial and vote for final acceptance
* Rules available at HAAABS.com
* Softball pitching
  + Leap/crow hope will be called
* Age gaps of umps to playing group
  + SAAA had a 16 year old ump at a 14u game
* Fall is the time to move to next age group
* Fall Season
  + August 26th start
  + Rosters/field availability is due August 2nd
* Age brackets
  + Softball
    - Side meeting in July to discuss
      * Possible middle school age group moving forward
      * 15u – no releases?
      * 12u and 16u??

Player Releases

* None presented

Next Meeting – July 10th 7pm @ Liljas

Motion to adjourn @ 9:24 – Youngwood/Derry