

DISTRICT 39 MEETING
March 13, 2013

Present:

Presidents: Watsonville American, Pajaro Valley, Aptos, Cap/Soquel, Santa Cruz, Scotts Valley, San Lorenzo Valley, and Live Oak Presidents and Matt Bauleke, majors rep. from Santa Cruz (SJA not present)

District Staff: Gene, Michael (Ayers), Brain, Rick and Mike (Saso)

Corky motioned we accept the previous months minutes, Larry seconded the motion and it passed unanimously.

Gene collected flash drives from Watsonville American and Live Oak. Still needs a flash drive from San Juan. All others turned in to Gene.

Waivers: Live Oak has one Reg. II (d) to follow up on with a parent who has moved.

Interleague Forms: Gene reminded the Presidents to get interleague forms in and signed by him. Santa Cruz still needs form for divisional play. PV and Watsonville American will take care of forms. Watsonville American looking for interleague games for their 2 teams.

Post Season dates:

TOC's and 7-8 Tournaments Start Sunday June 9th, finish June 19th or 20th

District All Stars Start Sat. June 22nd, end with championship weekend July 6th and 7th

Section 10-11 All Stars Start Sat. July 13th, end July 16th or 17th

OK to announce all, All Stars on Sat. June 8th based on tournament start dates listed above.

Training: Brian said the booklets for the Dr. Smoll talk and are delayed and being shipped to him. He will distribute when they arrive. He suggested if leagues wanted added clinics that Joey Wolfe is still available. The presidents brought up the fact that his clinics and a few others were quite pricy. Brian said he would follow up on cost options to help leagues. Jeremy Kirby, with rawhide was another possible option as well.

Safety programs – All safety programs are in and approved before both league and district deadlines. Congratulations! The need to have safety officers and all board members reinforcing the game sight safety as we get the season going was discussed and emphasized.

Treasurers Report: Gene announced he has found a new treasure for the district, Tomiko from SLV, and will have a report by the next months meeting.

New pitch count rules reminders: Mike Saso brought up the discussion related to the new rules and the need for separate pitch count sheets and pitch counter during games as well as a permanent log. A proposal for pitch counting will be sent to all leagues by the district to assist with this new rule implementation.

Baseballs: A reminder to all leagues that for Majors and Minors all baseballs used during the regular season need to be RS or RST marked balls. The only exception is the lower minors using “safety balls” being OK.

Tournament Host Selections:

TOC’s

Majors	Aptos
Minors	Santa Cruz

District All Stars

7-8 Tournament	Capitola Soquel
8-9 Tournament	Watsonville American possibly SLV or Aptos as co-host
9-10 Tournament	Pajaro Valley
10-11 Tournament	Scotts Valley
11-12 Tournament	Santa Cruz

Championship Weekend Santa Cruz

Section 10-11 All Stars Scotts Valley

Other Business: The Santa Cruz president brought up a discussion related to player issues and a manager and board member, and was looking for feedback and information on how to address the situations. It became clear that there were two issues: The first is to address the player situation and support the player agent to take action by the rules in the best interest of the players and the league. It was suggested the player agent be in contact with the DA to gather any needed information needed to address the situation. The second issue has to do with the manager involved with the player situation. It was suggested that the league executive board meet to address the issue and take appropriate action from there.

Corky motioned to adjourn, Rick seconded and it passed unanimously.