

2023 Baseball, Softball & T-Ball

Registration begins December 16, 2022

LEAGUES

Leagues for boys and girls are offered for K4 through 10th grade. Players must be 4 years old by Jan 1, 2023 to be eligible to play. The following is a breakdown of this year's leagues:

- **T-Ball** (K4 – K5 Co-ed League) Players are introduced to the basics of the game, skills and game play. For the first half of the season players will use a batting tee for games. By mid-season, players will be given opportunities to hit pitched balls as their progression allows.
- **Rookie** (1st & 2nd Grade League) Separate leagues for baseball & softball in a pitching machine format. Skill development and fundamentals are emphasized.
- **Minor** (3rd & 4th Grade League) Separate leagues for baseball & softball in a modified kid pitch format. Introduction to live pitching. Emphasis on skill development and fundamental game concepts.
- **Major** (5th - 7th Grade League) Separate leagues for baseball & softball in a player pitch format. Skill development, individual position play and understanding of the game will be emphasized.
- **Senior** (8th-10th Grade League) Separate leagues for baseball & softball in a player pitch format. **Registration for this league will begin in January.**

REGISTRATION

The registration fee will be \$100. After Jan 28th - late registration is \$115 if space is available. This season the player kit includes a jersey, hat & league t-shirt. Registration opens Dec 16, 2022. Register early as leagues fill up fast. Go to www.secondfamily.tv to sign up.

EVALUATIONS & SIZING

ALL EVALS WILL BE HELD IN THE SBC YOUTH ACTIVITY CENTER (Times to be determined)

Evaluations will be held Thursday February 9, Friday February 10, and Saturday February 11. Specific days and times for leagues are TBD.

***All players will need a glove & helmet for evaluations.**

PRACTICES

Our Baseball & Softball teams begin with three to four weeks of practice on a weekday (Monday, Tuesday or Thursday) & a Saturday practice prior to games starting. Practices will begin the week of March 13th. Parents are afforded the opportunity to request **ONE** practice night exclusion for your child. We do our best to honor every request, but please understand due to the size of our league, we are not able to honor every request.

GAMES

Most games will be held on Saturday with the exception of one weeknight game. Coaches work within a given parameter for substituting players in and out of the game. The substitution system provides every child the opportunity to be in the starting lineup and requires no child to sit out back-to-back innings.

VOLUNTEERS

If you would like to join our team and serve as a coach, assistant, umpire or in concessions please complete our volunteer form and submit it to us. We would love to have you!