

## FOIA Marker

This is not a textual record. This FOIA Marker indicates that material has been removed during FOIA processing by George W. Bush Presidential Library staff.

Management and Administration, White House Office of

Warwood, Jordan

| Stack: | Row: | Sect.: | Shelf: | Pos.: | FRC ID: | Location or Hollinger ID: | NARA Number: | OA Number: |
|--------|------|--------|--------|-------|---------|---------------------------|--------------|------------|
| W      | 26   | 20     | 11     | 1     | 13075   | 25938                     | 11230        | 11696      |

Folder Title:

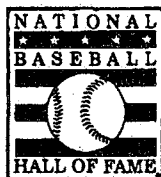
2001 World Series Baseball



NATIONAL BASEBALL HALL OF FAME AND MUSEUM  
25 MAIN STREET  
COOPERSTOWN, NEW YORK 13326-0590

GSD/RDF (Gambatesa)  
Anacostia Naval Annex - Bldg 410  
250 Murray Lane, SW  
Door #123  
Washington, DC 20509

# NATIONAL BASEBALL HALL OF FAME AND MUSEUM



## RECEIPT OF RETURN

Date Dec. 9, 2008

The object(s) described below have been returned to the **LENDER** by the **NATIONAL BASEBALL HALL OF FAME & MUSEUM**, Cooperstown, New York. This receipt acknowledges that the National Baseball Hall of Fame & Museum has returned the objects listed in good condition (unless noted otherwise).

**NATIONAL BASEBALL HALL OF FAME & MUSEUM, INC.**

By:   
**Peter P. Clark, Curator of Collections**

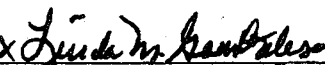
Lender: The White House, ZGSD/RDF (Gambatesa), Anacostia Naval

Address: Annex, Bldg 410, 250 Murray Lane, SW, Door #123, Washington,  
DC 20509

Phone: 202-456-2373 Fax #

Purpose of Loan: BAA EXHIBITION Duration of Loan 3/6/02 - 12/9/08

I hereby acknowledge that I have received the above named objects in good condition from the National Baseball Hall of Fame & Museum, Inc.

Signature of Lender x  Date x 12-10-2008  
Assistant to The President  
for Management and Information

Loan #

Description of Object(s)

**L-3.02**

**Ball thrown out by President Bush as the first pitch of the 3rd game of the 2001 World Series.**

# NATIONAL BASEBALL HALL OF FAME AND MUSEUM



**December 9, 2008**

**Mr. Jordan Warwood  
GSD/RDF (Gambatesa)  
Anacostia Naval Annex, Bldg 410  
250 Murray Lane, SW – Door #123  
Washington, DC 20509**

**Dear Jordan –**

**Please find enclosed the baseball thrown out by President Bush as the first pitch in Game 3 of the 2001 World Series.**

**We thank the President and all of you for lending this to us for our "Baseball as America" traveling exhibition, which has just terminated.**

**Would you please date and sign the enclosed receipt, and return it to me in the stamped envelope provided. This is our way of knowing the ball reached you safely and in good condition.**

**Thank you for your help with this – it is greatly appreciated.**

**With best regards,**

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Peter P. Clark'. The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large initial 'P'.

**Peter P. Clark  
Curator of Collections**

**End.**

# NATIONAL BASEBALL HALL OF FAME AND MUSEUM



**December 9, 2008**

**Mr. Jordan Warwood  
GSD/RDF (Gambatesa)  
Anacostia Naval Annex, Bldg 410  
250 Murray Lane, SW – Door #123  
Washington, DC 20509**

**Dear Jordan –**

**Please find enclosed the baseball thrown out by President Bush as the first pitch in Game 3 of the 2001 World Series.**

**We thank the President and all of you for lending this to us for our “Baseball as America” traveling exhibition, which has just terminated.**

**Would you please date and sign the enclosed receipt, and return it to me in the stamped envelope provided. This is our way of knowing the ball reached you safely and in good condition.**

**Thank you for your help with this – it is greatly appreciated.**

**With best regards,**

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'Peter P. Clark'. The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large initial 'P'.

**Peter P. Clark  
Curator of Collections**

**End.**

**Warwood, Jordan L.**

---

**From:** Von Der Heydt, Thomas M.  
**Sent:** Monday, December 08, 2008 12:17 PM  
**To:** Warwood, Jordan L.  
**Subject:** RE: National Baseball Hall of Fame letter

**Attachments:** Fw: National Baseball Hall of Fame letter



Fw: National  
Baseball Hall of ...

Jordan,

Just wanted to follow up on this matter. For your convenience, I've attached an email with WHCO's sign-off/approval to have baseball sent back. Please let me know if there is anything Staff Sec. can do to facilitate. Thanks.

-----Original Message-----

**From:** Von Der Heydt, Thomas M.  
**Sent:** Monday, December 01, 2008 4:12 PM  
**To:** Warwood, Jordan L.  
**Subject:** National Baseball Hall of Fame letter

Jordan,

Attached is a letter from the National Baseball Hall of Fame and Museum. The letter asks how to deliver the baseball that the President threw out as a first pitch in the 2001 World Series back to the White House.

Per Raul's instructions, this is a matter that requires the attention of WHCO and M&A. At earliest convenience, please bring to the attention of Linda.

Many thanks.

# NATIONAL BASEBALL HALL OF FAME AND MUSEUM



November 18, 2008

Mr. Raul F. Yanes  
Assistant to the President and Staff Secretary  
The White House  
Washington, DC 20500-0003

Dear Mr. Yanes:

Our "Baseball as America" traveling exhibition has now concluded, the last venue having been the Science Museum in Boston, Massachusetts.

Through President Bush's generosity we were able to feature the baseball the President threw out as the first pitch of the third game of the 2001 World Series – please see copy of letter of March 5, 2002 from Harriet Miers and copy of Brett M. Kavanaugh's letter of December 6, 2005, enclosed herewith.

The staff at the Hall of Fame & Museum is deeply thankful to your office for making the ball available to us on loan; it was one of the highlights of our exhibition.

The ball has now been safely returned to Cooperstown and I am writing to seek your input on how best to deliver it to the White House. My records indicate that Brinks Global Services was used to transport the ball to the Hall in March of 2002. Please let me know if you wish to use this method again or if we can Federal Express the ball to you overnight. We have used FedEx in the past and never had any problems with their service.

Again, thank you for your consideration. I can be reached at the address below or by email at: [pclark@baseballhalloffame.org](mailto:pclark@baseballhalloffame.org)

With best regards,

Peter P. Clark  
Curator of Collections

End.

Copy

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

March 5, 2002

Dale Petroskey  
President  
National Baseball Hall of Fame and Museum, Inc.  
25 Main Street  
P.O. Box 590  
Cooperstown, New York 13326-0590

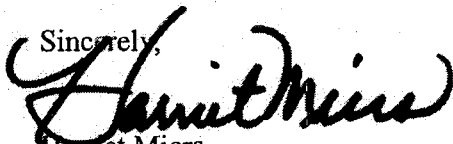
Dear Dale:

The purpose of this letter is to memorialize the terms and conditions pursuant to which the President agrees to loan to the National Baseball Hall of Fame and Museum, Inc. (the "Hall of Fame") the baseball that he threw out as the first pitch of the third game of the 2001 World Series (herein referred to as "the baseball"). These terms and conditions are as follows:

1. You may use the baseball solely as part of the traveling Exhibit of the Hall of Fame, which is scheduled to begin on March 16, 2002, and end not later than December 31, 2005. You may not use the baseball for any other purpose absent specific written permission from Counsel to the President or the Staff Secretary at the White House.
2. You will return the baseball to the White House Staff Secretary's Office by ten (10) days after the end of the Exhibit or immediately upon the request of the Staff Secretary at the White House, whichever occurs first.
3. You may not reproduce the baseball, for sale or otherwise, including photographic or other pictorial reproductions, without express written permission of Counsel to the President or the Staff Secretary at the White House.
4. The Exhibit will be adequately secured and insured to prevent damage to, loss of, or theft of the baseball.

Your signature below will confirm that you are properly authorized to enter into this agreement on behalf of the Hall of Fame and that you agree to abide by the terms and conditions set out. Please do not hesitate to contact me with any questions. We wish you all success with the Exhibit.

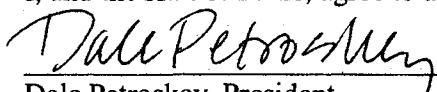
Sincerely,



Harriet Miers

Assistant to the President and Staff Secretary

I, and the Hall of Fame, agree to abide by the terms and conditions set forth in this letter.



Dale Petroskey, President,  
National Baseball Hall of Fame and Museum, Inc.

Date: March 7, 2002

0524

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

December 6, 2005

Dale Petroskey  
President  
National Baseball Hall of Fame and Museum, Inc.  
25 Main Street  
P.O. Box 590  
Cooperstown, NY 13326-0590

Dear Mr. Petroskey:

I am writing in regards to the attached March 5, 2002, letter agreement ("the agreement") pursuant to which President Bush loaned to the National Baseball Hall of Fame and Museum, Inc. ("Hall of Fame") the baseball that he threw out as the first pitch of the third game of the 2001 World Series ("the baseball").

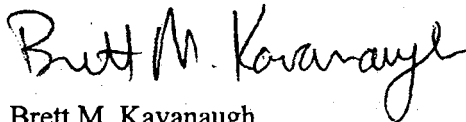
The Hall of Fame has requested that the agreement be amended to extend the loan until the end of 2008. We are pleased to accommodate this request and amend paragraph 1 of the agreement to provide as follows:

1. You may use the baseball solely as part of the traveling Exhibit of the Hall of Fame, which is scheduled to end not later than December 31, 2008. You may not use the baseball for any other purpose absent specific written permission from Counsel to the President or the Staff Secretary at the White House.

All other terms and conditions of the agreement, including the provision for immediate return of the baseball upon the request of the Staff Secretary at the White House, will remain in effect.

Your signature below will confirm that you are properly authorized to enter into this amendment to the agreement on behalf of the Hall of Fame and that you agree to abide by the terms and conditions of the agreement, as amended. Please do not hesitate to call me with any questions.

Sincerely,



Brett M. Kavanaugh  
Assistant to the President and Staff Secretary

I, and the Hall of Fame, agree to abide by the terms and conditions of the agreement, as amended by this letter.

  
Dale Petroskey, President, National Baseball  
Hall of Fame and Museum, Inc.

Date: 12.18.05