

CORNBELT "B/C" LEAGUE MEETING MINUTES

March 17, 2019

1:00PM

- 1.) Meeting was called to order at 1:02pm, In attendance were Advisor Greg H. Gould, Nathan Fruit Earlville, Blake Johnson Somonauk-B/C, Bryan Pickert HBR Black-B, Nicole Sanchez Serena-B, Dusty Behringer Sandwich Orange-B, Aaron Westerfield-Newark/Lisbon-C, Neil Morris-Hinckley-C, Joe Edmeier-Hinckley-C, Jeff Byrd-Plano B/C, Casey Kelly-Earlville-C, Houston Cline-Sandwich Orange-C, Marcus Kyes-Newark Blue-C, Jacob Stark-Serena-B, Jeremy Whitaker-Serena-B, Wes Miller-Newark/Lisbon Blue-B, Brian Zabel-Newark/Lisbon-B
- 2.) "C" 17 Teams will be Playing in 2019 C League were Leland-C, Waterman Black-C, Waterman Red-C, HBR Black-C, Earlville-C, Somonauk Gold-C, Somonauk Blue-C, Plano #1-C, Plano #2-C, Serena #1-C, Sandwich Black-C, Sandwich Orange-C, Sandwich White-C, Sandwich Green-C, Newark/Lisbon Green-C, Newark/Lisbon Blue-C, HBR Blue-C
- 3.) "B" 16 Teams will be Playing in 2019 B League were Leland- B, Waterman Black- B, Waterman Red- B, HBR 1- B, Somonauk Gold- B, Somonauk Blue- B, Plano #1-B, Plano #2-B, Serena #1-B, Serena #2- B, Sandwich Black-B, Sandwich Orange- B, Sandwich White- B, Sandwich Blue- B, Newark/Lisbon Blue_B, Newark/Lisbon Green-B
- 4.) We decided we didn't need a President for "C" League since no standings are kept.
- 5.) No one stepped up for "B" President, so we went to the draw, Jason Farlander from HBR said he would continue as President, since he will be doing "A" Ball and Pony as well
- 6.) Reporting scores and communicating with other teams is done by Facebook. All scores for "B" League and Pitchers inning pitched will be posted on facebook, Corn Belt League "B" Ball page, Each team will create a team page then post it on the Corn Belt League "B" Ball Page
- 7.) Roster will be sent in for "B" League to rockcreekball@aol.com
- 8.) Send \$100 Entry Fee to "B" League President, Mail League Fee's to (Make out Checks but leave Name Blank) Jason Fahrlander, 551 W. Miller Ave, Hinckley, IL. 60520 Cell 574-532-, Email: Jason.fahrlander@KDRP.com
- 9.) Went over Rules, Changes to "C" Rules Sandwich Motioned to Change the Level 5 Ball to a regular Little League Baseball, Seconded by Earlville, All in Favor None Opposed. Motioned Carried
- 10.) Motion by Hinckley Big Rock to keep score but not standings kept. 2nd by Sandwich, Report Scores on Facebook, All in Favor None Opposed, Motion Carried.,

The "B" Rules Changes We Suggest 2 Umpires, but it is ok to Use only One Umpire to save Cost Motion by Earlville, Second by Newark, All in favor None Opposed. Motion Carried.

All in Favor of letting B League use 2 5/8 barrel bats, none opposed'

- 11.) Single Elimination Tournament for "B" league to start no later then June 24
- 12.) "C" League will Play on Thursday at 6:00pm and Sat. at 10:00am
- 13.) "B" League will play on Tuesday & Friday's at 6:00pm
- 14.) Other Business Plano has a kid that will be turning 9 May 23rd but he has never touched a baseball nor ever swung a bat. The mother is concerned that 10u might be too much for him to handle as his first experience with baseball. Would we be ok to let him play 8u? All in Favor None Opposed - Sandwich has a kid who is supposed to play 12U. His parents are pretty adamant about him playing 10U because he is not an all star by any means. His parents are worried that playing him at 12U is going to be too much for him and that he won't want to ever play again. Is there anyway for him to play 10U(minor) for one more year? All In Favor None Opposed
Earlville Has a Player to stay in B Ball – All In Favor None Opposed

- 15.) – website is www.rockcreekball.com
 - a. Umpire Clinic is March 31 at Sandwich High School 2:30pm to be certified to Umpire in Cornebelt Game
- 16.) Next meeting Sunday March 25, 2018 at 1pm at Plano High School
- 17.) Please email rockcreekball@aol.com with any coaches information
- 18.) Meeting Adjourned 1:26pm