## President's Meeting May 16, 2021 Host – Freeport

Leagues present – Tri-County, South Walton, Shalimar, Freeport, Baker, Destin, DeFuniak Springs, Niceville

Staff members present – Ron, Ellen, James, Jessi, Windell, Mike N., Mike B.

- 1. Meeting Called to Order by Ron at 2:31 pm.
- 2. Introductions:
- 3. Reading of the Last Minutes. Minutes are posted on the new website: <a href="http://www.fld1.org">www.fld1.org</a>
- 4. Old Business
  - a. Ron reminded the leagues to check the data center and take care of any unpaid dues. He also reminded them to check and make sure there were no forms waiting for approval.
- 5. New Business
  - a. Ron went over the State DA Zoom Meeting.
    - a. 2021 season will only have 2 World Series.
      - i. Little League Softball
      - ii. Little League Baseball
    - b. Junior/Senior and Intermediate World Series will not be taking place this year.
    - c. Little League will be coming out with some guidance about COVID.
    - d. Affidavits are now available to leagues to complete.
    - e. There will be in person meeting on October 23-24, 2021.
  - b. Jessi went over the Tournament Rules with the leagues.
  - c. Ron next discussed the PROPER way to complete the Tournament Affidavit.
    - a. League eligibility = 12 games scheduled and played.
    - b. Player eligibility = 8 games played.

- c. All waiver requests are due by June 1.
- d. 12 or more players on game day, then all three coaches are allowed on field. 11 or less, then team loses one coach for that game.
- e. Residency and school requirements and eligibility.
- f. Waivers in the tournament books.
- 6. Questions or Comments
  - Discussion was made regarding players playing on special games rosters and then playing on sanctioned team roster. DeFuniak made a motion to allow a maximum of 3 players to move up from special games roster to play on sanctioned team rosters to help the smaller leagues fill teams. Baker second the motion. Motion passed with a 4-3 vote.
  - Special game tournaments will start on May 29<sup>th</sup> and be played every day including Sunday and Memorial Day.
- 7. Meeting Adjourned Motion was made to adjourn by Destin. Meeting Adjourned 4:07 pm.

Next meeting: TBD Next Season