# The Official Newsletter of the Dassel-Cokato Saints Pinstripe Times



## Last Week's Highlights:

Thank you for checking our the second issue of the Pinstripe Times. Listed here will be the highlights and top performers of each week during the season.

### Saints Rookie League Pushed to June

With the governor's "Stay at Home" order extended through May 18th, we will unfortunately need to reschedule this year's Saints Rookie League. We will still plan on the same format (three sessions and one game day experience), starting on Saturday, June 13th.

We will continue to monitor the situation closely. We will not be cashing any checks until we are informed that we can move forward by the governor, and those who had paid cash will receive a full refund should the "Stay at Home" order prevent us from hosting Saints Rookie League this year.

#### 2020 Season Potential Start

We saw this coming, but sadly, we will not be playing our originally scheduled Opening Day against the Glencoe Brewers tomorrow. Here is a note directly from the minutes of the MBA's special meeting held this past Saturday:

Currently, the state of amateur baseball is closed. There are no games, scrimmages, interactions between teams, until further notice. We are not going to play any games until the governor opens up baseball. Contact a state board member before you interact in something that could jeopardize our season. We all want to play as soon as possible. Once the governor says go. our games can start the next day. If there are special rules that we have to follow, we will get them to you before the season and posted on the website.

Optimistically, we're looking at a potential start date of Wednesday, May 20th home opener against the defending state champion Jordan Brewers.

#### 2020 Team Outlook

After posting a lackluster 7-13 NSL record in 2019, there's reason to believe this could be a very strong year for the Saints. With a veteran core, some new additions, and a returning face, this could be the setup for what we're hoping is a deep, late-summer run.

Returning veterans with 10+ years of experience include Jordan Flick, Andrew Carlson, Tyler Zweibohmer, and John Hohenstein. These four will lookto provide leadership for the younger talent.

Just below them in terms of seniority are a very talented group of players that have carved out roles and are the key to this team's success moving forward. This group includes Tyler Brandel, Austin Zweibohmer, Michael Leffler, Gus Flick, Collin Krick Ben Lindquist, Jeff Janckila, and James Howell.

The most exciting group for 2020 is the young guns and fresh faces. Included in this group are Noah Halonen (2<sup>nd</sup> year), Dylan Weber (ex-Hutch), Jacob Niemala (rookie), Paul Jacobson (ex-Kimball), Omin Grangroth (rookie), and Lucas Larson (returning from hiatus). This group will contribute in a variety of roles and look to make an immediate impact.

4<sup>th</sup> year C/1B Cy Flick will potentially be available in a limited role, but he is spending the summer in a position with the Fargo-Moorhead Redhawks.

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