

Citrus Park Women's Softball Executive Board Meeting Minutes

March 27, 2025

Present: Connie Hill, Rita Seabrook, Karen Richardson, Grace Albers, Kelly Grys, Sandy Berg, Gail Colligan, Kathy Kuenstler

Absent: Shelia Fowks, Sue Rabbage, Shari Moore, Terri D'Imperio

President Connie Hill called the meeting to order at 12:15 p.m.

The minutes of the March 11, 2025 meeting were reviewed and approved.

Committee Reports:

President-Elect Sheila Fowks The new board members will meet Saturday March 29, 2025 in the conference room from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Past President Sue Rabbage No Report

Lois Droogsma, who is part of the banquet committee, stated the banquet will begin with happy hour at 4:00 and dinner at 5:00. The Rec Hall is providing the meal and the band that was to play canceled due to an overbooking. Evarista has agreed to provide music at the banquet.

Registrar We currently have 42 players signed up to play. Grace will write up a post with price increase deadlines.

Ratings Sandy Berg Managers' end-of-year ratings have not been completed yet but are expected to be finished soon.

Team Selection / Player Placement Rita Seabrook We needed a total of 92 replacements for the 2025 season. There have been 26 recorded slides by multiple women, with no injuries other than needing a few band aids.

Terry D'Imperio is set to replace Rita and is working on getting new recruits for player placements.

Member at Large Gail Colligan Gail said she will deliver rewards to Club House by 3:00 p.m. for distribution at the banquet.

The order of presentation for banquet was discussed, Connie is working on an outline.

There are two people interested in taking over the remaining year of Gail's term. The new board will select either Cindy Linda or Shelly Quick which is an assigned position and will be decided by new Board members.

Umpire in Chief Karen Richardson The 2025 season has been completed. Karen reported that the new umpires are doing a good job learning the rules and all the fundamentals for being a senior league umpire.

New shirts will be ordered for next year.

There was a discussion regarding clarification on the meaning of some calls such as what the difference between how incidental, intentional or obstruction calls are determined. It was mentioned to possibly review next year.

Managers' Representative Kelly Gryz A pitching clinic was held on March 21. 14 showed up and 7 had prior experience. It was mentioned that another pitching clinic should be held next fall. Kelly discussed that there needs to be clarification and procedures regarding what is expected of the Managers' Representative. Team managers are meeting to discuss league awards.

Old Business - No Report

New Business There was a discussion regarding changing the 2 different rating scales. Motion made by Rita to approve 1 to 10 scale and was seconded by Kelly. Motion passed unanimously.

Rita stated that she was asked to address foul language from players during games. The constitution states that it is an umpire's responsibility to address unsportsmanlike behavior. Managers' will be encouraged to discuss and promote professional conduct to their team.

A discussion was held regarding what the official method of communication should be for ball players. A suggestion was to insert a header or link in the CP Softball website for Women's League Communications,

There was a brief discussion regarding males being spokespersons for female team and was stated will be addressed by new board.

The meeting was called to adjourn by Sandy and seconded by Gail

The next meeting will be March 29, 2025 in Conference Room at the Club House

Respectfully submitted,

Kathy Kuentler, Secretary