

2025 SWCL Spring Meeting

April 16th @ 7pm

Dodger Bowl

1. *Start if 7:02 pm*
2. Roll Call/ Introductions-
 - a. Communities Present-Barneveld, Belmont, Bloomington, Boscobel, Cazenovia, Darlington, Dodgeville, Fennimore, Highland, Iowa-Grant, Ithaca, Lancaster, Mineral Point, Platteville, Prairie du Chein, Richland Center, Riverdale, River Valley, Royal, Wisconsin Heights.
3. Review/Approval of Fall 2024 Meeting Minutes-Approved
4. Report Of Officers
 - a. Financial Report-Whitney Runde
 - i. \$100/ team, write checks out to SWCL
 - ii. \$11,344.00 Current Balance
 - b. Webmaster-Dustin Myers
 - i. Cache issue last year, should be good for this year.
 - ii. On Smart device, make sure you are refreshing your browser to reflect updates.
 - c. Baseball VP-Donald Layton "Butch"
 - i. **Caz tournament got a rain out impacting the pitching rules**
 - d. Softball VP-Tim Hoffman
 - a. **Sportsmanship issue, this is about the kids and growing skill**
 - d. Commissioner-Randy Hoffman
5. Discussion to Add Communities
 - i. Seneca-**Approved 19-1**
6. Softball/Baseball Rule Review from 2024
 - a. Rules can only be changed in the fall meeting. There is now a rule change form that needs to be filled out by Aug. 1st prior to the fall meeting. If you submit a rule change you must be present at the fall meeting, or it does not get discussed.
 - b. **Discussion of illegal bats-rules and disciplinary actions reviewed**

- c. **Game times are at 6 and 7:30 if there are any changes this must be agreed upon by both teams**
 - d. **If a game is Forfeited the teams gets 1 run per inning of the scheduled game**
- 7. 2025 Season
 - i. **SWCL will assign teams numbers NOT the communities. This will elevate hassle with the webmaster creating user log ins**
 - b. Coaches Registration/Roster Submission Due by May 5th
 - i. **Code of Conduct will be sent out in an email.**
 - ii. **Have opposing coach and umpires sign scorebook.**
 - iii. **Player eligibility- kids may move up but can only play for the team**
 - c. Schedules Released by May 5th
 - d. Late Fee will be charged if team fee is not paid by May 14th. Fee/team \$100
- 8. Open Discussion
 - a. When signing up teams specify if your community is okay playing each other
 - b. If a game is forfeited for any reason the score is 6-0(number of innings in a game)
- 9. 2025 SWCL Tournament Dates
 - i. Tournament sites should not have repeated years unless no other options-vote in fall
 - b. Baseball
 - i. 3/4th Grade- July 7-July 12- **Boscobel**
 - ii. 5/6th Grade-July 14-July 19-**Highland**
 - iii. 7/8th Grade- July 7-July 12-**Cazenovia**
 - c. Softball
 - i. 3/4th Grade- July 14-July 19-**Bloomington**
 - ii. 5/6th Grade- July 7-July 12-**Mineral Point**
 - iii. 7/8th Grade- July 14-July 19-**Belmont**
- 10. Proposal Fall Meeting-August 13 @ 7pm
- 11. Adjourned @ 8:25pm