

2026 Kansas State Pee Wee Baseball Association
 Annual Meeting Agenda, Courtland, KS
 April 12, 2026

The meeting was called to order by Troy Newman, State Pee Wee Commissioner, at 4:00 pm with 22 team representatives in attendance.

The 2025 meeting minutes (previously sent via email) were reviewed. Motion to approve the minutes by Brandt Hutchinson and second by Clint Fraser. Motion passed unanimously.

Pee Wee State Baseball Association Treasurer's Report

Beginning Balance as of 1/1/25		\$ 8,994.54
<u>Expenses</u>		
Altius Sports	Trophies	\$ (1,457.90) 10/10/2025 Altius, \$5 check fee, \$9.85 Diller postage
EpicSports.com	Hats	\$ (1,163.30) 5/27/2025 reimbursed to Troy Newman
Guerilla Marketing	Banners	\$ (140.20) 7/22/25 reimbursed to Troy Newman
EpicSports.com	6 dozen Baseballs	\$ (398.15) 6/4/25 reimbursed to Troy Newman
Total Expenses		\$ (3,159.55)
<u>Income</u>		
Late Roster Fees		
District 1	Belleville	\$ 918.40 Paid umpires \$420 over 3 nights
District 2	Osborne	\$ 686.80 Paid umpires \$510 over 3 nights 7/22/2025
District 3	Clifton-Clyde	\$ 667.60 Paid umpires \$720 over 3 nights
District 4	Hanover	\$ 506.80 Paid umpires \$965 over 3 nights 7/22/2025
State	Concordia	\$ 1,872.80 Paid umpires \$1200 (8 games) + \$640 (4 games)
Total Revenue		\$ 4,652.40
Ending Balance 12/31/25		\$10,487.39 Swedish American State Bank

The 2025 Treasurer's Report. was reviewed. Current account balance is \$10,487.39. Motion to approve treasurer's report by Craig Mans and second by T.J. Lamb. Motion passed unanimously.

OLD BUSINESS

- a. No old business.

NEW BUSINESS

1. Motion for Troy Newman to be elected as 2026-2027 State Commissioner by Brandt Hutchinson and second by Brent Cox. Motion passed unanimously.
2. Motion for Christy Newman to be elected as 2026-2027 State Secretary/Treasurer by Brent Cox and second by Clint Fraser. Motion passed unanimously.
3. Player transfer requests. No transfer requests will be allowed after the state meeting.
 - a. None
4. Requests to add teams to the association.
 - a. None
5. Motion for the State tournament to be held on July 13-17, 2026 by Craig Mans and second by T.J. Lamb. Motion passed unanimously.
 - a. The location for the State Tournament will be from District 4. Hanover, Bremen, Beattie, Home, Diller/Odell all declined. Wymore was unanimously accepted as the host for the 2026

Kansas State Pee Wee Association tournament. All games will be played in Blue Springs, Nebraska and there will NOT be a mound.

6. Motion for District tournaments to be held on July 6-10, 2026 by Craig Mans and second by Kevin Laumann. Motion passed unanimously.
7. Motion to approve District tournament locations by Kevin Laumann and second by Craig Mans. Motion passed unanimously. Locations for district tournaments based on prior agreed rotation:
 - a. District 1: Pike Valley (WILL have a mound). 2027 rotation will be: Washington, Concordia, Belleville, Pike Valley.
 - b. District 2: Waconda (will NOT have a mound). 2027 rotation will be: Smith Center, Rock Hills, Beloit, Osborne, Waconda.
 - c. District 3: Valley Heights (WILL have a mound). 2027 rotation will be: Concordia, Linn, Clifton-Clyde, Valley Heights.
 - d. District 4: Diller-Odell (WILL have a mound). 2027 rotation will be: Home, Wymore, Bremen, Beattie, Hanover, Diller-Odell.
8. Motion to move District AND State tournament game times to 6:00pm for the early game and 7:30pm for the late game by Mark Headrick and second by Mike Duever. Motion passed 15-3.
9. Motion to require all scoring for regular season, district and state tournament games to be kept on GameChanger with access granted for the state officers to be able to monitor pitch counts by Jeff Polson and second by T.J. Lamb. Motion passed unanimously.
10. Motion to pay umpires \$75 in the field and \$80 behind the plate for District and State tournament games by Jeff Polson and second by Josh Shepardson. This amount is to be reconsidered each year at the state meeting. Motion passed unanimously.
11. Motion to use head-to-head matchups to break District ties first, followed by a coin flip. Motion by Mark Headrick and second by Brandt Hutchinson. Motion passed unanimously.
12. Discussion on intentional walks and setting a pitch count penalty with a limit for how many times a kid can be intentionally walked in a game. Discussion included whether the pitcher should have to actually throw the 4 pitches for an intentional walk which would maybe discourage a coach from doing it, that there are ways to manipulate the rule like to substitute a pitcher to take the counts, that coaches should be limited to only intentionally walking a kid twice per game or once per player, that counting four pitches against the pitcher would be simple, and that we should reward excellence, not deflate a player who can hit home runs by not letting him bat.
 - a. Motion by Mark Headrick and second by Brandt Hutchinson to add to the Kansas State Pee Wee Association rules:
 - i. Only two batters can be intentionally walked on a team during an entire game with a maximum of one intentional walk per player per game. The pitcher will receive four pitches added to their pitch count. If a new pitcher is substituted and his first batter is intentionally walked, then those four pitches will count toward the previous pitcher.
 - b. Motion passed 16 to 3.
13. Discussion whether to require the use an artificial mound for all tournaments. Discussion included that some towns can't afford the mound and shouldn't be forced to buy one. It was estimated that at least 8 teams do not use a mound. It was mentioned that you can construct a homemade one, but that they are difficult to throw to the bases off of. Some tall kids step off of artificial mounds, so there's no concern of that if a mound is not used. No motion made.
14. Motion for the next annual meeting to be held on April 4, 2027 by Craig Mans and second by T.J. Lamb. Motion passed unanimously.

15. Motion to adjourn by Kevin Laumann and second by Craig Mans. Motion passed unanimously.

OTHER BUSINESS

1. Team rosters are due by June 1st. Please remember to add extra kids to your roster in case of injury/quitting, because they can't be added later. **You are accountable to make sure the correct person is notified of this deadline. No exceptions!!**

2. Link to our Kansas State Pee Wee Facebook page to share with your team for tournament bracket updates, to post your season record updates and to view our most current Kansas State Pee Wee Rules: www.facebook.com/KansasPeeWee/

3. Link to the rule book to be used in addition to our 2026 Kansas State Pee Wee Rules is www.kansashapdumontbaseball.com/ then, click on "Downloads."

***Thank you for getting me your record for regular season games against all association teams as soon as your season is done. Then, please be patient waiting for tournament brackets and I'll get them out to you as soon as they're done!

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***Coaches and recreation directors are welcome to contact us for assistance. Concerned parents need not to be given our number to settle personal disputes.

<u>2026 Districts</u>	
<u>District 1</u>	<u>District 2</u>
Concordia Chevy-Buick	Smith Center
Concordia American Legion	Rock Hills
Washington Red	Waconda
Washington Blue	Osborne
Pike Valley	Beloit Benchwarmers
Belleville	Beloit Gators
<u>District 3</u>	<u>District 4</u>
Clifton-Clyde	Bremen
Concordia Lions	Hanover Gray
Concordia Knights of Columbus	Hanover Blue
Valley Heights Purple	Beattie
Valley Heights White	Home
Linn	Wymore
	Diller/Odell