



 **CBSL**
Colchester Baseball & Softball League

Welcome to the home of the Colchester Baseball & Softball League
CBSL is a volunteer run, non-profit organization dedicated to supporting youth baseball and softball within the Colchester, Connecticut community.

CBSL
PO Box 114
Colchester CT 06415

General Meeting
Abundant Life Church
July 11, 2022
7:30pm

Present: Karen Belding, Bob Crowell, Todd Eisenberg, Margo Gignac, Andrew Perham, Nick Poirer, Greg Vilardo

Josh Bertash

Absent: Donna Antonacci, Deb Coats, John Carroll, Tim Chiaverini, Tim Crowell, Rob D'Atri, Michelle Millington, Samantha VanZilen

Call to order: Karen 7:36

Treasurer's Report: Non Available

Baseball Report: Bob - Tournament, Minors made it to semi-finals, they did well. No majors tournament team.

Softball Report: Karen - Majors eliminated last week. Intermediate still going on.

Equipment Return: Nick - all returned

Fields: The only field we will have for fall ball is Cody. Need to do an inventory of shed equipment. Some tarps need to be tossed and need some new batter's eye. R-1 needs batter's eye and pitcher's eye. New tarps are needed at every field. Old tarps need to be removed. Tarps that are in good condition should be stored in GoldiLocks.

People need to be shown how to use the field liners and taught how to take care of equipment, rakes, tarps, etc.

For discussion with the town:

- MOA for the contracts for the town rec department to allow for the leagues to take care of fields when necessary, for example mowing or turning the field.
- Shed on R-3 need to contact women's softball and town to organize at presidents meeting.

- Follow up on R-1 Batting Cage Net

Improvements: A wish list needs to be made and then priced out to be able to tackle them.

- New tarps and batters eyes and pitchers eyes on all fields.
- Generator for Cody
- Pitching machine for Cody(Greg said the may be sound equipment for Cody)
- Coaches wish list for equipment to come from Bob (wish list needs to be priced out)
- Dugout accessories
- Field Raking machine (gas powered)
- New field liners
- Net on R-1 batting cage (town takes care of) need a status update

Fall Ball: usually minors and majors and sometimes Juniors. Need to open registration, what to do for uniforms etc. Need a cost price. Need to open registration in the next two weeks.

Need to put out a statement about why there was no summer ball this year. The town is not allowing permits outside of season. Still looking to join with a neighboring town to have a fall season.

Nomination search:

Open positions:

1 year

Vice president
Treasurer
Softball Director
Member at Large
Member at Large

2 year

President
Baseball Director
Information officer
Secretary
Equipment Manager
Member at Large
Member at Large
Email blast for volunteer board members will go out.

Adjourned: 8:38

Next Meetings

- General Meetings are 1st Monday of each month
- EOB meetings are held monthly 1st Monday after the General Meeting and the 3rd Monday of every month

League Website - www.cbsl.org