

Dear Parents,

Welcome to our 2010 Baseball/Softball season!!

Registrations will be held at the Littlestown High School Cafeteria starting Friday, **January 29th**, and continue on Monday, **February 1st** and Tuesday, **February 2nd** from 7-9 pm. Checks can be made payable to LBFY.

Please note a copy of your child's birth certificate is required at registration to verify each child's age to ensure children are placed in the correct age groups. **NO REGISTRATION WILL BE ACCEPTED WITHOUT BIRTH CERTIFICATE DATE or BIRTH VERIFICATION.**

The Amateur Baseball leagues (e.g. Little League, Babe Ruth, Pony) recently passed a new age cut off date effective for the 2006 season. The cut off date has been moved up from August 1st to April 30th. The Softball leagues use the ASA cutoff date of 1st of January.

Things to keep in mind:

- **Participants must live in the Littlestown School District. Or have prior approval from the Board**
- **Family discount-oldest 2 children at regular price, any additional children \$20.00 each.**
- **There is a \$10.00 late fee for any forms received from February 3rd to February 28th.**
- **No forms will be accepted if received after February 28, 2010.**
- **Coaches - Team Draft Day is the second Sunday in March. Coach will contact players the following week.**
- **Practices to commence in late March/early April time frame (coach/weather dependent).**
- **Opening Day, Parade and Photos to be held on the first Saturday in May.**
- **REMINDER: Gray baseball pants are required by all baseball players. LBFY does not supply pants; Shorts are permitted for all Girls softball players.**

Due to the ever-increasing costs of maintaining a league of this size we have made it mandatory that each child in our league sell at least 1 box of candy with a maximum of 2 boxes per family for multiple signups per family. The candy sales portion of our fundraiser will kick off during registration, with an additional fundraiser to be held starting in March. All candy sales will be counted towards the prize program included in the 2nd fundraiser. Coaches will have details of the prize program in their first team meeting with the parents and players. The success of our fundraisers is vital to the success of our program. Thank you for your continued support.

Parent Participation: Littlestown Baseball for Youth is a non-profit organization. We need the support of all parents in the program. We could not exist without you. We ask that you volunteer a few hours per season. Please indicate your interest on the registration form and let your child's coach know how you can help. Maybe assistant coaching, umpiring games, or working the concession stand interest you. Without this help it is impossible to keep the games going or the stand to remain open.

Meetings have been changed to the 4th Tuesday of each month at 8:00p.m. The meetings are open to public and will be held at the American Legion Post 321 located at 510 E King St Littlestown.

Additional forms may be printed from our website or available at the Borough office and Library. Please visit us at: www.littlestownbaseball-softball.com. Any forms mailed to the League's Post office box 461, must include a copy of the child's birth certificate with arrangements to pick up candy.

PLEASE INCLUDE YOUR E-MAIL ADDRESS ON REGISTRATION FORM

Sincerely,

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