

Farmland Basketball League Board of Directors Meeting
Preseason 2013-2014, Nov. 12, 2013
RD's in West Point, 7 p.m.

Present: Russ Meyer, Dodge Nathan Arneal, North Bend
 Chris Kreikemeier, WPCT ~~Garry Clark~~, WPF *Brian Meiergerd*
 Gus Ray, Oakland Jason Wortman, Bancroft
 Gus Heller, Wisner Joey Guenther, Pender
 Justin Sindelar, Howells Derek Aschoff, WP Ducks

Recent Business:

- Nov. 15, 2012: Approved addition of West Point Fighting Elk
 Changed game to 20 minute halves from 8 min quarters
 Made playoffs six teams from four, top seeds getting byes
- Feb. 17, 2013: Oakland def. Howells 90-87 to win championship

New business:

Approval of West Point Ducks into Farmland League **Vote: passed 8-0**

2013-2014 schedules handed out.

Collection of 2013-2014 dues, PEI forms, Team Information Forms

Dues Paid: Dodge North Bend
 West Point Cowtippers West Point Fighting Elk
 Oakland Bancroft
 Wisner Pender
 Howells West Point Ducks

Review constitution, league rules

- Playoff seeding with divisions. Division winners automatically top two seeds?
 Seeded strictly by record? Division winners by division record or overall?

Action: Division winners will be determined by overall record and receive the top two
playoff seeds **Vote: Passed 9-0**

- West Point issues - players switching teams

Action: When potential new players move to a town represented by more than one
Farmland team, they may join any team they wish. Once a player signs with a team, they must
receive permission from his team manager before switching to another team in that town. **Vote:**
Passed 9-0

- out of town players

Discussion: Some West Point players felt other teams were bringing in star players as
out-of-town exceptions and thought they should be able to do the same. Others said being in a
town seven times the size of other Farmland towns was advantage enough. With West Point
adding a third team, they are certainly not hurting for players. Discussion ended without any
motions being made.

• Russ Meyer of Dodge moved to amend Article 9, section 1 of the Farmland
Constitution. He proposed that the 10-minute waiting period before calling a forfeit be increased
to 20 minutes. Vote: passed 9-0

The meeting was closed with a 9-0 vote.