

**Schuylkill Valley Little League**  
**October 18<sup>th</sup> , 2010**  
**October 2010 Meeting Minutes**

**Attendance:** Holly Hoffman, Jon Gabel, Mark Emes, Sue Bevans, Paul Becker, Marie Perry, Greg Dimovitz, David Kauffman, Scott Rickert, Bob Kline, Rich Bagenstose, Mike Clery, Chris Jozwiak, Mike Hoffman

**September 2010 Minutes Approval:** Motion for approval by Mark Emes, Marie Perry 2<sup>nd</sup>, All in favor.

**Treasurer's Report:** Greg Dimovitz prepared and discussed our current income and expenses through September. After lighting project expenses we will have approximately a \$4,000.00 balance. Paul motioned to accept the treasurer report. Holly 2<sup>nd</sup>. All in favor.

**New October Business:**

**\*President's Report** - Greg opened the meeting and discussed the treasurer's report.

Nominations were then discussed among the board, and nominees were voted on for the positions that they were nominated and approved for at the September 2010 meeting.

**\*Voting of Accepted Nominees:**

Greg renominated Mark Emes for Player Agent. Jon Gabel 2<sup>nd</sup>. All in favor.

Greg renominated Marie Perry for League Informational Officer. Mark 2<sup>nd</sup>. All in favor.

Greg renominated Sue Bevans for Safety Officer. Paul 2<sup>nd</sup>. All in favor.

Greg renominated Holly Hoffman for Secretary. Paul 2<sup>nd</sup>. All in favor.

Greg renominated Rich Bagenstose for President. Holly 2<sup>nd</sup>. All in favor.

Greg renominated Jon Gabel for Vice President. Mark 2<sup>nd</sup>. All in favor.

Greg renominated Paul Becker for Treasurer. Holly 2<sup>nd</sup>. All in favor.

Greg renominated Bob Kline for Equipment Manager. Scott 2<sup>nd</sup>. All in favor.

Greg renominated Scott Rickert for Umpire Coordinator. Rich 2<sup>nd</sup>. All in favor.

All nominations have been approved for the 2010-2011 SVLL season.

**\*Fall Ball:** Mark reported that fall ball is just about over. The major's team is in the play-offs. All other teams are finishing up. Greg stated that we had 30 kids in fall ball in 2009 and this year we had approx. 80 kids. Due to uniform expenses we need to charge for fall ball 2011 which will be discussed at a later date.

**\*Lighting Project:** Paul reported the lighting project will be finished within the next 2 weeks. Raising money for the completion of this project has been underway for the last 5 years. Scott Rickert states that Mohrsville lights do not work. Night games that were scheduled could not be played. The board needs better communication with MAPA. Continued discussion for the Bern township fields, Leesport fields, Mohrsville fields, and the Community fields. The County Fields are free. Rich will look into LL having an opportunity to use the fields and secure as many fields that we need. Mohrsville, Leesport, and Bern fields are covered under our Little League Insurance. As per Leesport A field, Paul will stop the automated pay out from the LL account for the old meter and will settle bill with Council. Little League is paying for the "dust to dawn" lights and the security camera each month which should be addressed. This amount is approximately \$40.00 per month.

**\*Spirit Wear Fundraiser:** Holly and Marie reported that all spirit wear has been delivered. One idea for next year would be to have NLS Sportswear deliver the items to the Leesport fields. If parents do not pick up their order, then NLS will charge a shipping fee and ship their items. This will eliminate Holly driving around to personally deliver each order. Rich suggested the possibility of having NLS Sportswear at our player evaluations and player clinics. There will be more on this discussion at a later date.

**\*Fundraiser request** – Marie had presented a fundraiser for SVLL in which an individual sells bags and purses. Rich suggest we hold off on this type of fundraiser and consider having this type of business as one of our Saturday vendors. More discussion on this subject at a later date.

**\*Registration for 2011 season:** Discussion on registration dates and registration fees

must wait until the board gets more information on uniform costs and other costs that would be involved for the season. Marie will look into dates for the school newsletter and give our information to correct individual. Greg informed everyone that we are looking at 3 dates for registration during the month of January, and that the board is possibly considering a late charge to registrants past January 31, 2011.

**Meeting Adjourned:** Greg motioned to adjourn. Sue Bevans 2<sup>nd</sup>. All in favor.