



## Rock River Officials Association

### **General Membership Meeting for Sunday, March 5, 2023**

**...held at CGH Medical Center - Sterling, IL...**

- I. 4:00pm – Baseball/Softball sport specific discussions including Part 1 test review  
Chairpersons: Softball: Dave Olinger, Tom Starr  
Baseball: Ken Wilcoxon, Jim DuBois
  
- II. 5:00pm – General Membership Meeting
  - A. Call to Order .....Jim DuBois
  - B. Call for New Members .....Jim DuBois
  - C. Treasurer’s Report .....John Kereven
  - D. Secretary’s Report .....Tom Nance
  - E. Old Business .....Jim DuBois
    - 1. Officiating 101 (discussion on a general officiating topic) ... Tom Nance
    - 2. Board position: Changing the Assignor position to an At-Large position ... Jim DuBois
    - 3. Recruit and Retain committee update ... Tom Nance
      - a. Recruiting posters
      - b. SVCC class
      - c. Officially Human- Zoom webinar on recruiting
    - 4. Other old business ... Members
  - F. New Business ... Jim DuBois
    - 1. Basketball season ending chairperson report ... Jim DuBois & Ken Wilcoxon
    - 2. Post-season basketball submittals and list ... Tom Nance

3. IHSA conference delegates ... Jim DuBois
  4. Future RROA meeting dates, times, etc. ... Tom Nance
  5. Election of Officers committee formation ... Jim DuBois
  6. New meeting location discussion ... Jim DuBois
  7. End-of-Season “Get-together” planning ... Jim DuBois
  8. Other new business ... Members
- G. Motion for adjournment ..... Jim DuBois

**Upcoming meeting dates:**

March 26, 2023 (Sunday)	4:00pm 4:00pm	Softball – sport specific Baseball – sport specific
April 23, 2023 (Sunday)	4:00pm 4:00pm	Softball – sport specific Baseball – sport specific
May 7, 2023 (Sunday)	4:00pm 4:00pm	Softball – sport specific Baseball – sport specific

**For Reference ... General Membership Meeting Business Topics (2012 - current)**

- Promotion paperwork
- Arbiter updating & payments
- Specific sport chairpersons
- Increasing attendance at RROA meetings
- Attendance credit policies
- Mentoring & Observers programs
- IHSA grant proposal
- IHSA “Official of the Year”
- Recruiting booth revival
- By-law amendment for basic policy criteria

- End-of-Season banquet / party
- RROA meeting schedule
- RROA clinics (volleyball, football, basketball, baseball, softball)
- IHSA summer meeting delegate review
- RROA clinicians’ requirements
- Website upgrading & maintenance
- Number of association meetings per year
- Meeting attendance incentives
- Election of Officers (odd years)
- Donations to the IHSA & Peoria Officials Association
- Compensation for IHSA summer meeting delegate attendance
- General education, improvement of members