

MIAA BASEBALL COMMITTEE MEETING  
Tuesday, May 9, 2023 @ 10:00 A.M AGENDA

1. Call to Order – 10:00 AM

2. Welcome & Attendance –

Scott Ashworth, Mike Brousseau, Joe Cacciatore, Eric Castonguay, Mike Moccerino, Ray Cosenza, Jay Costa, Mike Denise, Ron Dowd, Don Fredericks, Rich Greer, Brett Kustigian, Patick Leonard, Craig Najerian, Dick Newton, Tom Zaya.

3. Minutes of Previous Meeting – January 10, 2023

Accepted Unanimously

4. 2023 Baseball Tournament Update

- Statewide Tournament Director/Assistant Director

Jay Costa – Tournament Director

Don Fredericks – Asst. Tournament Director

- Statewide Assigner - Joe Cacciatore

- Tournament Dates

Preliminary Round – June 2-3

Round of 32 – June 4-5

Round of 16 - June 7-8

Round of 8 - June 10-11

Semifinals - June 13-14

Finals – June 16-17

- Tournament Locations and Staffing (Site Directors, Auxiliary)

Brockton Rox, Holy Cross, LeLacheur Park (Can play two games on Wednesday, if necessary)

Keith Brouillard - Finals at Polar Park – Friday, June 16 and Saturday, June 17

Don Fredericks – Brockton Rox

Jay Costa - Holy Cross

Ron Droiun - LeLacheur Park, Lowell

Jeff Newhall – Frazier Field, Lynn

Mel Martin – Mackenzie Stadium, Holyoke

5. 2024-25 Spring Alignments

Appeals were made – TD helped with oversight

#### 6. District Update & Feedback

Scheduling to assist with officials – some stay status quo

League Doubleheaders

Buses

Pitchcount – Paper vs. Electronic

Number of subvarsity games – limit to 18?

#### 7. Officials Topics

Coverage of subvarsity games

Qualifications/Requirements of umpires

Difference of pay – varsity vs. Subvarsity alone

Training for 3 man crews for MIAA Tournament

#### 8. Coaches Topics

Power Rankings going well

Making sure there is a day between rounds of tournament

#### 9. Educational Athletics Initiatives

- MIAA Coach of the Year Award – Nominations Due June 30, 2023
- MIAA Official of the Year Award – Nominations Due June 30, 2023
- Team Sportsmanship Nominations – Nominations Due May 17, 2023

#### 10. Other

#### 11. Adjournment – 10:58 AM - Unanimous