2-23-20 Pre-Season

Members in attendance. David, Ethan, Staci, Ben, Jana, Katie, Kal

Meeting called to order: 3:23

- Rules discussion
  - o D2. D3.

RE Misfit toy v Kicking assets game.

Called in the middle of an inning for "Run rule" home team did not get a chance to finish the game. Home team always gets a chance to play offense.

Unless the home team is winning or the game is called for rain.

Email to captains.

- Will update to Home team always gets last bat
- Enough already rule
  - Add line that says 1 hour and 15 runs losing team "may" choose to call it
  - Keep the ref cancel at 1:20
  - Make sure the wording isn't just 5 innings but requires the time aspect as well
- Continuation rule
  - Keep it how we did in 2019 when there was a rain out with optional continuation
- Lineup shared spot change Rule C
  - Change the "May" to "must" in line 4 of C6
  - (take suggestion from "rules to review" doc
- First base runner rule
  - Will modify 365 rule for Preseason tourney and decide on it after
  - Can't make a play on the ball when the runner has passed the hash
- Gender rules
  - Tabled until we can ask how people feel
- Code of conduct for refs
  - Need to make sure that captains are aware they can agree on removal of a ref
  - Update rule that captains can agree to remove and the team that put them there will receive a forfeit if they don't have a replacement
  - If it continues to happen with same ref we will discuss IFUs
- Injured in first half of first inning
  - Put that there's no forfeit.
- Captaining or sponsoring more than one team
  - No rule change needed
- Video to overturn rule
  - No need add
- Beefing up L1
  - Add to the schedule
  - Add board will add contingincy dates to the rules
- E-sign waivers
  - Reach out to scott to see if he can add
- Changing teams

- Still not allowed
- O Who owns lineups?
  - Captains are ultimately in charge of them
  - Put on the bottom of the scoresheet who owns the issue
- Who is ranking ref?
  - There isn't one and we aren't changing it.
- IFUs
  - Define IFUs in the rules
  - Codify what each one means and punishments
- Merch -
  - David will check availability
  - o Add Team names to shirt make it a 2020 reach out to someone for design
  - Check out prices on leggings/socks
  - Cooler bags Jana to follow up
- Other establishments?
- Charity tourney
  - Possible ways to shorten the day
  - Lucia for afterparty?
  - Reduce
- Dates
  - Registration due 4/5
  - Start Season 5/17-8/30 (including 2 rainouts)
  - Charity tourney 4/26
  - Captains meeting/ref clinic 5/3 Lucia?
  - Kickball is for us 7/11
- Registration Dropoff at Cork and Barrel,
- Afterparty Come up with a way to get a better draw there
- St. Pats day need to help Katie get volunteers
- Special Olympics
  - o set it up similar to kickball is for us, stations
  - o 6th/13th/20th for possible days
- 501(c)3 Ben has to fill in stuff
- Scoreboard Sponsors
  - Freestate wants a new sign
    - 50/50 since they've been on there for over 3 years
- Charity look into stuff for hobbs improvements
- Phone tree -
  - Board members to set up a group chat with captains
- Denver league agreed to Ben to do

Meeting ended 6:40