

*MBUA*

*Meeting*

*Minutes*

*January*

*10,2016*

*\* Called to order by President Gaitane at 10AM*

*\* Secretary's Report Accepted DelGrosso/Matthews*

*\* Treasurers Report Accepted Chabot/DiMare*

*\* Correspondence*

*DH Rule - Tournament may change to re entry for DH / Leagues may adopt / MIAA to decide in March*

*Fake Tag Rule - Proposed by State Interpreter Clews to MIAA / Baseball Committee to hear again in March / Issues with policy and protocol used for the proposal to be made before proposal being presented to the MBUA*

*Motion to Accept the Fake Tag Martinelli / Rabideau Approved*

*Tournament Updates - Dugout problems are Site Directors responsibility*

*Umpire selection - The selection criteria drawn up by a committee comprised, and given power of approval by MBUA are only recommended.*

*(Rabideau, Matthews, Parker, Martinelli, Levine, Andrade, Gaitane, Duffy, DiMare, Clews, Simm, Stelluto, Fredericks)*

*\* Old Business*

*MIAA Registration - Super Group is needed for assigners*

*State Exam - Received and sent out last night / Do not post on local web-sites until after April 1*

*MLB Clinic - August 21, is a tentative date / trying for Fenway, maybe LeLacher / registration at nebuc.com / Free / Hoping for 200 attendees / Full Scholarships available*

*Local MBUA Rosters due by April 1*

*MBUA Massachusetts HS Baseball Rule Booklet - Tabled DiMare /Meffen*

*\* New Business*

*Fee increases / 7% less than all of NE / Freeze for 3 years / there is no clock in baseball / Lesser Mercy Rule? / Delinquent pay issues from schools - DelGrosso attending MIAA GOC tomorrow and will discuss matters - to be reported back to the MBUA*

*(DiMare, Duffy, Parker, Stelluto, Clews, DelGrosso, Newton, Rabideau, Bentson, Vantre, Sr., Fredericks)*

*Interpreters Meeting on February 28 - Recent MLB and MIAA updates / E-mail Tom Clews with things to include of interest*

*(Clews, Parker)*

*Lawrence HS YTE donation - MBUA webmasters are MBUA member/teacher, and his students / \$500 proposed Martinelli / Hansbury Approved*

*Equipment providers - AllSports, Gerry Davis and Honigs / Submit local member rosters to vendors for discounts / Possible presentation to MBUA*

*(Chabot, Martinelli, Bentson, DiMare)*

*\* Adjourn - Matthews / Musk Approved*

*Submitted,*

*Bryan*

*Andrade, Sec/Treas, MBUA*

*Attendance*

*Cape Cod - Musk,Rabideau*

*Central - DelGrosso,J.Byrne,D'Angelo,Parker*

*Eastern - Myles,Clews*

*Greater Berkshire - Singleton,Haile,Reilly*

*Greater Lawrence - Martinelli,Simm*

*Greater Lowell - M.Byrne,Hansbury*

*Merrimack Valley - Chabot*

*North Central - Boudreau,Stelluto,Racine*

*North Shore - Carroll,Newton*

*South Shore - DiMare,Bentson,Duffy*

*Southern - Crossman,Fredericks*

*Southeastern - Rose,Brough,Andrade*

*Western - Meffen,Matthews*

*Worcester - Levine,Martin,Vantre,Sr.,Gaitane*