

Dear WDRL Families-

**Bat-a-Thon/ Throw-a-Thon**  
**March 15<sup>th</sup> Time T.B.D.**

We anticipate this year's event will be better than last years. Please keep in mind that this is a team event and teams scoring the most points and bringing in the most money will receive team prizes. So please encourage your whole team to participate! Money raised from this event will go towards a new face for our Scoreboard.

Attached to this letter you should have a pledge sheet. Encourage your child to ask family and friends to sponsor him in this batting or throwing competition. They can either donate a flat amount or they can pledge a certain amount per point that your child will earn. How it will work on the day of the event is that each team will be lined up in the dugout and one by one the players will come up and hit 6 balls off of a tee. The field will be marked with different zones that are different point values. Where the ball ends up (after rolling) is the point value that hit will earn. The last hit will be triple points. After all 6 hits, the child will be given a total point value for his turn. If your player is in the Tee ball division the event will work the same way only the children will be throwing instead. This event is not just about distance although distance is important, but it is also about accuracy, so we will have targets with larger point values, so that all players will have the opportunity to score big numbers.

The players will then have one week to collect all of their pledges. All money must be turned into your team mom by Saturday March the 22<sup>nd</sup> at 6:00pm in order to be eligible for prizes. The prize structure is outlined on the pledge sheet. We will also have participation prizes for everyone who participates. Forms will be given out at the event or can be found on the league web site [www.wdrll.com](http://www.wdrll.com) to print.

We will have a coaches' challenge! Each team can have coaches participate and their point totals will be added to the team total. Each coach must pay \$20.00 cash on the day of the event in order to hit or throw!

This event should be a fun day at the field for the whole family! Please come out and support Westchester Del Rey Little League and all of our players!

Sincerely,  
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