

*Kernersville Little League
Minutes of Board Meeting
March 5, 2001*

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Sonny Berry, President
Bob Swab, Treasurer
Gale Starbuck, Secretary
Tim Bailey, VP Coach Pitch & Tee Ball
Tommy Harrison, VP Minor League Baseball
Tim Lawson, VP Major League Baseball
Sam Bradley, VP Senior League Baseball
Tony Mizzi, VP Minor League Baseball
Missy Wilson, VP Major League Softball
Tommy Wilson, VP Senior League Softball
Benny Mabe, VP Big League Softball
Cindy Rollins, Player Agent Tee Ball & Senior League Baseball
Chuck Haslebacher, Player Agent Coach Pitch, Minor & Major League Baseball
Gary Cobbler, Player Agent Softball

MEMBERS NOT PRESENT:

Tom Twiddy, Auxiliary
Pat McNamara, VP Big League Baseball

Sonny Berry, President of Kernersville Little League called the meeting to order at 7:10 PM. There were 16 regular members in attendance.

The minutes of the February meetings were read by Gale Starbuck; they were approved as read.

The **Treasurer's** report was given by Bob Swab. Presently the league has \$49,425.00 in the bank account. Bob recently moved the league's accounts from First Union to BB & T because First Union no longer offers community checking and the league was incurring monthly service charges. Bob has received approximately sixty per cent of the sponsorship fees which are due this season. Overall the league's number of players this season is down by 70 to 110 children this year; however sign up fees increased by twenty - three per cent.

A motion was made by Gary Cobbler to accept the revisions Sam Bradley had done to the Local Playing Rules; motion seconded by Missy Wilson, motion approved.

Sonny announced an umpire training clinic will be conducted by George Groce at the Swaim Complex on March 21st & 22nd. This clinic will cost \$12.00 and those attending will be certified Little League Umpires upon completion of the training.

Workdays will be held at the Swaim Complex on March 17th and 24th beginning at 8:30 AM.

A mandatory Coaches Clinic will be conducted by Sonny Berry here at the Swaim Complex on Sunday, March 25th beginning at 4:00 PM. All managers and coaches must attend this clinic.

A motion was made by Tony Mizzi to name the following persons as managers and coaches in **Minor League Softball:**

Wilson Tire Shop	-	Steve Howell, coach
	-	Pat Collie, coach
Local 2444	-	Jim Rigsby, coach
	-	John Powell, coach
Exchange Club	-	Glenda Head, manager
	-	Terri Zimmer, coach
Blackburn/Carter	-	Clive Wilson, manager
	-	Brandon Wilson, coach

The motion was seconded by Benny Mabe; motion carried.

The Warthogs Fundraiser was reviewed. The board approved Sunday, May 20th as Kernersville Little League day at the Warthogs' field. The game will begin at 2:00 PM and league players in uniform will be admitted free. The league will be selling general admission tickets to the game at the concession stand as a fund raiser.

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A motion was made by Tim Lawson to name the following persons as coaches in the Major League Baseball division:

Loffin	-	Jeff Martin, coach
Lions	-	Russell Queen, coach
TRS	-	Pat Collie, coach
Vestal	-	John Hill, coach
	-	Jonathan Head, coach
Sara Lee	-	Joe Mitchell, coach
	-	Robert Weaver, coach
VFW	-	Tim Snow, coach
Civitan	-	Gary Cobbler, coach

The motion was seconded by Sam Bradley; motion carried.

Chuck Haslebacher has eighty-nine 11 & 12 year olds signed up and eighty-four 9 & 10 year olds signed up for major and minor baseball. The Major league draft will be on Sunday, March 11th at 7:00 PM. The Minor league draft will be the following night.

Tommy Wilson made a motion to name Don Cardwell as the manager of J & R Construction in the Senior League Softball league. The motion was seconded by Benny Mabe; motion carried.

Sam Bradley has 73 players signed up for Senior League Baseball. There will be seven teams with 11 players on each team. Senior league tryouts will be on Saturday, March 10th and the draft will be on Sunday, March 18th. Sam made a motion to name the following persons as managers and coaches:

Captain Tom's	-	Clay Hudson, coach
Lines Unltd.	-	Barry Lawson, coach
	-	Mike Adams, coach
Roadway	-	Tommy Shoemaker, coach
KNW Electric	-	Pat McNamara, manager
	-	Tony Alford, coach
	-	Robert Walls, coach
Xpress Lube	-	Mike McLellan, coach
	-	Cliff Querry, coach
Swaim	-	Barry Tilley, manager
	-	Gary Cobbler, coach

The motion was seconded by Tommy Wilson; motion carried.

A motion was made by Benny Mabe to accept the \$1,938.00 bid from Sportsman's Supply for baseballs and softballs. The motion was seconded by Tommy Wilson; motion carried.

Barry Tilley made a proposal regarding tie breaker situations and how they should be resolved for the 2001 season. The board will consider it for approval at the April meeting.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:15 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Gale R. Starbuck