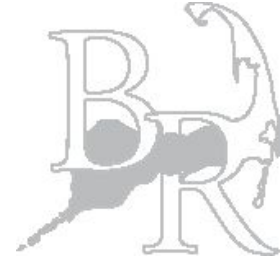




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Minutes BRLL Board Meeting: 10/15/2015

Present: Ken Taber, Rich Kochanowicz, Ted Beer, Joe Forgione, Jen Hornberger, Bonnie Nunheimer, Kevin Casey and Bruce Riley.

The meeting began at 5:00pm.

- Minutes from 9/17/15 were approved
- The following BOD members were approved for positions:
 - President: Rich Kochanowicz
 - Vice President: Kevin Casey
 - Treasurer: Ken Taber
 - Information/Registration Officer: Bruce Riley
 - Equipment Officer: Liz Blanchard
 - Majors Executive: Ted Beer
 - Minors Executive: Joe Forgione
 - Safety Officer: Dave Whitney
 - Fundraising Officer: Jen Hornberger
 - Community Outreach Officer: Bonnie Nunheimer
- Coaching:
 - The one open Majors coaching spot was discussed. Allan Ryone was chosen by vote as the next coach of what has been the Cranberry Landscaping team.

- There appear to be two coaching vacancies at the Minors level, depending on the total number of teams.
- Three Minors rule changes were passed:
 - Returning coaches should be able to protect (keep) 5 players per team for the following year.
 - If a player has an issue and refuses to hit, that will be considered an out for his/her team – to be implemented after the 4th game of the year.
 - The slaughter rule should be raised to 15 runs after 4 innings.
- Jen mentioned that BRLL will be using Pay Pal to accept sponsorship and other monies.
- Baseball clinics to be run by John Schiffner were discussed. Ken will follow up with scheduling information.
- There was a brief discussion regarding how BRLL might proceed if it were necessary to add a team in the Majors.
 - One suggestion was to allow teams to protect 5 players pre-draft.
- At approximately 6:00pm, Coach Schiffner arrived to the meeting. A lively and productive discussion ensued regarding coach and player clinics, what to work on, etc. A few coaches attended the meeting as well.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:00pm. The next meeting date TBD..

Respectfully submitted,

Bruce Riley

Bruce Riley, Information Officer