

SUN CITY WEST SOFTBALL CLUB
General Membership Meeting
Wednesday, February 6, 2002

Meeting called to order by President Matt Szydowski at 10:03 AM

There were 39 members present.

Board of Director introduced.

- ◆ Bob Stouthamer gave a report on sponsors. There are 13 potential future sponsors.
Dick LeMoine gave a report on the progress of our new proposed scoring tower building. He explained the potential of paying for the building by selling billboards for outfield fence.
He also reported on the new idea that an equipment supplier (Anaconda) will refund, to the Club, on a quarterly basis, 4.5% of any purchases made by the Club or individuals.
- ◆ Jim McGuire reported on the need for everyone to be **PROPERLY** informed by reading the bulletin board. He also reported on the progress of the April 11 banquet.
Hugh Kelley reported on the status of uniforms and equipment.
Ray Murphy reported on the status of field maintenance and asked for once a month volunteers. It was voted on and approved to use the batting mats for one near future Thursday, to settle the replaced clay and dirt that will be done around home plate. A warning track suggestion will be explored.
- ◆ It was pointed out by Bill Frey that the outfield fence has barbs in certain areas that are very dangerous. It has been reported to Rec Center and plans are underway to correct.
Greg Johnston reported on the status of the National League. A committee has been formed to rewrite rules specifically geared to National League needs.
Ken Skinner reported on the 60's Club team. Anyone in that age group can contact Ron Blackwell, Ed Eckhardt or Ken Skinner for additional information.
The Spring Fling softball tournament will take place on March 7-9. Plans are tentative at this point.
- ◆ Luncheon ticket price, for the Softball League banquet, will be \$8.00 each.
Final payment of \$2,000 to Rec Center for bleacher covers will be made this week.
- ◆ A committee has been formed to look into raising membership dues.
It was suggested that General Membership meetings be held on days other than Wednesday-perhaps Monday.

Next General Membership Meeting will be in the fall. Time and place to be announced.
Meeting adjourned at 11:57 AM

Respectfully submitted

Jim McGuire, Secretary