

# OOB Ballpark Commission

## Meeting Notes

Meeting of the Ballpark Commission at 7PM on July 12, 2010 at the Ballpark

The following members of the Ballpark Commission were present:

Dana Furtado

David Goyet

Lucien Huot

Michael Bouffard

Paul Crossman

Sheila Flathers

Absent

Mark Gustin

Lowell Sanford Game Review..... Ticket Recap and Preliminary Expenses vs Income were presented and it appears we made over \$800 in Donations and the Concession Stand. We also now have a starting point to review what ticket outlets work best for getting folks to the games. It was discussed for future programs that we should look again at charging for parking. If we did charge for tickets, we could look at pricing in groups of Adults, Kids and Children under 12 Free.

### Immediate Needs

Paul received a call saying the power be shut of Thursday, July 15th for work on the new Police Station. Jack Turcotte will check that out as we can not have the Concession Stand without power due to freezers and refrigerators. It was suggest that a generator may need to be used during the downtime and that would be the responsibility of the builders.

Internet access-Time Warner has been working on a proposal... The cost for this would be covered by the Town

### Discussions with Solutions

The expansion joints will be addressed. Phil Weyenberg will get with Ken Shoup for instructions on how to complete the task. Jack Sarno would be available to help

Ballpark coverage once Paul goes back to work will be covered by setting appointments for deliveries

It was decided that we would have lock boxes for the Ballpark so that others could have access to certain gates/buildings

Discussions regarding volunteers covering certain hours that the facility could be opened we discussed without a resolution. Still talking about having coverage from the Rec Dept also

Mark Gustin called Tommy and there is a 5x15 Electronic Scoreboard for sale in Orleans, MA. Members agreed that if we could get it for \$400 it would be to good to pass up at this time. We will need contact and address info before we can get a PO

### New

Doug Ayotte from the NECBL (New England Collegiate Baseball League) asked to address the Commission about the possibility of relocating the team from Lowell to OOB. The Commission set a special meeting for July 19th to review, discuss and set next steps if so voted.

Jack Sarno requested we get supplies to complete the handicap areas (Finished Pine to go around the Plexiglas

Tommy brought up establishing a Maintenance Budget to cover paying folks for Field preparation/maintenance. We could do this through sign solicitations. All were in favor of this proposal as we could schedule more games if we had funds to cover time spent in maint, field prep and closings.