



Open Meeting:

To: Open Meeting Attendees	Date: 3/8/10
Cc: DGS Board of Directors	Location: Onion Town Grill
	Time: 6:30pm

Meeting Purpose: March Open meeting for 2010 Season
Attendees:

Agenda:

- Welcome 2010 coaches!
- Assigned coaches & assistants must get three forms in to Registrar (Coaches App, Coaches Agreement, CORI)
 - ALL additional help must complete CORI's – Head coaches responsibility
- Treasurers Report
- Registration Update (as of March 5th)
 - TBall 40 players 6 Teams (in search of 4 coaches)
 - Junior 72 players 8 Teams
 - Minor 81 players 9 Teams; Max 13 players per roster (dropped Eagles from 09)
 - Intermediate 95 players 9 Teams; max 13 players per roster
 - Senior 146 13 Teams; Max 14 players per roster (dropping 1 team from 09)
- Tryout logistics

Intermediate	March 13	Reg 10:00	T/outs 10:15-11:45	HS Field House
Senior	March 13	Reg 11:45	T/outs Noon-1:30	HS Field House
Minor	March 13	Reg 1:30	T/outs 1:45-3:15	HS Field House
- Try-out notes
 - Coaches are not allowed to speak to players during try-outs. Assistants welcome; should be adults
 - New coaches to the league – refrain from suggesting players re-enter the draft
 - New coaches or new to a league; name an assistant up until Thursday. If not, you name after draft
 - Returning coaches; not allowed to name new assistants if last years assistants daughter is still rostered
- Draft – March 29th @ Devcon, 30 Endicott St; Minor 6pm, Inter 7:15, Sr 8:30 (Head & 1 Asst)
- Draft Method
 - Assistant's coaches established 1st round, or 3rd round if deemed non impact player
 - Teams with less than 4 returning players pick first in reverse order of standings to complete 4 per team as core
 - First round starts with last place team (regular season standings) & moves up
 - Players not showing to tryouts will be drawn from hat at end unless "rated" by Coaches draft night. If "rated", they are allowed to be drafted in the rounds
- Umpire Clinic; April 3rd @ Holton Richmond 10-Noon
- Regular season will start April 26th
- Parade May 1st. 9:45 across from Ma Dukes. All players must have uniforms/team banners – No Senior Lg
- NO PRACTICE ON DGS FIELDS UNTIL OFFICIALLY OPEN; WEBSITE WILL POST OPENING
 - Practice is 1st come 1st serve; TBall & Jr stay off larger fields; Mr, Int & Sr stay off small fields
- DGS Updates - League updates will be at website; check frequently... www.danversgirlssoftball.com

- RAIN OUT hotline number – 978-739-2035. Updated 1 hour prior to games
- Snack Bar update
- DGS 6th Annual Summer Invitational – July 30-Aug 1st (This year it will run as a “B” tournament)
- League Banquet/Awards Night – June 24th (Minor, Int & Senior League) 6th year
- Team Sponsors; All but one team
- Format for TBall, Junior & Minor league to establish consistent uniform level of training
 - Course guideline to be followed & Directors will spot check
- Coaches shirts – DGS will furnish 2 shirts per team (Head & listed assistant)
 - Additional shirts can be purchased for \$20 each
 - 2 sizes should be provided at Draft / TBall & Jr email Directors by April 1st
- Equipment Day – April 10th 8-Noon @ EZ Storage on 114. Need survey completed prior
- **MANDATORY COACHES MEETING; ALL LEAGUES ALL TEAMS REPRESENTED**
 - APRIL 12th 6:30pm – 9:00pm (tentative high school caf and Field House)
 - Ultimately it’s the head coaches responsibility to assure team representation
 - Meeting agenda:
 - League & coaching expectations
 - Discount cards handed out with expectation
 - Snack Bar team assignment
 - Umpire checks provided per appropriate league
 - Uniform pickup
 - Breakout groups to go over league rules – Some leagues changing
 - Coaches Clinic provided by Tara Petrocelli
- Key notes
 - Sponsors
 - Coaching positions
- Open Discussion

NEXT MEETINGS:

OPEN **April 12th** **6:30 – 9pm High School Cafeteria**