



## Meeting Minutes for April 13, 2026

**DATE:** Monday, April 13th, 2026

**TIME:** 8:00pm

**LOCATION:** CMHA Boardroom

Attendees: Nathan Kathol, Ryan McMillan, Corey Bentein, Lesley Bentein, Tamara Giles, Dwayne Billingsley, Amie Harvey, Lori Maier, Melissa Fair & Lyndsey Norgaard

1. **Welcome and call to orders**
  - Nathan called the meeting to order at 8:05 pm
2. **Reception of Visitors**
  - No visitors
3. **Approval of Agenda:**
  - a. Motion to approve agenda made by Melissa Fair and seconded by Amie Harvey.
4. **Approval of prior Meeting Minutes:**
  - b. Motion to approve meeting minutes made by Nathan Kathol, seconded by Lesley Bentein.
5. **Unfinished Business:**
  - No unfinished business
6. **Report of Officers**
  - a. **President – Nathan Kathol**
    - Association**
      - Challenger Day Registration: we are set up for **May 9th**, please relay to teams and coaches to please help out, 10am to 12pm, have one softball team confirmed. Softball tournament is on so we are not sure about any more softball girls. U15 is going and possibly High School Team.
      - Nathan's team is hosting at Red Carpet on May 9th
      - Challenger day is a day for athletes with a disability to come out and play a couple games with our kids. Ages 10 and up.
      - Diamonds have to be done this weekend or next week. Snow Thursday, good weather on Saturday and Sunday. ID camp on Saturday April 18th. Saturday or Sunday for the razor. Fundraiser on Sunday. Need 6 people, find receivers, rip them up. Seacan needs to be emptied before too.
      - SB Coaching/Catching Clinic (Kerry Holliday & Ryan McMillan) scheduled for April 2nd, 16th, and 23rd at SMP. Possibly the final date will be April 30th outside (currently underway, Ryan/Melissa can comment on how day one went)
      - Signed Permit for Rental Agreement with CRCA for 2026 (March 23, 2026)
      - All indoor space at SMP has been allocated for the month of April, please ensure your teams use it. Not optional use of indoor space. Needs to be used.

- Scheduled two baseball catching clinics, Don Vanholin, April 14th for Juniors, CNBL and 18U, April 22nd for minors and majors, changing date to April 29th for minors and majors
- Seacans have not been booked yet for Our Lady of Wisdom or Prairie Waters. The city guy wants to meet at Prairie Waters to determine placement of seacan. Lesley will meet with them to finalize placement. Last year we rented an 8 ft seacan but will be renting a 9 ft seacan this year for more room to accommodate the tractor. Need to be there soon as opening weekend is April 25th

#### **Crushers Improvement Items:**

- Bring forward any ideas that can help make the Program better today and the future

- **Generators** buy 1 or 2 for pitching/throwing machines (still pending - need to secure quotes)
- Nathan Kathol makes a Motion to approve Purchase of 2 generators, not totalling more than \$1,000 each (should be ~ \$750 each, if you know anyone selling one....) second by Corey Bentein. All in favour. Passed.

#### **Quad** for Diamond Maintenance at Red Carpet & Season Diamond Opening (still pending)

- Currently reviewing insurance requirements with Little League Alberta and Baseball Alberta (I think we can get covered through LL property insurance, reaching out and evaluating how other organizations do this). Has to be managed. Shouldn't need a license plate because it's not going on the road.
- Nathan Kathol makes a Motion to approve Purchase of 1 Quad/Four Wheeler, not totalling more than \$10,000 (Should be \$5,000 to \$10,000 used, looking for 500CC or larger, if you know anyone selling one....) second by Amie Harvey. All in favour. Passed.

#### **40 Foot Seacan** at CRCA, with 4 side doors and one end door (image attached)

- met with Mike Moore, CRCA manager at noon, March 25th to confirm Seacan placement plan, and order of operations for removing Silver Seacan, moving the White Seacan to place the New 40ft seacan, and then once white seacan is emptied, moving to where CRCA wants it place. Seacan plan is approved by CRCA
- Seacan quoted and on hold from G4IS (40HC 4 Door Side) with delivery to CRCA tentatively setup for April 17th, pending weather
- Seacan cost with G4IS Modular decals on the 4 corners of the seacan (8" decals) = **\$7,600 + GST** delivered to CRCA. Took \$500 off so he could put company decals on it.
- x6 timbers to set the new seacan on
- Buy some lumber to segment the seacan into 4 separate units and build shelves

- Pay to move the white seacan on a tow truck to behind the Rec Center
- Nathan Kathol makes a motion to approve purchase of Seacan from G4iS with delivery to CRCA for \$7600 + GST, second by Ryan McMillan, All in favour. Passed.
- Nathan Kathol makes a motion to approve expenditures for Timbers, Lumber, Shelving, and White Seacan move not totalling more than \$3,000, needing a framer to fabricate lockers in the seacan. Second by Corey Bentein. All in favour. Passed.
- Need someone who has a trailer. Drag silver seacan to drag it out 20 feet. Tom is bringing in a bobcat to level land and place seacan back in. Needs to happen this week as all diamonds are being done next week. Needing to get rid of the silver seacan.

**Batting Cage** at CRCA (Below is an estimate for a Batting Cage representation, attached is a representation or the build and where placement would be. Hoping to have completed for April)

- \$5260 = Posts, Powder Coating & Cabling (*Revolve Industries*)
- \$3750 = Augering Holes, Concrete, Setting Posts, Building Chain Link Cage with Two Gates (*Gateworks*)
- \$1500 = Net for Batting Cage, 70 x 14 x 12 (*networldsports.ca*)
- +/- **\$10,510 Total**
- **\$15,000 Budget** for Batting Cage (will need L-Screen, Hitting Mats, etc)
- Met with Mike Moore, if we are putting in a batting cage we won't be paying for the green space. He said that was fine. Could have a full hitting & pitching practice.
- CRCA lease ends December 2029. Went to the city to ask if the batting cage can stay after they take over the lease. We did get approval from CRCA and the City of Chestermere. Will be a 2 day build which is approved with CRCA.
- Nathan Kathol makes a motion to approve a Batting Cage Budget of ~\$15,000 second by Ryan McMillan. All in favour. Passed.

b. **Past President** - No report.

c. **Vice President -Ryan McMillan**

- No report.

d. **Treasurer – Lesley Bentien**

- Profit and Loss report attached
- Trial Balance report attached
- AGLC Annual financial report has been completed and submitted.
- Requested and received WestJet raffle licence from AGLC for the Highschool Softball team. The draw date is Apr 25. The 18UAA team is also trying to apply for a WestJet raffle. (pdf attached)
- Received notice effective April 1st of new Teamsnap credit card processing rates. They are now 3.5% + \$1.50, which is up from 3.25% + \$1.50. (pdf attached)

- Received notice effective May 10th of QuickBooks Online increase to \$110 + GST from \$95. This seems to be an annual increase. (pdf attached)
- Payment was made by Crushers for the Umpire clinic gym rental and an invoice was created and paid for by Baseball Alberta for reimbursement.
- Payment for the new seacan has been made.
- Paid out March's portion of the indoor space rental at SMTP.

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## Profit and Loss

September 1, 2025 - April 12, 2026

	TOTAL
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INCOME	
REGISTRATIONS	
BASEBALL ALBERTA SEASON FEES	14,637.51
BASEBALL ALBERTA TRYOUT FEES	3,564.51
LITTLE LEAGUE/ INSTRUCTIONAL	29,038.08
SOFTBALL	22,480.49
WINTER CAMP	2,632.27
<b>Total REGISTRATIONS</b>	<b>72,352.86</b>
<b>Total Income</b>	<b>\$72,352.86</b>
<b>GROSS PROFIT</b>	<b>\$72,352.86</b>
EXPENSES	
ADMINISTRATION	830.00
SUBSCRIPTIONS	2,006.40
<b>Total ADMINISTRATION</b>	<b>2,836.40</b>
ADVERTISING / PROMOTIONAL	1,170.07
AGLC (OUT)	
AGLC - BANK FEES	18.00
<b>Total AGLC (OUT)</b>	<b>18.00</b>
BANK FEES	108.85
COACH_TRAIN	73.55
DIAMOND RENTAL	2,193.59
EQUIPMENT	1,041.45
FACILITY RENTAL	8,222.41
LEGAL / ACCTG/ PROFESSIONAL	2,625.00
STORAGE	8,005.00
SUPPLIES / BALLS	4,149.52
TOURNAMENT REGISTRATION FEE	707.62
UNIFORM	6,107.54
WINDUP	268.00
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>\$37,527.00</b>
OTHER INCOME	
INTEREST EARNED	120.61
<b>Total Other Income</b>	<b>\$120.61</b>
<b>PROFIT</b>	<b>\$34,946.47</b>
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Trial Balance  
As of April 12, 2026

	DEBIT	CREDIT
GAMING ACCOUNT 4114	3,231.48	
OPERATING ACCOUNT 4411	210,731.81	
OPERATING ACCOUNT 4411:ROCKYVIEW GRANT ACCOUNT	0.00	
Petty Cash	0.00	
Accounts Receivable (A/R)	175.00	
Accrued Interest	0.00	
GIC	2,278.98	
Uncategorized Asset	0.00	
Accounts Payable (A/P)		0.00
VISA CC	198.41	
Accrued Liabilities		1,500.00
Deferred revenue		3,249.48
Opening Balance Equity		0.00
Retained Earnings		176,919.73
REGISTRATIONS:BASEBALL ALBERTA SEASON FEES		14,637.51
REGISTRATIONS:BASEBALL ALBERTA TRYOUT FEES		3,564.51
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<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$254,142.68</b>	<b>\$254,142.68</b>

e. **Secretary – Lori Maier**

- No report

f. **Registrar – Amie Harvey**

- CRCA Memberships: List sent March 16 - Missing for 12 Softball and 10 Little League players. Will send a list of new registrants soon for verification.
- Come try softball. Post in new communities.
- Refunds have been issued for Early Bird Discounts that were miscalculated for families registering
- Current Registration #'s Below
- Team snap coaches pack. The demo is really informative. Gives drills for players, based on age group, and can set up practice plans. It's an extra fee to add on to our membership. It is included in Teamsnap one and Teamsnap one is not more expensive.
- Teamsnap one has a different registration, more combined. Won't be for this season but an option for next year. The package to add on the coaches pack to teamsnap for this year is at a cost of \$1200.

			Updated:	4/12/26				
<b>Winter Training Camp</b>								
<b>Catching Clinic</b>								
<b>Instructional</b>	TBall M/W	18	30					
	TBall T/Th	12						
	Coach Pitch M/W	22	33					
	Coach Pitch T/Th	11						
<b>Little League</b>	Minors	41	82					
	Majors	32						
	Juniors	9						
	Seniors	0						
				Waitlisted - 3				
<b>Baseball Alberta</b>	11U (Underage)	0	46	<b>Total Combined with Strathmore</b>				
	11U	3		12	C- 3 Dropped			
	13U	5		35	C- 1 Dropped			
	15U	16		41	C -2 Dropped, 2 injured, S-1 Drop 1 Injured			
	18U	18		35	S- 1 Dropped			
	18U (Overage)	4						
<b>BA CNBL</b>	CNBL 18U	13	13	Waitlisted -1				
	CNBL 22U	0						
	CNBL 22U (Overage)	0						
<b>Softball</b>	U9	14	59					
	U11	8						
	U13	10						
	U15	14						
	U17 U19	13						
				- 1 moved from U9 to U11				
				- 1 refund provided				
	<b>TOTAL</b>	263						

g. **Baseball Development – Corey Bentein**



8. **Reports of Coordinators**

a. **Fundraising - Vacant**

- No report

b. **Webmaster – Jodie Hassett**

- No report

c. **Equipment Manager – vacant**

- No report

d. **Apparel Manager - Sabrina Green**



e. **Diamond Scheduler - vacant**

- Softball slowpitch schedule just came in. We are going to need every diamond possible. Will start putting the diamond schedule together. Softball schedule hasn't come out yet. Need to get diamonds scheduled asap. Can add in the batting cage as a practice.

f. **Umpire in Chief - Dwayne Billingsley**

- NUCP Umpire Clinic school rental confirmed, paid for, and invoiced to BA with repayment received from BA (Dwayne can elaborate on)
- Chestermere has 5 level one certified for fastpitch.

- 58 people on the list, 5 administrators, need to update it based on people who have moved or don't umpire anymore. We can only have 60 umpires and we are at 58. Need to remove those not available anymore. Have 13 new level one ready to be added. 5 level two from Strathmore. May delete anyone who has not replied or committed. Need to free up space for new umpires.
- Need to get shirts once they are all in the system.
- Need listing of **Umpires and Volunteers** to finalize insurance, due May 15, 2026 to be submitted to info@littleleagueab.ca including full mailing addresses, email addresses, birthdates, gender, and phone contacts.
- Went to Langdon board meeting. They want a letter about a few softball items. Major contention about umpires. Game coordinator and umpire advocate rule. Needs to be implemented better. If an umpire is under the age of 18 they can have a parent as an advocate. They have to go to the plate meeting. D8 has implemented lanyards for umpire advocates. The final inning starts after 2 hours. Coaches delaying games so they don't have to play an inning won't be allowed anymore, the umpire can report the coach if it is an unwarranted delay.
- If a coach gets kicked out and the advocate was not on the field the coach could get an extra game suspension.

**g. Instructional – Lyndsey Norgaard**

- Coach items: binders, shirts to teams?
- Score books have been ordered
- No coaches for TBall Tues/Thurs, move to Mon/Wed?
- Another email sent out looking for coaches, no options, has to be sorted out by the 20th.
- Check on U17 & U19 kids to help out.
- Coach pitch has coaches
- May 9th pictures for Instructional and Little League
- Booked the windup for June 20th in the lounge at the rec. centre. No access to the kitchen.

**h. Little League – vacant (Tamara Giles to cover until filled)**

- LL Charter Application Submitted to LL Canada (March 25, 2026)
- Teams selected and equipment handed out
- Little League Update - coaches, practices, equipment, jerseys
- Little League Interlock Schedule
- Ordering Gift Balls - 110 - same as last year just different year
- Background Checks - 3 years? Alberta Softball is 3 years, Little League is 3 years but may be 3 years now.
- Langdon has been granted the Western Little League Championship. Their diamonds need tons of work.

**i. Softball – Melissa Fair**

- More squishy balls for parade, there is a box in the seacan.
- New rep division this season in Calgary minor softball.
- When will Diamond prep be?

- Opening weekend is April 25th, do we have chalk, coaches books
- Pitching clinic with Kerrie for U9
- Put in order for hats and hoodies but waiting on prices. Nathan approved prices. Times Two Production. Worried about embroidery but it is done there so we should be able to get it done.
- Waitlist U9 - one on waitlist. 12 players. Play with 6 players on the field. Develop 6 while 6 play and rotate. Could send the one player on the waitlist to the minors.
- Prairie Waters and Our Lady of Wisdom will have time on the weekends for practices.
- Another pitching clinic on April 16th, will need to set up team bags and balls after the 16th. Need to deliver coaches bags before opening weekend. Hand out catchers equipment then take it back?

**j. Baseball Alberta – Nathan Kathol**

- Increase Red Carpet Time to prevent weekend booking (submitted March 23 to the City of Calgary). Red Carpet is booked Saturday mornings 9am to 12pm by an outside group. Diamonds are going to be trashed, and the mound is going to need to be rebuilt after every game.
- Submit porta potty request City of Calgary for Red Carpet - done March 19th, have not received confirmation as of yet
- 311 for additional shale for Red Carpet, ticket was closed and request was forwarded to Calgary Parks and Open Spaces Business Unit, has not had new shale for 6 or 7 years. They usually just dump it and we have to prep the diamond.
- BA/CNBL/SB Jerseys on order through ATAC (Times2) (March 30, 2026), they are paying for jerseys but they are getting hats from the association
- Submitted BA 18U Roster and Diamond availability to Baseball Alberta (March 30th, 2026)
- CNBL 18U Rosters and Diamond availability submitted to CNBL (March 31st, 2026)..

**k. Safety Coordinator - Lori Maier**

- No report

**7. Set next meeting:**

- Monday May 4th, 2026 @ 8:00pm

**8. Motion to Adjourn @ 10:05 pm by Nathan Kathol, Seconded by Melissa Fair.**









# Raffle Licence

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## CHESTERMERE ROCKY VIEW LITTLE LEAGUE (685439)

(Licensee)

223 HAWKMERE RD  
CHESTERMERE, ALBERTA  
T1X 1T5

(Address)

IS LICENSED TO OPERATE A RAFFLE EVENT, IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF THE *GAMING AND LIQUOR ACT*, THE *GAMING AND LIQUOR REGULATION*, AGLC POLICIES AND ALL TERMS AND CONDITIONS PRESCRIBED BY THE BOARD.

### TERM OF LICENCE:

THURSDAY MARCH 26, 2026 TO SATURDAY APRIL 25, 2026

Raffle Format: Prize Draw

### DATE OF DRAW(S)

APRIL 25, 2026

### DRAW LOCATION

CHESTERMERE RECREATION CENTRE,  
CHESTERMERE

### TICKET DISTRIBUTION

390 @ 1 FOR \$10.00

### TICKET VALUE

\$3,900.00

\$3,900.00

### PRIZES

One roundtrip flight for two guests to any regularly schedule  
Destination. Blackout dates apply (1)

RETAIL  
VALUE

\$4,240.00

COST TO  
LICENSEE

\$0.00

DRAW DATE

APR 25, 2026

\$4,240.00

\$0.00

### EXPENSE

Printing

AMOUNT

\$150.00

\$150.00

### USE OF PROCEEDS

Tournament fees x2, Provincial tournament registration, facility rental, training and development and other program related expenses.

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**DATE ISSUED:** March 26, 2026

**ISSUED BY:** Chestermere Rocky View Little League



Hi Chestermere Crushers Baseball Administrators,

We're reaching out to let you know about an upcoming adjustment to your integrated payment processing rates in TeamSnap, effective April 1st, 2026.

TeamSnap is committed to providing you with a secure, reliable platform that simplifies your organization's payment operations. As costs from financial institutions and card networks continue to rise across the industry, we are updating your processing rate from 3.25% + \$1.50 to our new standard rate of 3.50% + \$1.50.

Thank you for your continued partnership.

Warm regards,

The TeamSnap Team



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To: treasurer@crushersbaseball.ca

Thu, Mar 26, 2026 at 1:36 AM



# Price change

Lesley Bentein, we're updating our prices

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<b>Company ID ending:</b>	6296
<b>Effective date:</b>	10/05/2026

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