

President's Meeting  
November 12, 2017 @ 2:30 pm  
Host – Baker

Leagues present – Defuniak Springs, Shalimar, Baker, Freeport, South Walton, Destin, and Niceville

Leagues Absent: Paxton

Staff members present – Ron, Ellen, Windell, James, Tony, Bill, Brad

Meeting Called to Order by Ron at 2:40 pm.

Introductions:

New Leagues- Molino Ball Park President Luman Wilson and Cantonment President Josh Longo.

Reading of the Last Minutes.

Old Business:

New Business:

- A. ASAP Plans- Ron advised leagues to get their ASAP Plans out and start working on them. They are due before March.
- B. Constitutions- Ron advised leagues to get them turned in to him as soon as they can with any changes noted.
- C. By-Laws- Ron told the leagues that by laws are due 30 days before they

begin playing games.

- D. Interleague/Combined Forms- This is to be done on the data center when chartering teams.
- E. Pitching Machine/Inter League Rules Committee:
  - a. Consist of Tony Weaver, Bill Vikara, Chris Morrison, and Mike Wong.
  - b. They will work to have the rules ready for next Presidents Meeting.
- F. Ron informed the leagues about the first Softball Challenger League team for District 1.
- G. Ron let the leagues know that the staff will be in Little League Congress in January and any rules that they want to change need to be sent to him so he can forward them on.
- H. Tony Weaver addressed the leagues about the New League Approved Bats for 2018.
  - a. Junior League and below are to use the USA Baseball approved bats.
  - b. Additional Information is available online at Little League University.
  - c. Teeball can get stickers that can be put on bats.
- I. Ron discussed changes to boundaries for a few leagues and also discussed 2d waivers and player eligibility.
- J. Tony also discussed with the leagues are Volunteer umpires. He mentioned the qualifications and schooling options for leagues to send volunteer umpires to. He also mentioned they will be handing out 3 plaques this year for volunteer umpires.
  - a. One for Volunteer Umpire
  - b. One for District Volunteer Umpire
  - c. One for Volunteer Junior Umpire
- K. Howard briefly discussed some pricing for baseball equipment from Hock Sports that was brought in.

Chris made a motion to adjourn. Second by Howard and approved.

Meeting Adjourned @ 4:04 pm.

Next Meeting: 7 January 2018 at Destin Little League (Host)