

SABR MEETING NOTES 12/10/2017

Attendees: Jerry, Tom, Howard, Brent, Stew, Brenda, Gene, Hans, Bob, Frank
Absent: None

1. Meeting started at 7:00 PM
2. Minutes for 10-8-2017 SABR Board of Directors meeting were approved.
3. Treasury Report
 - A. \$2,076.50 balance. The balance does not count reimbursements for the fall meeting.
 - B. \$350 allotment was received from SABR national organization.
4. Events
 - A. The upcoming Fred Souba Hot Stove Saturday Morning Breakfast is scheduled for Bunny's Bar + Grill NE at 9:00 AM on January 6, 2018.
 - B. Twins Fest is January 19, 2018 to January 21, 2018. Tom will contact Doug Skipper to ensure we have space. The call for volunteers to man the booth will be put out.
 - C. Sportscon Minne Analytics Conference will be held on February 2, 2018 at Optum. This is a non-SABR event and registration will be available in January 2018.
 - D. Book Club is held every other month on a Saturday morning at the Barnes + Noble located at Roseville's Har Mar Mall. The next book club event is on February 3, 2018. The featured book is No More Mr. Nice: A Life of Hardball by Dick Williams and Bill Plaschke. The video is Game 6 of the 1975 World Series.
 - E. Panel about using baseball research tools and the baseball primer page will be held on February 12, 2018 at Hennepin County Library Brookdale.
5. Research Committee
 - A. \$25 was approved for the room set up and a projector for the special research committee meeting.
6. Newsletter
 - A. Newsletter editor and webmaster term expire at end of 2017. Stew's term was extended as newsletter editor. John Gregory is the webmaster. Stew and Frank will continue as assistant webmasters.
7. Membership
 - A. Collaboration with Twins Daily is proceeding. Stew may give scoring presentation at that event.
 - B. New members include Michael Stewart, Samuel Haag, and Bryan Lake
8. New business
 - A. The poster project detailing all Hall of Famers that played in Minnesota before the Minnesota Twins arrived has been scoped out by the research committee. A sample was passed out for review. Having a 4 X 6 poster professionally made at a cost of \$243.99 was approved with no dissent.
 - B. Dates for the spring chapter meeting were identified. April 21, 2018 was determined to be the first choice with May 12, 2018 as a backup choice.
 - C. 2018 Northwoods League road trip to Willmar on July 21 was selected. Willmar will host St. Cloud that evening.
 - D. Frank and Tom will report back on the accomplishment list provided to SABR – National. They are also working on social media and website coordination.
 - FE Tom is researching what types of SABR Halsey Hall Chapter merchandise could be ordered through either Custom Ink or Tspring.
9. Next board meeting
 - A. February 11, 2017 6:00 P.M. at Bakers Square, Roseville