

# NEW THIS SPRING

Marlboro Youth Baseball and Softball Association ("MYBSA"), aka Marlboro Little League, has experienced a steady decline in the number of volunteers over the past few years. As a volunteer organization, we rely on our families for their volunteer support so that we can maintain and hopefully expand on the quality of our baseball and softball programs, as well as our complex. It has therefore become necessary to institute a Volunteer Bond to ensure we receive more involvement from within our community and hopefully allow each one of you to enjoy your child's baseball or softball experiences here at MYBSA.

## **What is a Volunteer Bond?**

A Volunteer Bond is a check written by you for each of your registered children that is 100% refundable upon your completion of your volunteer requirement.

## **How much will the Volunteer Bond be?**

The Volunteer Bond for the spring season will be \$100 per child.

## **What is required to complete the volunteer obligation?**

Coverage of one kitchen slot (approximately 2 ¼ hours) is required for each child registered to receive a full refund of the Volunteer Bond.

## **When will the Volunteer Bonds be refunded?**

Volunteer bonds will be collected by your team manager at the uniform handout. Checks will be returned at the completion of the spring season to those that have successfully completed their obligation.

## **What types of volunteer activities qualify to receive a full refund?**

Typically, coverage of one kitchen slot (approximately 2 ¼ hours) per child would qualify. However, there may be other volunteer activities that could qualify if the kitchen assignments are already fully staffed.

## **How will parents fulfill their Volunteer Bond Obligation?**

Once the spring schedule is published, an email will be sent to everyone with a link to a third-party website that will manage the program. On this website, there will be hundreds of opportunities on the calendar for you to choose from to select a time that is best and most convenient for you. Several reminder emails will be sent over the course of the season. Upon completion of your kitchen slot, the Officer on Duty (OD) will have you complete a sign-in form and you are done.

To ensure you receive this email, if you are not currently registered to receive MYBSA emails please go to:

<https://app.expressemailmarketing.com/Survey.aspx?SFID=67349>

## **What happens if I don't complete my Volunteer Bond obligation within the spring season?**

Failure to meet your obligation will result in your bond being surrendered and deposited. NOTE: In the unlikely event that there are not enough kitchen slots, then please email [volunteer.bond@marlborolittleleague.com](mailto:volunteer.bond@marlborolittleleague.com) and an alternative assignment will be offered.