

**GBWAA – Meeting Minutes**  
**Thursday, April, 2010**  
**Prepared by: Jenn Seitzinger**

**Old/Unfinished Business**

- **Coaches Clinic** – was open to all GBWAA parents/adults that have a desire to Manage/Coach for the upcoming 2010 season.
  1. Over 70 people participated
  2. Board did their best to give Managing Positions to those who attended
- **Final Registration**
  1. Softball Registrations – approximately 300
  2. Baseball Registrations – approximately 454
  3. There is a Pilot Program for the 5 and 6 year old age group
    - ✓ 4 teams
    - ✓ Must have at least 1 year of Instructional
    - ✓ The season could consist of ½ - hit off tee and ½ coach pitch
- **Winter Clinics**
  1. Overall went well
  2. Those that were not able to attend the final boys session and did not receive their t-shirt, reach out to the Board
  3. Softball participants – approximately 70/80 girls
  4. Baseball participants – approximately 70/80 boys

**Executive Committee Reports**

- **Softball**
  1. No inter-league play will occur between GBWAA and Brentwood this season
  2. There is a very good chance that the 10 and Under will be travelling to Bethel Park for games
  3. 12 and Under and 15 and Under will be playing Bethel Park
  4. Possibility of a 15 year old PAWS League
    - ✓ Will not interfere with in-house games
    - ✓ Games will be held on Sundays

**\*Be sure to contact Bob Berk with equipment or field issues**

- **Baseball**

1. Springdale Field in the St. Elizabeth's area will be used this year
2. Equipment was handed out - be sure to clean batting helmets

**\*Be sure to contact Ron Lutz with equipment or field issues**

Mark Miklas was very concerned with the Organization eliminating the "**Junior Umpire Program**":

- Discussion occurred between Board and those attending
- Randy Lutz will reach out to 8 and Under Managers
- Mark Miklas is willing to organize

### **New Business**

- **Baldwin Community Day**

1. Scheduled for June 5, 2010
2. GBWAA children and coaches will participate in the parade
3. GBWAA would like to have 2 concession stands – stand fee of \$75
4. Anyone interested in helping plan for this event, contact Randy Lutz

- **Brentwood 4<sup>th</sup> of July Parade** – GBWAA is now an active member in the local Chamber of Commerce

- **Concession Coordinator**

1. Is needed for Overlook and "New" Leland
2. Anyone interested, contact a GBWAA Board Member
3. Menus will be based on the age group assigned to each of the fields

- **Calendar Dates to Remember**

1. Field Clean-up day - Ongoing
2. First Day of Practice – April 1<sup>st</sup>
3. Opening Day – April 24<sup>th</sup>
4. Baldwin Community Day – June 5<sup>th</sup>
5. Championship Week – June 21<sup>st</sup> thru June 26<sup>th</sup>

- **"Key" Management**

1. In the event you have keys to any field or concession stand, we are asking they be returned asap.
2. Discussion was held as to how to encourage Managers/Coaches to return "keys" going forward.

**Next Meeting is scheduled for Thursday, April 29, 2010**