

**TOMAHAWK EAST LEAGUE SCHEDULING MEETING**  
SLEEPY EYE COMMUNITY CENTER, SLEEPY EYE  
Sunday, February 25, 2018

The scheduling meeting of the Tomahawk East League was called to order at 4:00 p.m. on Sunday, February 25, 2018 at the Sleepy Eye Community Center in Sleepy Eye by President Myron Seidl. Roll call was taken with all teams present.

The minutes from the January 28, 2018 Tomahawk East annual meeting were read by League Secretary-Treasurer Terry Helget. A motion was made by Brian Mathiowetz of Stark, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Steve Kloeckl of Searles to accept the minutes of January 28, 2018. Motion carried.

The Treasurer's report was presented by League Secretary-Treasurer Terry Helget. An ending balance of \$738.26 was reported. A motion was made by Doug Radloff of Essig, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Chris Koob of Hanska to accept the Treasurer's report. Motion carried.

2018 MBA Handbooks were distributed to each team. MBA Acknowledgment forms were also signed by each team and collected by league secretary Terry Helget.

It was confirmed the 2018 All Star Game will be played on Friday, June 29, 2018, in Milroy (Yankees) beginning at 7:30 p.m. pitting the Corn Belt All Stars vs. the Tomahawk East All Stars.

Secretary-Treasurer Terry Helget briefly outlined proper protocol for player contracts and releases.

Marty Brandl presented data on the past number of years of Region 2C results to help determine what type of regional set-up might be best. After significant discussion, it seemed most teams were still in favor of a six-team single round robin format like we've had, but to perhaps ask the Region 2C Board to consider starting the tournament one day earlier on Friday, August 3, in the hopes of leaving more time at the end of the tournament in case weather or tiebreakers come into play. There was also talk of juggling the playing matchups throughout the tournament in the hopes of eliminating as many games as possible that no longer have any state tournament implications for one or both of the teams. The Region 2C Board will take these discussions into consideration.

Discussion ensued about starting night games at 7:30 p.m. instead of 8:00 p.m. After a bit of discussion, it was left to the individual teams as to when they wanted to start their home night games with the majority of teams opting to start their night games at 7:30 p.m. in 2018.

A motion was then made by Doug Radloff of Essig, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Derrick Jenniges of Lambertton and carried to have the #1 seed host the #12 seed, the #2 seed host the #11 seed, the #3 seed host the #10 seed and so on in a best of three league playoff series. These games will be scheduled for Friday, July 27, Sunday, July 29 and Tuesday, July 31 (if necessary) with the higher seed in each series receiving home games in Games 1 and 3 and the lower seed receiving a home game in Game 2 unless another arrangement is made by mutual agreement of both teams. The winners of each of these six series will advance to the Region 2C Tournament.

League President Myron Seidl presented the proposed 2018 Tomahawk East League schedule to the teams. The schedule was reviewed with each team making necessary adjustments. Myron will now draw up the official 2018 schedule and get the schedules to the printers as he has done in the past.

The roster meeting of the Tomahawk East League was tentatively set for Tuesday, June 19, 2018, at the Community Center in Sleepy Eye at 7:30 p.m.

The meeting adjourned around 6:10 p.m. after everyone ate some pizza provided by the league.

Respectfully submitted,

Terry Helget  
Secretary-Treasurer