



Bismarck Youth Fastpitch Softball Association Board Meeting Agenda

Meeting Information:

Meeting Title	Board Meeting	Time	6:30 pm
Date	05/3/2026	Location	Luckys 13
Facilitator	Heath Lessard, President		

Invitees/Attendees:

Required/ Optional	Attended (Y/N)	Name	Required/ Optional	Attended (Y/N)	Name
	Y	Matt Liudahl			
	Y	Heath Lessard		Y	Becky Aman
	Y	Nick Roemmich		Y	Andrea Carow
	Y	Steph Jallen		N	Tamara Meissel
	Y	Jamie Turner		Y	Heather Schlenker
	Y	Cari Kramer		Y	Jessica Davis
	Y	Fred Schauer		Y	Lukus Jemtrud

Agenda/Minutes:

Item	Topic	Owner
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Approval of April Minutes- Steph jallen made a motion to approve the minuted, Jamie 2nd them

1. -Board met with a parent in regards to some concerns from last year of making an umpire cry in the middle of a game, Requests from parents to have their kid not be assigned to the same team, Complaints came in from 2 other League coaches in regards to this person

2. **Treasurer Report**-Beginning Balance \$213,828.01 Ending Balance \$263,347.42

Deposits- \$56, 415.32 Sports Engine Summer League, Blast Tournament, Sponsorships, interest Checking, Raffle Money Deposit. Withdrawals w had \$6.895.91 zipbooks, socks, belts, advertisement, State Registrations, Dome Rental, Coach Reimbursement for Ace and Background

3. **Fundraising Report**- 2026 Raffle ticket proceeds \$11,180.00

4. **Summer League Report (387)**

Schedules - 6U only has 5 teams and will have some buy weeks so we will have to spread out over 8 games throughout the 10wk season

8U- Jamboree will be held on their league night & have a double header.

Practice Sign Ups- Emails went out to coaches to

Picture Schedules- The 1st and 2nd week of Softball we will schedule on calendars

Game Schedules and Reporting Scores



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10U & 11U 1st two games of the tourney will be held on there last league night. Teams will also have to move fields and some won't have to. Instead of grilling out the last week do an ice cream social and rent out the ice cream truck.

-Pitching Clinic the week of May 25th before Summer League starts normally held by the older girls

4. Travel Report

- a. **Uniforms & hoodies-** Are on order
- b. **Hitting-**Schedules to be determined
- c. **Coach registrations background checks and certifications, board members**

Spreadsheets are being made to track Coaches and Board members Background checks and certifications

- d. **Monday Pitching/ Catching Clinic**

Defensive Clinics

Schedules are done and just need to get them to the coaches

Collected Checks and Invoiced those still needing to pay travel ball fees

5. Honeybees camp update- June 26th during the day

Larks play Wilmir Stingers at 7:05pm No Honeybees game

6. Blast Tournament 58 teams are registered for the blast tournament

- a. **Teams Entered**
- b. **Other Updates-** Heather has food ordered and ready to go for the umpires each day
- c. **Blast Medals-** Jamie ordered medals
- d. **Blast Tournament shirts-** Steph ordered shirts

8. Other Business

- **Umpires-** 44 Umpires will do Umpire training 5/10 @5:00pm

July Meeting-Tryouts and who will do the evaluating and dates

Tentative Fall tryouts will be August 4th, 5th, and 6th Makeup will only be for extenuating circumstances

Ryan Karsky plans to attend our Meeting to discuss merging with Mandan for Travel ball



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- **Next June 15th Matching Grant with Bismarck Parks and Recreation and out asks are as following:**

Shade over bleachers

BYB wants to put turf down on 3 fields

Put pins in for taking down and putting up fencing on the fields and get them installed for 2027

Signs for the 2 north and center fields