



Milltown Little League

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IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT

2019 SPRING SEASON

Hello Everyone,

It's hard to believe it when its still just 40-degrees outside, but we are just about 45-days away from Opening Day of our 2019 Spring Season. Our Board Members are hard at work to ensure another terrific season of Baseball & Softball for all, and the season is beginning to take shape nicely. With this said, we wanted to take a minute to share some important updates with you.

Registration – Late Registration is still open. To Register, [CLICK HERE](#) or visit our website at www.leaguelineup.com/MLL. Note, you will be prompted to log-in. Please use the account from prior registration periods and your player information will pre-populate. First time registrants must create a new account. SOME DIVISIONS ARE CLOSE TO CAPACITY AND MAY FILL-UP and CLOSE SOON, SO PLEASE DO NOT DELAY ANY FURTHER.

Try-Outs – There will be NO try-outs for the 2019 Spring Season. This is a one-time only exception that the Board has approved given our current 2019 enrollment data. Please keep in mind that with the Little League Eligibility (age change) requirements that went into effect back in 2016, this resulted in an unusually large group of players that “aged out” last year, and slightly lower enrollment this season.

Team Selections – Our Major and Minor Divisions in both Baseball and Softball will be completing their player drafts by March 1st. Shortly after March 1st players in these respective divisions will begin to hear from their Team Managers and Coaches about what team they are on. For players in our Midget or Rookie divisions, we typically allow a few extra weeks before finalizing teams, which allows for us to keep registration open a bit longer in these younger divisions. Baseball Juniors will hear from the Team Manager(s) shortly after March 1st as well.

General Meeting & Managers/Coaches Meeting – Our annual general meeting will take place on **Wednesday, March 20th, 2019** at 7:00pm in the Milltown Senior Center. This will be followed by a mandatory Managers/Coaches Meeting at 7:30pm. We will provide a general overview of the upcoming 2019 season at the general meeting, and answer any questions the parents may have. During the Managers/Coaches Meeting, we will cover specifics and details for coaches for the season, as well as review your coaching paperwork and background check process.

Spring Clean-Up - For those wishing to receive a credit (one per family) towards their Spring 2019 Work Bond, you may join us for Spring Clean-up on **Saturday, 03/23/2019** from 9am-12pm at Borough Park. To sign-up, please [CLICK HERE](#).

Practices and Schedules – Once Spring Clean-Up is complete, we will begin to post practice and regular season schedules. Practices will likely start the week of March 25th (weather permitting). If we get warmer weather sooner, individual managers may seek to hold an impromptu non-required practice. It is our goal to have all schedules (practice & regular season) posted and online via our website by no later than April 1st. Similar to last year, we will have a “soft” open to the season with regular season games beginning the week of April 8th, prior to Opening Day.

Work Bond (Snack Shack) – New for the Spring 2019 Season, parents will have the ability to select the date/time they wish to complete their work bond. We have partnered with SignUp.com, the leading online SignUp and reminder tool to organize our upcoming Snack Shack schedule. More info to follow on this, but we plan to have the Sign-Up open by April 1st, to coincide with the release of our schedules.

Uniform Pick-Up – Uniform pick-up will be held on Thursday, April 4th for Baseball and on Friday, April 5th for Softball. Uniform pick-up will be from 6:00pm-8:00pm both evenings. We anticipate the location to be the Milltown Ranger Hall and will confirm once reserved.

Opening Day Ceremonies & Pictures – Opening Day Ceremonies for our Spring 2019 Season will take place on **Saturday, April 13th, 2019** starting at 10:00am. We will have hot breakfast available for sale with proceeds going to support Milltown Little League. Pictures will also take place this day and the full picture schedule will be posted on our website by April 1st.

As always, we appreciate your continued support and cooperation of Milltown Little League. Should you have any issues, questions, comments or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact our League President, Eric Oleksy, via email at president@milltownlittleleague.com.

We look forward to seeing you soon and announcing, "Play Ball"!

Respectfully,

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