Lakewood Community Recreation & Education Department
Lakewood Community Baseball Softball Association
Meeting Minutes
December 29, 2025 - 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM
Taft Center of Innovation - Rm 109

LCBSA Board

Vince Frantz - President	Hank Winters - Equipment
Chris Yeager - Secretary	Shawn Fitz Gibbons
Jennifer Trnavsky - Treasure	Matt Rohde
Andy Kohuth - Vice President	Kelly Carrol - Softball Player Development
Megan Koeth - Safety Officer	Mike Jaissle
Erin Kerrigan - Communications	Aly Eclarin
Rec Dept Ex Officio: Mitch Robida	Jeep Joseph - Umpire in Chief
Director of Community & District Activities: Mark Walter	
CREC Commissioner: Paul Porter	
Director Of Coaching: Grant Graves, Lucas Yousko	
Recreation & Education Coordinator: Leslie Favre Krogman	
Scheduler:	
League Coordinator:	
Events/Fundraising:	

Meeting Minutes are being recorded by Andy Kohuth

Call to Order / Attendance: Not in attendance: Mark, Grant, Paul, Chris Y, Hank, Aly, Jeep

Minutes from Last Board Meeting

- Minutes from the October and November meetings are approved

Director Reports

1. President Report
    - Nothing to report

(10 minutes)

2. Treasurer Report
    - CVBA teams are registered for the season. The league is waiting for a check from the Rec Department
    - Kids should not be practicing if they have not registered with the Rec
    - Account balances
        - General fund $20,270.24
        - Team accounts $2,602.82
        - Rec funds $76,963.87
        - LCBSA boosters account $22,873.06

(5 minutes)

3. Scheduler Report
    - Nothing new

(5 minutes)

4. Equipment Report
    - Hank volunteered his time to clean the Hack Attack machine for softball.The pitching machine needs regular maintenance.
    - Batting T's are at Harding
    - 2 nets need to be put together at Horace Mann
    - Baseball and softball jerseys are on schedule
    - Softball pants are coming from another vendor (Amazon) and will be fitted next week with samples Lucas purchased from the vendor.
    - Catcher's gear?
    - Shawn has had a lot of feedback from parents about wanting last names on the back of jerseys.
        - Shawn mentioned that Grant was against the names being on the back of the jerseys last year.
            - Vince said the names on the back of the jersey has never come up in five years but it has always been against the rules.
            - Lucas says the final jersey needs to be approved by him and Grant.
                - Lucas said he is against having the names on the back of the jerseys but also thinks it should be a board decision.
                - Jenn said she thinks it adds value for a customer to see their kid's name on a jersey.
                - Kelly said that she thinks we need to shift our attitude to what is trendy and new to keep up with the times.
                - Vince says, it would be a concern if we lost players to club teams because of the names on the back of the jerseys,
                - The names on the back of the jerseys does not cost extra
        - Last names on the back of the jerseys need to be discussed.
    - All the practice jerseys have been passed out to the baseball teams including items that were purchased. Softball is getting there.
    - (5 minutes)

5. Director of Coaching Report (15 minutes)
    - Baseball DOC Update
        - Winter camp went well at T3. Turn out about 65%

    - Softball DOC Update
        - Pitching and catching clinic went well

- Kelly said the first hackshack practice was great. They will have 1 more session in Jan and 2 in Feb
- Softball is working with outside specialist/trainers for pitching and catching

6. Communications
    - Working on website
    - Erin is looking for pictures to post on social media for the baseball side. She has been working with Aly on the softball side.
    - Working on comms for super bowl squares. The link is live on the website.

(5 minutes)

7. In-House Program Report
    - None (5 minutes)

8. Events & Fundraising Report
    - Update for the day of the fundraiser
    - Baskets are going well. They are coming in at a higher value than what was discussed
    - $3000 sponsorship from Walter Senny is not finalized but its in the works
    - $1000 sponsorship from Ryco Sports including paying for the team banners
        - Ryco also wants to talk about running the LCBSA spiritwear store.
            - Vince says we are opening up a year round store with the LHS book store.
            - Mike said if LCBSA has Ryco launch a spirit wear site, LCBSA would get 15%
    - Talk about spirit wear with Ryco at next meeting

(5 minutes)

9. Fields Report
    none

(5 minutes)

10. Safety Report
    - Background checks
        - 3 coaches still need to be checked

- Megan is going to set up a zoom with the coaches to go over safety procedures
- Mitch confirmed the rec has started with Lindsay's law compliance

New Business Last names on the back of baseball jerseys
(5 minutes)

Adjournment

- Motion to adjourn, motion was seconded

Next Meeting: Jan. 27, 2026 7:00 PM - Taft Center of Innovation - Rm 109