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### **FUTURE MEETINGS**

Visitors are always welcome! All meetings start at 7:00 pm and are held in the Conference Room at Clover Park. Next meeting is Monday, August 19, 2024. The meetings for the rest of the year are September 16, October 21, November 18 and December 16.

### **ZOOM MEETING**

The meetings are also being conducted via Zoom. The Meeting ID is 743 7463 8382 and the pass code is Mets2021. Please try to connect early so that we can take attendance. If your name is not shown on the screen, please identify yourself in the chat.

### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

Annual Dinner – November 9, 2024

### **MEMBERSHIP AND DUES INFORMATION**

The cost of annual dues from January through December is \$15.00 per person, \$20.00 for two people and \$25.00 for three or more in the same household. Returning members will no longer receive membership cards and will keep the same membership number for the 50/50 drawing. Please refer to our website at [www.metsboosterclub.org](http://www.metsboosterclub.org) for further membership information.

### **MONTHLY 50/50 DONATION PACKAGE**

For \$1.00 per month, your membership number is entered into the 50/50 drawing. The winner receives 50% of the pot. However, if you are present at the meeting, either in person or via Zoom, you win 75%! The best way to ensure you are entered is to pay a lump sum for the remaining months of the year. You can mail your payment to Mets Booster Club, P.O. Box 882061, Port St. Lucie, FL 34988-2061, or use the form found under the Membership tab on our website, [www.metsboosterclub.org](http://www.metsboosterclub.org)

### **WEBSITE UPDATE**

Be sure to get all your Mets and Booster Club news through our website at [www.metsboosterclub.org](http://www.metsboosterclub.org). Check out our latest feature labeled Buy Sell Trade, which is a forum for members to connect with each other with their baseball memorabilia.

### **MONTHLY AWARDS**

The St. Lucie Mets player of the month for May was Colin Houck and the pitcher of the month was Gregori Louis. For July, we recognized player Boston Baro and pitcher Alan Perdomo, who has been promoted to Brooklyn.

### **GET WELL**

Sending best wishes to our President, Jim Fertitta, for a speedy recovery from a fall and subsequent surgery on his leg.

# **LET'S GO METS**



# MESSAGE FROM JIMMY

Dear Mets Booster Club Members,

Out for the season! Not a player, but me. On August 2<sup>nd</sup>, I slipped and fell and could not get up due to the pain in my left leg. I was taken by ambulance to the hospital and had surgery to repair a broken femur. After rehab, I will be home and off my feet for 6-8 weeks.

Just a reminder to send in your checks for our Annual Dinner being held at Tutto Fresco on November 9<sup>th</sup>.

We are starting a list to see how many want to attend the Mets vs. Marlins game in Miami on April 1<sup>st</sup>. It should be a night game and we will try to keep the cost at \$90.00, depending on the price of tickets and the bus. We won't collect any money until we fill the bus.

Hope to see you at our next meeting on Monday, August 19, 2024 at 7:00 pm in the Conference Room at Clover Park or on Zoom.

Jim Fertitta  
President  
Mets Booster Club

## BOOSTER CLUB MINUTES



MONDAY, JUNE 17, 2024

- The monthly Booster Club Meeting was called to order at 7:02 pm. After the Pledge of Allegiance, a moment of silence was held for 1966 Mets player Bill Murphy. Roll call was taken. All Officers were present.
- The minutes of the May 20, 2024 meeting were read. A motion to accept the minutes as read was made by Steve LaBargo and seconded by Joyce King. Motion passed.
- The Treasurer's Report was read by Judy Fitzgerald. A motion to accept the Treasurer's Report as read was made by Joyce King and seconded by Carol Harty. Motion passed.
- We only have 19 signed up for the game in Miami, so we will not be able to have the bus trip. Jim will look into alternative transportation and let those interested know if anything else is reasonable.
- There is no meeting in July and our next meeting will be on August 19<sup>th</sup>.
- The Annual Dinner is on Saturday, November 9<sup>th</sup>. We will have it at Tutto Fresco, 9501 Reserve Blvd, Port St. Lucie, on the left side of the patio area. The cost is \$50.00 per person for an appetizer, entrée platter and dessert, with a cash bar. November 1<sup>st</sup> is the deadline for payment.
- Bill Zuppe gave us a minor league report, which included the current standings for the affiliates. He put the spotlight on Ryan Clifford, who hit 6 home runs in 12 games this month in Binghamton.
- If you are going to the July 4<sup>th</sup> St Lucie Mets game, be advised that all seats are reserved, not general admission.
- The name called for the 50/50 was Steve Mance, who was present via Zoom and won 75% of the pot.
- A motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Paul Samson and seconded by Susan Samson. The meeting was adjourned at 7:28 pm.

Respectfully submitted,  
Pat Urso, Secretary  
New York & St. Lucie Mets Booster Club

