

The Kansas City Metro Senior Softball League Board of Directors meet at 1:00 pm, on July 13, 2025, via a Microsoft Teams Meeting ID: 280 657 014 189 4 Passcode: wM6Mo9pj

Present at the meeting were Clint Berger, Susan Scholler, Paul Heacock, Bobby Gregg, Ann Willkett (left meeting at 1:58), Ed Stolz, Bob Fama, Mark Kenney, Barry Gordon, John Dehan, Susan Enyeart, Monte Johnson, John Mondi, Missing were Billy Boos (Bobby has his proxy) & Jeff Harlan (Clint has his proxy, left meeting at 2:44)

1. **Call To Order –** Berger called the meeting to order at 1:03 pm
2. **Read / approve minutes from June 14th - 2025 meeting -** Heacock made a motion to approve the minutes, seconded by John Dehan. Passed 15-0-0.
3. **Treasurer’s Report -** Paul Heacock sent out the written reports for everyone’s review. Ann Willkett made a motion to approve the treasurer's report, seconded by John Dehan. Passed 15-0-0.
4. **COMMITTEE REPORTS** [Default is “No Report” -- unless indicated with an “**R**,” for Report]:
5. **All Star Games / Picnic I. Manager’s / Player’s Survey Q. Rules & Protests**
6. **Awards J. Marketing + Draft**
7. **Board Nominations K. Membership Database / Dues + Men’s Competitive**
8. **By Laws L. Military Service Wall + Women’s & Co-Ed**
9. **Equipment / Safety / Health M. Mission Statement / Goals R. Social Media**
10. **Finance N. New Members / Welcoming R S. Special Projects**
11. **Legal / Risk Management O. Operations Notebook T. Sportsmanship**
12. **Long Range Planning P. Player / Team Ratings U. Tournaments V. Umpires**

**N. New Members/Welcoming – Mark Kenney –** 922 current members, last year at this time we had 928.

1. **OLD BUSINESS:**
2. **Wes Weddle RFP update – tournament at the Homefield-Legends complex (Hendrikse) – No update from Dave.**
3. **2025 “Day at the K” update (Enyeart) –** Susan E – We do have a registration link to purchase tickets. Confirmed for August 29. Sections 108 109 $49.00 and section 208 - $39.00. Discounted parking. We can have ten people on the field for batting practice. On the marquee. We can do a tailgate of our… They will do a veteran’s recognition during the game for everyone, or just for our League. Susan Enyeart suggested that we recognize Dick Skinner and then the rest of the First Responders and Veterans.
4. **Wounded Warrior tournament (Mike Thompson) –** No update
5. **2025 All-Star Games / Picnic / Skills Contests / Raffle / Swap Meet (ALL) –** Clint Berger – we are going to do the swap meet and it has been confirmed with Kyle Schnabel (Olathe P&R). We need to get raffle items.
6. **Board Appreciation Event – Wiffle Ball option is out. What next? Date? (Gordon) –** Clint Berger – our contact for this location is selling the property, so we will not be able to utilize the field and location. We can set up a wiffle ball field somewhere else and still have a game. Looking at possibly doing it after the All-star game at John Dehan’s house. We will confirm at the next meeting.
7. **NEW BUSINESS:**
8. **Annual Membership Meeting – December 6th – Tomahawk Ridge Community Center (Paid) –** Clint Berger has already paid for it and got it scheduled.
9. **Purchase of softballs for 2026 Wes Weddle tournament (Gregg, Berger) –** Clint Berger – they were going to purchase balls and Heacock brought up that we had already purchased balls, but they were for league, not for the tournament. Gregg, Heacock, and Berger will get together and determine how many we will need to order.
10. **Update on second phase of Wes Weddle promo picture reporting (Mondi) –** John Mondi is implementing sending pictures to the managers from the tournament. Launching it today. He will send us the information letter.
11. **Wes Weddle 2026 tournament location other than Hartman Park? (ALL) -** 
    * **Markey Park—Belton, MO – 5 natural fields (3-300ft, and 2-350ft) centered around concession unit -**
    * **Happy Rock Park—Gladstone, MO – 5 natural fields (3-300ft, 2-275ft) central concessions. Biggest negative...extremely shallow (dept-wise) dugouts**
12. **Update on status of 2025 waiver forms completed and submitted (Heacock) -**
13. **All-Star Game selections / pairings (Gregg) –** Tuesday Independence draft will play in the coed game. 70’s Tuesday vs Monday draft. Saturday draft vs Thursday draft. Women. Coed. 60 Blackbob vs 60 Independence. Sat competitive vs Tuesday competitive.
14. **Susan E** suggested we make a special page on our website for the first responders in our league. Susan E will write up something to put in the newsletter for this.

**Items desired to be included in July Newsletter email blast (BOARD preferences / suggestions)**

* **KCMSSL’s Sponsor’s Corner – Segment 1**
* **Picnic / All-Star Games / Raffle / Skills Contests / Swap Meet**
* **Day at the K**

**SET DATE FOR NEXT MEETING** (suggestion….) Next meeting will be August 10 at 1:00 pm.

Meeting adjourned at 3:03 pm.

**2025 2026 2027**

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