



SOMERS LITTLE LEAGUE

Annual Board of Directors Meeting

Tuesday, 7:30pm, November 14, 2017, Kibbe Fuller

Members in attendance: Chris Duff, Ray Dandurand, John Curran, Steve Olearcek, Tom Saso, John McLellan, Pat Burns, Daren Damboragian.

2018 Somers Little League Board Members:

<u>Board Position</u>	<u>Name</u>
President	Ray Dandurand
Vice President	Sean Conlin
Treasurer	John Curran
Secretary	Daren Damboragian
Communications	Steve Olearcek
Tee Ball Representative	Joe Radziewicz
Farm League (Single A/Double A) Rep	John McLellan
Minors Representative	Patrick Burns
Majors Representative	Kevin Schechterle
Juniors Representative	Tony Palazessi
Umpire Coordinator	OPEN
Equipment Coordinator	Tom Saso
Snack Shack Coordinator	Brooke Hawkins
Uniforms/Fundraising	Brooke Hawkins
Player/Coach Development	Tony Palazessi
Safety	Steve Hawkins

Items discussed:

- Background checks for all coaches and assistants
- Suggestion for paying umpires this year is to give coaches cash for all games at start of season
- Discussion of Opening Day dates
- USA Bat Standard vs. Wood Bat – leaving option for both but sending out email encouraging the use of Wood bats for Somers Little League
- Fundraising – Discount cards must be distributed early to be effective. Need better tracking system. Additional fundraising ideas were discussed.
- Uniforms were \$2500 less than previous year and everyone thought they were better. Suggested that younger divisions go with adjustable strap hats and not flex fit.
- Current balance – approximately \$21,000.
- Next meeting December 12, 2017, 7:30pm at Joanna's Café.

Meeting adjourned 9:12pm