



(Ed Hearn (left) and Dennis Leonard (right) are interviewed by KCBHS Vice-President David Starbuck (center) at the September, 2011 meeting)

KCBHS Meeting September 29, 2011 - KCBHS Meeting September 29, 2011 - Kansas City Royals alumni players Dennis Leonard and Ed Hearn were the special guests at the September 29th meeting at the Westport Flea Market Bar/Grill. Dennis Leonard, a member of the Royals Hall of Fame, told wonderful stories about his career including the Royals rivalries with the Oakland A's and New York Yankees and other memorable moments in his career. Ed Hearn, catcher, talked about being a member of the 1986 New York Mets World Champions and he later was a Royals teammate to Bill Buckner, who made the costly error for the Red Sox in the 1986 series. Ed battled medical problems after retiring from baseball and is now a motivational speaker and author of a book about his career and life titled "Conquering Life's Curves".