

Central Iowa Baseball & Softball Association
2016 End of Season Rules Meeting
July 25, 2016

- Call to Order
 - 6:33 pm
- Board Members Present & Not Present
 - Tracey Malloy, Emily Bowie, Jarod Kreigel, Marci Grant, Jon Reed, Bryce Dee, Lanise Burchland
- Towns Present & Not Present
 - Albion, Baxter, Clemons, Ferguson, Garwin, Laurel, LeGrand, Rhodes, State Center
- Umpire Reimbursements
 - Abion \$100
 - Baxter \$125
 - Clemons \$200
 - Ferguson \$225
 - Garwin \$100 (+ \$15 also owed for over paid entry fee)
 - Green Mt (\$45 for over paid entry fee)
 - Laurel \$50
 - LeGrand \$175
 - Rhodes \$300
 - State Center \$150
 - **Total pay out \$1525**
- Treasurer's Report
 - Current balance \$3472.76
- Review of the Tournament
 - Umpire didn't show up for a tournament game. One town didn't want to play and the other town did. Kids wanted to play so they played. Maybe change the wording to Qualified Umpire instead of Certified Umpire

Tournament Rule 2.0 First and second round tournament games for all peewees will be officiated by one ~~certified~~ umpire behind the plate. Semifinal and championship peewee games will be officiated by 2 ~~certified~~ umpires. **Pee Wee Girls Semifinals will have one umpire.** All tournament games for Minors, Majors, and Babe Ruth will be officiated by 2 ~~certified~~ umpires. The Board will **assign schedule** umpires for each tournament game. Host towns will be responsible for paying each umpire \$25 per game. The Board requests that towns please provide umpires complimentary concessions. Towns hosting ALL tournament games will be reimbursed for umpire fees at the Fall Rules Meeting. The Board will directly pay the umpires at the championship games. **If the umpire does not show up within the stated time, the host town will find a replacement person (minimum 18 years old) to umpire behind the plate or bases. If either town refuses to play, they will forfeit the game. Towns MUST have full umpire gear available.**

Tournament Rule 13.0 All championship games will be played without the 10-run rule. No time limit for championship games. **The Board will keep an official book. Both teams need to report any chances to official book keeper.**

Tournament Rule 14.0 All team rosters must be submitted prior to the tournament scheduling meeting. Only players appearing on the official team roster are eligible to play in tournament games. A player may play on only one team in a specific age division. **If not enough players, refer to Rule of 1.03 of Boys and Girls Rules.**

- Boys Rule Changes Discussion

8.0 PITCHERS

8.01 Pitchers are allowed to pitch one county regulation game (PeeWee – 4 Innings, Minors – 5 Innings.) If pitched more than allotted innings, team forfeits.

Jon motioned to pass this rule
Emily Seconds
Motions Passes (all in favor)

7.06 **PeeWee Only** - The runner shall not leave his base before the ball reaches the batter **crosses home plate**, or he shall be declared out.

Tracey motioned to pass the changes to Rule 7.06
Jon Seconds
Motion Passes (all in favor)

- Girls Rule Changes Discussion

- Discussion on PeeWee Girls stealing bases when the ball crosses the plate.

7.06 **PeeWee Only** - ~~There will be no stealing in PeeWees.~~ The runner shall not leave her base before the ball crosses home plate, or she shall be declared out.

Bryce motioned to pass this rule
Jared Seconds
Motion Passes (one opposed)

- Discussion on PeeWee Girls Coach pitch
Rule 2.05 stays

New Rule 15.13 Regulation softballs will not be used in T-ball games. The ball to be used in all games will be a soft touch core ball, such as the Diamond Flexi Ball.

Jon Motioned to new Rule 15.13
Jared Seconds
Motion Passes (all in favor)

- Discussion on having more than 3 teams for division for town. Tracey: Each town may only have 2 teams per division.

Tracey makes a motion for **new Boys Rule 11.07 and Girls Rule 10.07: No town in the league shall have more than 2 teams per division. If town feels they have an exception, town shall bring circumstances to the board for discussion and review. All final decisions to be done before they day of scheduling meeting.**

Bryce Seconds
All in Favor:7
All Opposed: 6

Motion Passes

Rule 6.01 Every batter MUST wear approved protective helmets **with facemask and chinstrap** at ALL TIMES while running, batting, waiting on deck, or catching. THE CATCHER MUST WEAR A HELMET AND THROAT GUARD, EVEN WHEN WARMING UP THE PITCHER. If a batter hits the ball and throws her helmet off before the play is stopped, or the ball is dead, SHE SHALL BE DECLARED OUT. However, if her helmet falls off while she is running, there is no penalty.

Michelle Eibs motions
Emily Seconds
Motion Passed (all in favor)

➤ New Business

Board would like to have the Rules meeting, starting tonight, the meetings will be BOTH Boys and Girls discussion together.

➤ Adjournment

- 9:22 pm