

Eau Gallie Little League Board of Directors Meeting Minutes of Meeting for Wed Mar-25-2015

Call to Order at: 6:33 PM by President Scott Farnham

Attending Board Members:

Scott Farnham, Brian Henderson, Shane Leech, Cindy Marrs, Kevin Marrs, Tim O'Keefe, Nick Van Vonno

Absent Board Members:

Eric Jones, Giselle Marzano, Mark Roecker, Scott Teter,

Meeting Minutes

None

Incident during game on Mar-20-2015

The primary meeting item was an incident during a Majors game held on March 20, 2015 (Friday evening). There was an altercation involving a player (Justen Short), his parent (Ray Short), and the manager (Tim Boylan). Scott Farnham opened the discussion by reading aloud the testimony from Paul Crane, who was umpiring the game. Mr. Crane detailed the incident noting what he specifically saw and heard himself, and his action/involvement. In summary, the manager and a parent were in the outfield in a tense discussion (no physical action noted at this point), when the son, Justen took a bat and headed to the outfield noting he was going to kill the manager. He was stopped by the umpire (Paul). The incident is NOT the first with the player and discussion ensued on the Board regarding the actions to be taken, if needed, to the player, parent, and coach.

It was expressed that without question the incident was noted as "Conduct detrimental to EPLL", and the motions that followed were the following:

1. Nick VanVonno moved to remove Justen Short as a Player Member of EPLL. Tim O'Keefe seconded and the item carried unanimously.
2. Nick VanVonno moved to remove Ray Short as a Coach Member of EPLL. Shane Leech seconded and the item carried unanimously.

Scott Farnham noted that no action involving Tim Boylan as Manager was necessary as he had stepped down. Discussion continued on who would continue with the team as Manager. It was noted that Fred West (a players parent), appeared interested and did appear to know the game to some degree. Scott Farnham will seat Fred West as the new manager and additionally noted that he as well will be listed as a coach. Others may assist the team to being them forward quickly.

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Kevin Marrs was asked to draft a letter to the Short's noting the charges and setting the opportunity for a hearing to be held March 31, 2015 at 6:30pm.

Next Meeting:

Tue Mar-31-2015 at 6:30 PM.

Adjournment:

Motion to adjourn was made by Shane Leech, seconded by Nick Van Vonno, motion passed.

Meeting adjourned at 7:07 PM.

These minutes prepared and submitted by:

Kevin Marrs
Acting Secretary
EGLL Board of Directors