WHITE ROCK SOUTH SURREY BASEBALL ASSOCIATION



Executive Meeting Minutes

Date: May 5, 2021

Time: 8:15 PM

Place: Remote Conference Call

Present: Randy McKinnon; Leo Connell; Bob Carpenter; Sheridan Abells; Heather Melenchuk; Bruce Ng; Jeff Lewis; Ray Persaud; Anne Marie Zemrau; Jeff Scotland; Matt MacDonald; Rick Mirabelli; Taylor Clift; David Hughes; Steph MacKenzie; Raymond Wu; Alex Barger; Jordan Broatch; Kevin Dalgetty,

Absent: Sharlyn Caryula; Adam; Vernon D'Souza; Jeremy Reid; Amy Phelps

Chairperson: Randy McKinnon

Call To Order: 8:17 pm

Adoption of Minutes of April 7, 2021 meeting

First: Ann-Marie Second: Bruce Passed

NEW BUSINESS

City of Surrey Improvement Updates - Bakerview / Umpire Bin/ Batting Cage/ Laronde/ Painting

- Ray & Randy met with City
- Laronde to be rebuilt at end of 2021, exploring washroom options and Umpire dressing room
- Bakerview, potentially rearranging fields to move backstops away from townhomes
- Old batting cage, SBC considering taking it, WRSSBA would still have access to it.
- SSAP has requires some netting repairs, dugout and container painting, flying ball signs

Hats for Summer/ Next Year (Ann Marie)

- Discussion around inventory of hats and potentially changing hat style
- Need to order summer hats

BC Minor Update - Spring vs Summer Season

- Hoping for inter-association games
- Potentially wrapping up Spring and going directly to Summer (All-star) programming
- 40 committed umpires, would like 10 days notice to put on refresher clinics.

OLD BUSINESS

Volunteer Ideas

- Need a project manager for painting projects
 - Painting SSAP indoor facility

- Bantam & Midget Dugouts need pait and cleanup

New Indoor Facility Update

- Dave discussed our cash position in anticipation of transferring funds to pay for new facility
- One time gaming grant and capital grant possibilities discussed

Motion to move \$100,000 from General account to the Capital Account to proceed with building a new indoor facility at Centennial park.

First: Randy Second: Bob Passed (All in favour)

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- Ray discussed budget for new facility, including various fees to begin development of the facility

Motion to allocate up to \$50,000 for the professional and development fees.

- **First**: Ray **Second**: Dave **Passed** (All in favour)

New Business as Tabled

COVID 19 Complaints

- Coaches not wearing masks in close proximity
- Too many spectators but can't enforce only discourage

Bantam AA

- New coach, Chris Strain
- Discussed top-up fee over initial registration fee
- Randy to send notification to families with \$200 fee

Goose Problem

- Rick mentioned there is a lot of goose droppings in and around Centennial
- Heather will bring up with city

Meeting Adjourned: 9:10 pm

First: Jeff 2nd: Leo Accepted