

OOB Ballpark Commission

Meeting Notes

Meeting of the Ballpark Commission at 7PM on May 23 2011 at the Ballpark

The following members of the Ballpark Commission were present:

Allan Graves

Dana Furtado

Lucien Huot

Mark Gustin

Michael Bouffard

Sheila Flathers

Absent

Paul Crossman

Minutes from May 9th were accepted

Dru LaDuke reported that we are still waiting final figures/input from the USCAA Tournament

Mike Bouffard commented on the great grounds crew and the compliments that the coaches and other attendees mentioned

If we do again we should discuss different options to finance/support the event....

We did note that the Tournament t not only is to make money but to promote the town and businesses.

We will get Thank you notes out to the sponsors

Dana Furtado mentioned that we should promote the fact that Old Orchard Beach was the home of the 2010-2011 USCAA Tournament

Concession prices have been addressed by Jack T, Jen and Charlie and will be adjusted down slightly

Dana suggested we revisit the sponsor of the tournament and see if they will continue as Ballpark Supports

Jen said that we had received a donation towards a new sound system. The town has purchased the system used for the Tournament at a reduced price. It has been noted that we will need a wireless mike at some point.

June 8th is the United Way day of caring. 32 people have signed up but we may have up to 60. Tommy will get a list of things to be done but among them may be pressure washing, cleaning out behind the outfield fence, batting cage, souvenir stand, plaques for seats.

Windam AAU may have some games

Alan mentioned 8/27 as a potential Barney Martin concert

The field crew will consist of Brian Payea, Al Lappin, Joe Slattery and Jim Doran

Dana mentioned that we should be pushing for the seat plaques... all agreed. They are currently being sold through the concession stand and at MacDonalds.