President's Meeting Dec 14, 2014 Niceville @ 2:30 pm

Meeting opened at 2:30

District Staff present – Ron Covey, Ellen McLean and Sharon Adams

Leagues not represented – DeFuniak

Introductions by Ron

Ron said he hoped that all transitions went smooth for new president's and board members for leagues.

Make sure changes are made on the Little League Data Center online. If anyone has problems accessing the Data Center, please let Ron know asap so he can assist.

Ron informed Destin to make sure all last years enrollment are in the data center so new players can be added.

Get Safety plans in asap. At this time we have no safety officer on the district staff so if you know someone who may be interested let Ron know.

Final dates from Little League will be sent out as soon as we receive them.

Constitution – if there are no changes sign the back page and send to Little League, if there are changes submit Constitution in full.

Bylaws need to be sent to Ron as soon as possible. These need to be approved before your season starts.

Ron asked about leagues interested in interleague play, all present said yes.

A committee was selected to review interleague rules for MP BB and MP SB and BB and SB minor league.

Mike will help with BB and SB Minor league.

Chris will do MP BB and MP SB and Sharon has said she will help.

Destin informed Ron that they had someone who may be interested in helping with the interleague rules.

For MP BB and SB and minor league BB and SB, leagues can take District one rules and use them during regular season. This is HIGHLY recommended because these rules will be used during special games tournaments.

By laws need to be given to coaches and posted where people have access to them.

If Ron gets any phone calls from parents/guardians with any issues or complaints, he will be contacting league president.

If you hosted a tournament last year and have not returned the tournament resource binder, please do so at the next meeting.

Ft. Walton has asked to join our District. They have 25 teams ready to play.

No reply from Melvin about the status of Crestview.

When holding registration, don't forget about school waivers.

If a player wants/needs to play outside their boundary, do not take payment at registration. Get a letter from parent/guardian stating reason why this needs to be done. Ex parent/guardian work in that boundary. Need to get information to Ron ASAP so he can get it to Jen at Southern Region for approval.

Tournament dates will be given at a later time.

Leagues wanting to host a tournament need to get their safety plan and rosters inputed into data center ASAP.

For those leagues interested in using online resignstration, League Athletics is a good site for this. With his site, documents have to be uploaded before registration can be completed. Fees can also be paid on this site.

Next meeting January 11, 2014 Shalimar at Ron's office at 2:30 pm

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