



General Board Meeting Minutes
Monday, October 13, 2025
7:30 pm ~ Location: Brown's Valley Library

Meeting Norms

- Honor start time
- Set a timekeeper & adjust agenda when needed
- Listen to and show respect for the opinions of others. One person talks at a time.
- Follow the agenda ~ stay on track
- Cell Phones on silent and be present at the meeting
- Board will seek input from meeting attendees.
- Topics not related to the discussion item on the agenda will be written on a parking lot area and addressed at the end of the discussion or included in the next meeting's agenda.

Attendees

- **Alex Decius** – President
- **Sara Tavizon** – Vice President
- **Ryan Fennie** – Equipment Coordinator
- **Amber Sepulveda** - Fundraisings
- **Theresa Robles** - Snack Shack Coordinator
- **Kristina Webster** – Secretary
- **Coaches: Debbie Anderson, Alexis Everett, Jessica Kerr, Lauren Pryatel-Tucker, Sam Hopkins, Carly Felix, Victoria Hernandez, Anthony Williams, Joe Giovanni, Nick Rossmiller, Mari Moughan, Gasper Tavizon, Matt Johnson, Carolin Johnson, Kris Lowe**

Begin Meeting 7:30 pm

Welcome, Introductions, Review Norms, Adjustments to Agenda	2 mins	Alex Decius
Approval of September Minutes -No questions or corrections -Joe motions to approve the minutes, Jess 2nds, all approve	2 mins	Kristina Webster

Reports of the Board

President	10 mins	Alex Decius
• Holiday Parade Sat. Dec 6th - Need Committee ○ What does the parade entail? Does someone have a float? In the past we've used Decius or Napa Electric trailers. It's decorated the night before at someone's house and then it gets hauled off. We have the opportunity to win (we've won in a category the past 3 years) about \$500. ○ We are tabling for right now, because availability is limited, as are volunteers. • Spring Registration Open October 20th ○ It is opening earlier, and since we raised fees last year, we will keep the fees the same. We will have all of our divisions T-Ball to 13u for spring. • Open Board Positions - Events Coordinator, Umpire Coordinator, Field Manager, Communication Manager (Social Media Platforms). ○ If anyone is interested they may reach out to the board. • Approve Halloween Bash Tournament Rules ○ Reading through the rules to ask for questions. ■ Can you cede your official home book to the visitor's book if you need to make that decision for your team? ■ Umpire is keeping track of the 2 minutes between half innings. ■ Reminder that only the head coach may approach the umpire. If the head coach needs help with an umpire, they need to find a board member. ■ As far as costumes, please be careful with fake blood. It can't actually be on the jersey.		

- If it goes to the tie breaker, it must be a coin.
- During Saturday, coaches are in charge of parents, families, assistant coaches, and players. If someone gets tossed, so does the coach.
- We can't have noise makers. Please no cow bells or other noise makers.

Treasurer

5 min

Zena Page

- Review and Approve September Activity

Vice President

10 min

Sara Tavizon

- Halloween Bash: Dugout, T-shirt, activities, food
 - Themes need to be in to Alex by today. This ties to the costume, dugout, walk out music.
 - Decorating will start at 7:45 am. Give yourself plenty of time to get all set up.
 - Judging for costumes and decorations start at 9:00 am. Once judging has happened girls can start to get lined up.
 - Ceremony is at 10 am.
 - Teams will start lining up at 9:30 am.
 - Garbage cannot be put in the garbage cans or we get fined.
 - T-shirts will be given out on Tuesday. All the girls get an end of season tournament.
 - Activities that day. There will be a jumpy house. Tickets are \$3. It will be there 11-3.
 - La Condesa will have their food truck and the snack shack.
 - Each team needs to have a bag of candy for trick or treating between games.
 - Siblings can come dressed up also.
 - Jersey numbers must be visible.
 - If you need electricity you need to bring a generator.
 - Aging Out Ceremony for the girls, we have 15.
 - Dugouts for decorations assigned:
- Each Team needs candy and a parent helper to pass out for trick or treating between games.
- Halloween Bash Tournament Bracket Games start 5:00pm.

Equipment Manager

2 min

Ryan Fennie

- Equipment Return Process
 - There will be a clipboard on the pitching cage as you leave. This is the place to drop your equipment bags and all your gear.

New Business: Equipment Cost 20 for Each

- Catchers Gear: \$3,421.81 Sock Net: \$2,000 Tanner Tees: \$1999.80
- Pitching Mat with Powerline: \$1,999.92 TOTAL: \$9,421.53
 - Still waiting on fencing quotes. Currently looking at \$40,000 to 50,000. We currently have \$28,000 and are working on another \$10,000 grant through Community Projects. The district has the ability to overrule our bids and they won't tell us their approved contractors.
 - 'Community Projects' does a lot for our organization through the years.
 - We know some of our equipment is a bit rough. The numbers are one new set per team. When we purchase Bow Nets there will be no more batting into the fences. We are currently looking at \$9400. We are pretty confident about purchasing Sock Nets, Tanner Tees, and Bow Nets.
 - DubSports is closing their retail store and gave our league quite a bit of equipment.

Question:

- Do we want to have a raffle at Halloween Bash where we could have winners win 'credit' to the snack shack or spring registration?
- We will have Halloween Bash shirts for sale and all the girls do get a shirt.
- Are there trophies? 1st and 2nd place get trophies?

Dates to Remember

- **Next Board Meeting:** Monday, November 13th at 6:30 pm
Monday, December 8th at 6:30 pm

Meeting Adjourned

- Nick motions to adjourn, Sara seconds.
- Time: 8:16

Minutes Prepared By: Kristina Webster, Secretary NJGSL
