

Marina Youth Baseball Softball
Meeting Minutes
December 9, 2025 | 6:00PM
Location: Round Table Pizza-Marina

I. Meeting called to order at 6:14PM.

II. Roll Call/Attendees

- President: Stephen Bailey
- Treasurer: Christina Kelly
- Baseball Director: Emmanuel Branch
- Softball Director: Not present
- Secretary: Jerriecha Balajadia
- Division Representative: Jason Hicks
- Division Representative: Vely Matthews (virtual)
- Field Improvements Coordinator: Emmanuel Branch
- Equipment Coordinator: Not present
- Fundraising/Sponsor Coordinator: Kisha Black-Grant (virtual)
- Concessions Coordinator: Chelsea Gonzales
- Volunteer Coordinator: Amber Edwards
- Special Events Coordinator: Meme Jeeter

III. President's Report: Stephen Bailey

- Stephen motions to release funds up to \$500 for batting cage repair
 - Christina seconds
 - Passed unanimously
- Discussed Teamsnap showing incorrect "soccer" theme;
 - Vely to reach out to site builder.
- Discussed possible Central Coast All-Star team for Pony Division, as it was communicated at recent intercity baseball meeting.
- Stephen proposes non-refundable payment plan option with deadline

IV. Treasurer's Report: Christina Kelly

- Christina motions to approve budget in advance for 25-26 season.
 - Stephen seconds
 - Passed unanimously
- Christina motions to ratify
 - Passed unanimously
- Christina motions to move fiscal year from Sep-Aug to Aug-Sep, and to file necessary forms with IRS
 - Stephen seconds
 - Passed unanimously
- Sentry to sponsor \$300

V. Baseball Report: Emmanuel Branch

- Discussed proposed winter conditioning program
- Discussed selecting players for possible “special” team
- Need fundraising- will require sponsorships and separate fee

VI. Softball Report:

- Discussed current cities to be playing against for 25-26 season;
 - Monterey, Toro, Carmel, Seaside, and PG
 - Plan to invite Hollister and Pajaro

VII. Special Events Coordinator Report:

- \$12,500 approved budget
- Discussed possible end of season banquet
- Discussed Opening Day Parade; must talk to city first

VIII. Secretary Report: Jerriecha Balajadia

- Nominated Meme Jeeter as Special Events Coordinator
 - Laura seconds
 - Passed unanimously

IX. Field Improvements Report: Emmanuel Branch

- Cleaned under bleachers at LAMS
 - Landscapers may be blowing leaves under bleachers
- Plan to remove mound from Marina Vista

X. Fundraising/Sponsorship Coordinator: Kisha Grant-Black

- Dick's Sporting Goods to issue \$400 visa card
 - Dick's will provide coupon code to supplier wholesale
 - Stephen requests replacement banner
- Stephen will sponsor \$500 for Champions team

XI. Concessions Coordinator: Chelsea Gonzales

- Moving items out of snack bar on Saturday and offering discounted prices for goods that are close to expiration

XII. Uniform Coordinator: Karie Branch

- Discussed Minor League names;
 - Trash Pandas
 - Iron Pigs
 - Rubber Ducks
- Stephen motions to authorize \$800 for jersey samples for try-ons;
 - Christina seconds
 - Passed unanimously
- Texas company wants to outbid Ace;

- Ace: \$13.50 per hat
- Jerriecha suggests reaching out to local retailers to sell our merch

XIII. Volunteer Coordinator: Amber Edwards

- Suggests \$50 deposit for volunteer hours for 25-26 season
- Suggests investing in premium version of Signup Genius
 - Stephen motions to approve premium subscription

XIV. Social Media Coordinator: Laura Pryor

- Will post about upcoming coach interviews
 - 2 rounds of interviews; before and after Christmas
- Discussed creating a “team” on Teamsnap exclusively for coaches

XV. Open Items:

- Discussed pricing for league merchandise;
 - \$25 hats
 - \$30 blankets (\$5 off holiday sale)
 - \$1 sticker

XVI. Closing:

- Next meeting to be held on 1/6/26 at 6PM at Preston
- Meeting adjourned 8:09PM