Paradise Men's Slo-Pitch AGM Mar 29, 2016

1. Election of League Executive

President – Steve Freeman Vice President – Dale Miller Treasurer – Mike Scott Stats – Brian Kinsella

2. Schedule for 2016 season

No games to be played during Nationals weekend (July 31). If we have a weekend with no games, use Tuesday and Wednesday for single games, instead of waiting until the end of the season. Potentially shorten the length of the season for 20 or 22 games instead of 25. Opening and Closing tournament possibilities. Check for field availability for an opening weekend on May 27-29. If weekend is available, no need to shorten the schedule.

3. Fair Play Rule

If players show up to the field, and want to play, then all players play.

4. Player Pick up

If teams do not have enough players to play a game, teams are allowed to pick up players from other teams. Teams can pick up, up to 4 players to give the team a maximum of 10 players in the batting order. The League will ask that all teams ask their teams if any of their players want to be added to a league pick up list. This list will be distributed to all team captains for player pick up if needed. Pick-ups will not be allowed in the playoffs.

5. League Constitution

The league will meet, and invite long standing league members, to develop a constitution for the league.

6. New Players to the League

The league will ask the team captain to ask their teams about options for adding new players to the league. Option 1, Bring back new players registration, draft with a draft game ; or, Option 2, Add new players the same as last season, by picking names from the wait list.

If Option 1 is the chosen option, the predetermined number of spots in the league will go to the first players who register with the league. Teams lists will be due April 30 for teams to put forward names of returning players. If there are more players who arrive on registration day (May 14), then they will be listed on the wait list in order that they sign up, and offered spots in the league as they come up in the same order. Once all names from the registration day wait list are dissolved, then teams can take players from the wait list. The internet waitlist will have a cutoff date, determined by the league.

7. Playoffs

League to ask Team Captains to ask their teams to vote on options for the playoffs. Option 1, hold a closing tournament for the league; Option 2, have a playoff round robin with top 2 teams playing for the championship; or Option 3, keep playoffs status quo to what they have been for the past few seasons (top 2 teams receive a bye, 3vs6/4vs5 in a 2 out of 3 series, the winners advance to a 2 out of 3 series versus teams 1 and 2, with the winner of those series playing in a best 3 out of 5 series for the finals).

If option 1 is selected, and field time is not available, the league can work with the Masters league for a weekend in September, or look for another field to play (potentially Mount Pearl)

8. Banquet

The league to explore options of a league banquet. If there is a closing tournament, the league could hold the banquet on the Saturday night of the weekend to hold a banquet at the softball hut.

9. Minimum Games Played

Players must play 40% of team games to be eligible for play in playoffs. The League can make exceptions for extenuating circumstances (work away, injury, etc.). Team captains are responsible for letting players on their teams know how many games they have played. Stats will have to be kept up to date. League will enforce any players that are not eligible for playoffs, or exemptions. If players are injured during the season, they are asked to provide proof then instead of waiting for playoffs to try and prove a pervious injury.

10. Trades

Trades will be excepted by the league if two teams can agree upon a trade