

## Halsey Hall Research Committee Zoom Meeting Dec. 19, 2022

Attendees: (7): Bob Kormoroski, Dave Lande, John Buckeye, Darryl Sannes, Gene Gomes, Daniel Dorff, Doug Skipper

1. Pre-meeting hot-stove league discussions: Carlos Correa to Giants, Joey Gallo to Twins, Rob Deer and Gorman Thomas: HRs and Ks a-plenty.
2. Meeting begins: 7:04, no intros needed
3. Reviewed Nov. 21 meeting minutes, approved.
4. Chapter Meetings discussion (cont.)

At the recent Board meeting, members discussed with Howard the suggestions made by the research Comm. Howard is open to all ideas regarding time management and that the committee wishes to have a larger role with Meeting planning.

  - Chapter Meeting sign-in at 8:30, welcome remarks and intros at 8:50;  
First presentation 9:15
  - 12:00 Lunch, business meeting
  - 1:00 – 2:00 Guest Speaker
  - 2:00 -- 3:00 Jeopardy! Trivia The committee agreed to help provide an online Power Point format for the trivia game. What's needed is to download the program to someone's laptop and have the trivia questions and answers in place before the next meeting. Gene will contact Howard and begin planning.
  - Committee will send out an email to all presenters beforehand explaining their time slot, use of time cards, use of mic and other protocol. The committee will share the schedule "Lineup" details with Howard beforehand, so it can be printed and given out at the meeting.
5. Call for presenters for the April 15 Spring Meeting.
6. The Board approved \$150 for a table at Twins Fest; Doug reported that the Chapter will get a spot, and one pass, and one all-access ticket. He will find out if the \$150 fee can be waived. Volunteers are needed at Twins Fest to be at the table all day Saturday Jan. 28.
7. Research Roundtable

Dave Lande has submitted a Game Story for the Willie Mays book. Doug mentioned books up for the 2023 Ritter Award. Last year's winner was a book on Eddie Plank.
8. [Trivia Time Quiz, by John Buckeye:](#)
  1. He finished 2<sup>nd</sup> in the Home Run Derby his rookie season (to the hometown favorite), but he recently became just the ninth player in MLB history to win consecutive World Series with different teams. **Joc Pederson**

2. This was the first major league hitter to eclipse 3000 hits, though he also famously refused to play against black players – and didn't even hit over 100 home runs in his career! He was also his team's manager for most of his playing career. **Cap Anson**
  3. The nickname for this player who has been the subject of a fictional titular book, as well as a movie based off it in which his character is played by Ray Liota. **Shoeless Joe Jackson**
  4. Which current major league team has been known variably as the Pilgrims, the Americans, and the Somersets, before settling on their current nickname? Boston **Red Sox**
  5. He was only a major league manager for parts of four seasons, but in that time led his team to the last World Series Championship they would win for 87 years. He retired in the middle of the next season. Clarence **"Pants"** Rowland, 1917 Chicago White Sox
  6. This state has a rich baseball history: the home of the Negro Leagues team for whom the first black American League player last played as well as the birthplace of the Millville Meteor himself, Mike Trout! New **Jersey**
  7. Given since 1957, this is the only award which directly takes actual season-long player statistics into account in determining the final results. Gold **Glove**
  8. The Yankees were the first team to do this in 1929; by 1931 every American League team had followed suit, as had all National League teams by 1933. **Uniform numbers**
  9. A member of the Twins' early '00s Soul Patrol outfield, he set a team single-season record for leadoff homeruns in 2002. In 2014 he received a single, solitary vote for the Hall of Fame. **Jacque Jones**
  10. Though very common in Japan (as they occur after 12 innings) the last one in a competitive MLB Game was in 2016; one of these also occurred at the 2002 All Star Game. **Tie game**
9. Other items – we discussed players who wore the #0 in the majors: Al Oliver, Junior Ortiz, Billy Hamilton.
10. Next Committee Meeting Zoom: Jan. 23, 2023  
Next quizzes- Bob Kormoroski-Jan., Darryl Sannes –Feb., Gene Gomes -March
11. Meeting adjourned at 8:24 pm