

A Commissioner's Meeting of the Fort Smith Church League was held on Monday, March 6, 2006 at Christ the King Church. (An attendee roster is available upon request)

The meeting was called to order by Don EVELD. Wes Sadler offered opening prayer.

Sean Boyd called that all churches were in attendance.

Motion by Shane Medford to accept February minutes as read. Seconded by Rodney Wood.

Motion made by Pat Pinter to hire William Porter as Umpire Director. Seconded by Rodney Woods
Vote 11-0 Motion Approved

Rick Deramus has umpire clinic set for April 1st and 2nd and also has sign up sheet for this.

Don EVELD asked that all churches verify and update list of commissioners for each participating church.

Prep League age regulation is still August 1st as this is required by Babe Ruth League not May 1st as for other divisions.

\$1200.00 not encumbered funds for league (see attached statement)

Rule change proposed by Wes Young. 50' pitching distance Vote 17-0 Approved

Rule change proposed by Rick Deramus and seconded by Wes Sadler.

Changing batting order:

A coach has the option to bat all players on the official roster that are present. If a team begins the game batting all players, they must complete the game batting all players. If the extra batter(s) have been injured, then the subject team can bat the remaining batter(s) without penalty of taking an out for the extra batter position(s) unless their team is under nine players then the team must take an out.

The opposing coach has the option to bat the standard nine or ten batters. It is not mandatory that both teams bat the same number of players.

All pitching rules and defensive substitution rules stay in effect.

Example:

If team "A" has 12 players and team "B" has 11 players...

Team "A" coach can bat all 12 players while

Team "B" coach may only decide to bat 9 players

Change and Add Rule:

This rule would expand rule 19 under Section I under Pony League Rules and would add a new rule for the Midget League Rules.

Mark Burgess asked that Prep and Babe Ruth be added to this rule change. This was seconded by Robert Gene
Vote 24-2 passed as amended.

NEW BUSINESS

Journey Church would like to be added to the roster (Fort Smith, Kelley Highway)

A motion was made by Brent Lewis and seconded by Gene Nelson. VOTE 28-0 passed

A Cricket phone was asked for to be used by the Umpire Director at a charge of \$38 per month. The Executive Committee will take this up at the next meeting.

TEAM DECLARATION

See attached

AMENDED MINUTES

Removal of proposed rule by Rick Deraums as this had already been voted on at an earlier time. Motion made by Rick Deramus and seconded by Pat Pinter

Move to adjourn meeting made by Doug Swartz and seconded by Mark Burgess

Signature:

Approved: (date)

Or Corrected: (date)