

As the holidays are fast approaching I would like to wish everyone a happy holiday season and hope that the new year finds everyone well and busy researching our common subject of interest. Since our first newsletter a number of articles have been written, most about reunions honoring former players of the AAGPBL. There are lots of other women who have been involved in baseball who also need the work of this committee to research and document their accomplishments.

*****Baseball Online project**

In October I received a letter from Andy McCue and Ted Hathaway explaining in some detail their new baseball online project. What they hope to put together is a comprehensive electronic bibliography of materials for baseball researchers. This will be a massive undertaking and they are asking for our help. They are looking for a volunteer(s) from our committee who would be willing to work with them to determine search terms, to keep in contact with our committee members about materials they know about, and to help catalogue the material. If anyone is interested in helping out please contact me or Andy or Ted directly.

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*****Recent Articles, pamphlets, etc....**

The following list has been compiled with help from: Andy McCue, Dick Clark, Claudia Perry, Jerry Malloy, Barbara Gregorich, Paul DeBono, Larry Hughes, Marc Okkonen, Bob Potts and Eduardo Valero. Thank you all for sharing what you find and I encourage all of you to let me know about sources you find concerning women and baseball. (**Denotes all items available with a SASE--about 1 stamp per 4 pages).

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******Additions to Roster**

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Jim is looking for any help with information on the Milwaukee Chicks. If you can help please contact Jim or let me know.

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If you have particular research needs please let me know so I can put them in our newsletter for others who might be able to help you out. Our newsletter is our communication link.

******Concluding Comments**

Information for our next newsletter needs to be sent to me by the end of February, 1994.

Enjoy the Holidays!!!!

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WIBC Co-Chairs