



# All Stars Information





# What Are All Stars?

After the end of our Little League Regular Season, we will put together All Star teams to participate in Little League Tournaments.

The Little League International Tournament is the most widely known youth sports tournament in the world. There are six levels of tournament play in Little League Baseball® and five within Little League Softball®, with opportunities for players ages 8 to 16. The tournaments start at the District level, and teams must win their way to advance through the International Tournament. The 8- to 10-Year-Old and 9- to 11-Year-Old Tournaments culminate at the State Level, while the Little League and Junior League divisions conclude at a World Series Tournament. Leagues pay a one-time fee to enter each team into the Little League International Tournament, with 100 percent of that fee returning to local Little League teams that advance through the International Tournament to help offset costs.

At the District 9 tournament we play against neighboring leagues, like Sammamish, Redmond North, Issaquah, etc. In 2019, the Juniors All Star team won the D9 tournament and went on to win the Washington State and Regional tournaments, going all the way to the Little League World Series where they represented Eastlake Little League in front of the world. Pretty cool! Eastlake Little League Softball has had two teams reach the Little League World Series in the last 10 years.



# Who Can Participate?

Anyone ages 8-14 who play in levels AAA or above with Eastlake Little League and have played in at least 8 games during the regular season.

Everyone who wants to play All Stars will be required to provide proof of age and residence to be eligible. All documents are sent into Little League International for verification.





# How Many Teams?

Teams are Based on Age/Levels.

- **8/9/10 (10U)** All players on this team will have participated on a Competitive level team – 8, 9, and 10 year olds are eligible.
- **9/10/11 (11U)** All players on this team will have participated on a Competitive level team – 9, 10, and 11 year olds are eligible.
- **Little League (MAJORS/12U)** All players on this team will have participated on a Competitive level team – 10, 11, and 12 year olds are eligible.
- **Juniors** All players ages 12-14 who played on our Junior/Senior team (or potentially Majors team) (birth years 2010-2012 only).



# Commitment

The commitment for All Stars is big. Everyone who registers for All Stars will be required to sign a commitment letter at registration. Why? Because if you are not able to make practices or games, you are taking a roster spot away from someone who wants to play and is able to make that commitment.

You can expect to practice 5 days per week prior to the tournament and play in weekend “pre tournaments” leading up to the District 9 Tournament. After that, it will depend on the number of games that are won. See below for Dates and more Tournament details.

It’s important for parents to be reminded that participating in Tournament Play is a choice, and that while it is a privilege to play, it is also a commitment with added practices and games. If you realize that your son or daughter has several conflicts, please discuss with your Coach and or Player Agent.

We ask that you postpone any Summer vacations until after your All Star tournaments are scheduled to be completed.





# Rules



Most of the rules mirror what you have been seeing so far this season, however there are some differences. Most notably are the minimum play requirements. All Tournament Teams must adopt a policy of a continuous batting order that will include all players on the team affidavit present at the start of the game, to appear in the batting order. Each player is required to bat in his/her respective spot in the batting order. A player may be entered and/or re-entered defensively in the game at any time. There are no minimum defensive playing time requirements.



# Cost

**There is a \$150 fee** for every All-Star participant who is selected. A link will be sent for payment once the team has been selected.

This fee will cover uniforms including pants, All Star shirt and other swag, equipment, field rentals and other necessary expenses.

What it does not cover:

- Pre-Tournaments. Pre tournaments are not Little League sanctioned tournaments and Little League funds cannot be used to pay for them. You can expect to pay roughly \$30-\$40 per tournament.
- Travel expenses. Any instate travel and lodging will be covered by the families. Players and coach's airfare, lodging, and some food are covered for Regional and World Series Travel.



# All Star Team Selection

Eastlake Little League appoints a Tournament Team Committee (TTC) who is in charge of the All-Star selection process. The TTC is headed by the Player Agent and consists of other Softball Board members.

First goal is to get enough players registered to make a team at all four levels. Teams can range from 10 – 14 players each (with 12 being typical size). If we do not have enough players for a specific team TTC will try to combine with other leagues within District 9 to create a combined All Star Team (i.e. in 2023 the 9/10/11 Beastlake team was combined with Bellevue). Of course preference is to have all Eastlake only teams – Go Eastlake!

TTC will select Managers for each team which will be selected from competitive level team coaches. Managers will determine how many players they want to carry on their teams.

TTC will work to get teams set and announced by no later than May 31<sup>st</sup> and practices start on June 2<sup>nd</sup>.





# Tournament Dates and Locations

Please take note of the dates. Expect tournaments to last 5-8 Days.

2025 DISTRICT 9 TOURNAMENTS			
<i>Dates and Locations Subject to Change</i>			
SOFTBALL			
Tournament	Start Date	Location	Host
8/9/10 Softball	Sat 28-Jun	Centennial	FALLS
9/10/11 Softball	Sat 21-Jun	Robinswood	BNLL
Little League Softball	Sat 21-Jun	Everest	KALL
Junior League Softball	Sun 22-Jun	Everest	KALL
BASEBALL			
Tournament	Start Date	Location	Host
8/9/10 Baseball	Sat 21-Jun	Big Finn	KNLL
9/10/11 Baseball	Fri 04-Jul	Torguson	SVLL
Little League Baseball	Sat 28-Jun	Torguson	SVLL
Intermediate Baseball	Sat 14-Jun	Big Finn	KNLL
Junior League Baseball	Sat 21-Jun	Les Dow	RWLL
Senior League Baseball	Sat 21-Jun	Les Dow	RWLL

2025 STATE TOURNAMENTS			
<i>Dates and Locations Subject to Change</i>			
SOFTBALL			
Tournament	Start Date	Location	Host
8/9/10 Softball	Sat 12-Jul	Columbia LL, Vancouver	District 4
9/10/11 Softball	Sat 05-Jul	Phil Johnson Fields, Everett	District 1
Little League Softball	Sat 05-Jul	Sunset Park, Auburn	District 10
Junior League Softball	Sat 05-Jul	Northshore, Woodinville	District 8
Senior League Softball	TBD	TBD	TBD
BASEBALL			
Tournament	Start Date	Location	Host
8/9/10 Baseball	Sat 19-Jul	Bar-S Fields, Seattle	District 7
9/10/11 Baseball	Sat 19-Jul	West Plains LL, Medical Lake	District 13
Little League Baseball	Sat 12-Jul	Hazel Dell, Vancouver	District 6
Intermediate Baseball	Sat 05-Jul	Murrey Park, Elma	District 3
Junior League Baseball	Sat 05-Jul	South Kitsap Eastern, Port Orchard	District 2
Senior League Baseball	Sat 05-Jul	Asotin County LL	District 5



# Registration Forms

You will need three forms that will be available under the registration tab on our website as well as your **Original Birth Certificate** once teams are announced.

1. **Tournament Player Verification**
2. **Medical Form**
3. **Proof of Residency: 2 Options** (You only need 1 of these Options)
  - A. **School enrollment form** (signed by your School Administrator) if you attend: **Blackwell, Mead, Carson, Smith, McAuliffe, Renaissance, Inglewood, Eastlake, or Eastside Catholic.**
  - B. If you do not attend a school within Eastlake Little League boundaries, you will need to fill out **Proof of Residency.**

All forms will need to be emailed to [softballallstars@eastlakell.org](mailto:softballallstars@eastlakell.org)

This is a 'School Enrollment Form' from Little League Baseball and Softball. It includes fields for League Name, League ID#, Parent/Guardian Name, Date of Birth, and Division (Baseball/Softball). It also has checkboxes for Levels (Tee Ball, Intermediate, Junior, Senior) and a section for the School Administrator to verify enrollment. A red arrow points from the text 'School enrollment form' in the list to this form.

This is a 'RESIDENCY PROOF' form. It asks for the 'ADDRESS OF PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN' (Street Address, City, State, Zip). Below this, it lists three groups of acceptable documents: GROUP ONE (Driver's License, School Records, Employment Records, Insurance Documents), GROUP TWO (Welfare/Child Care Records, Federal Records, State Records, Local (Municipal) Records, Support Payment Records, Homeowner/Tenant Records, Military Records), and GROUP THREE (Voter's Registration, Utility Bills, Financial Records, Medical Records, Internet, Cable, or Satellite Records). A red arrow points from the text 'Proof of Residency' in the list to this form.



# How To Register

Go to [Eastlake Little League \(eastlakell.org\)](http://eastlakell.org) and click on the All-Star Tab and follow the prompts. To be eligible, you must complete your registration including required forms by May 10<sup>th</sup>.

More information on District 9 tournament can also be found here -

[Washington District 9 | \(llwadistrict9.org\)](http://llwadistrict9.org)

Any further questions please email [softballallstars@eastlakell.org](mailto:softballallstars@eastlakell.org)

