



**DISTRICT 25
LITTLE LEAGUE
BASEBALL AND SOFTBALL**

**President's Meeting
Minutes
2-18-2015**

Welcome and Introductions – The Meeting was called to order at 7:35pm, Marty welcomed everyone

Constitutions – Some of the League still need to be updated – In conjunction with the next topic it may become Mandatory to update every 2 to 3 years

League Boundary Maps – need to be UPDATED – Due to the incidents with the Illinois Team, LL is considering making it Mandatory to have a League Map on file with LL that has been submitted within past 2 to 3 years to be eligible for Tournament Play. So Maps would need to be resubmitted, even if not changed, every 2-3 years. Check the League Data Center to see date of last submission and resubmit if necessary. Maps are on the District Website at www.CaDistrict25ll.org – Sign and Date and send to Marty to sign and then to BPickering@LittleLeague.org

Background Checks – need to be done.

Interleague Application/Combine Play- Start now to get forms in for signature(s), Interleague only needs District Approval – Combined Play needs District and Regional Approval

Clinics-/Safety –Mario Carr will be the District Safety Officer for this year. Contact Mario with your contact information for the League Safety Officer. ASAP Manuals finished by March get a reduction in Insurance costs. Tyrone has told me that He will try to put a District Coaches Clinic together for 2015

Urban Initiative Jamboree- District 25 will be hosting this Jamboree in 2015 at Ladera LL on April 17-19, 2015. Volunteers are needed to help with Scorekeeping and announcing

League Assessments- Marty Thanked the 3 Leagues that have sent in their Assessments.

Election Of District Administrator – At the May President's Meeting there will be an election of the District Administrator for a 4 year Term.

Tournaments- Marty presented a handout of when the All Star Tournaments should start in 2015 noting that Softball, 50/70 Baseball and Senior Baseball MUST start earlier due to some World Series Tournaments starting earlier this year.

PitchSmart.org – is a website regarding Youth Pitching and Pitching Limits. The Site was developed by MLB and USA Baseball in conjunction with Drs James Andrews and Glenn Flesig, who are the architects of the Little League’s Pitch Count

Challenger Jamboree – this is a project that the District has been working on for a number of years and amounts to having Challenger Teams from around the LA area to play some games at Dodger Stadium. Angel Stadium has had one for years put on by Bank of America, the Angels and Little League Volunteers. Marty met with a Dodger Representative and the Dodgers Organization will be getting involved through their Dream Foundation.

Dodger Days – flyers were sent out to the Leagues with the Dates on them. May 3rd is the only give away day and tickets are going fast.

STAFF

Jesse Sanchez, Challenger- presented the 2015 Schedule for the Challengers Season. Jesse spoke on the need for Buddies(helpers) and how Credits can be earned for helping. He also explained how He is trying to form a Committee for the Challenger Division to assist with operating the program. Games will be at Culver City High, Culver City LL and Ladera LL. Opening Ceremonies will be at Ladera again.

Mario Carr, Safety – had the Leagues present fill out the contact information and explained how easy it can be to up and send in the ASAP Manual.

Willie and Tyrone – Umpire Mechanic Clinic Feb 22nd at Culver City. Check D25 Website for times.

Adjourned

NO MARCH MEETING -Next Meeting: April 15th, 7:30 Windward School, Same Room 210

