



HLL HAPPENINGS

The latest news and announcements!

March 2026

<p>Key Dates</p> <p>March</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3/1: Youth Softball Clinic hosted by HS Hiller Softball Team • 3/1, 3/15: 10U/12U Softball Pitching Clinics • 3/12, 3/26: Umpire Trainings • By 3/16: Team placements sent out • 3/21: Safety Meeting, Field Cleanup & Equipment Distribution • 3/22: Coaches Clinic • 3/30: HLL practices start <p>April</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 4/12: WooSox Game for HLL • 4/20: Boston Marathon - go Drew! • 4/25: HLL games start <p>May</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 5/3: Parade • 5/8: HLL Fundraiser • 5/10: Rain date for Parade • 5/18-5/20: Team Photos • 5/29: Home Run Derby <p>If you have any questions and/or suggestions for additional content to include in an upcoming Newsletter, please send us an email</p>	<p>Welcome</p> <p>We are excited to kick-off the spring 2026 HLL baseball and softball season!</p> <p>Volunteering</p> <p>If you are planning to volunteer, this is a reminder to submit your application with the documents below ASAP. You will not be able to start coaching until we have received and processed your application.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A hard copy of the volunteer form with your SSN & names of 3 references • A copy of a government issued ID (i.e. driver's license or passport) • A copy of your Abuse Awareness Training certificate (access the training here and note that it must be re-taken each year of volunteering) <p>Please mail hard copies of these documents to:</p> <p>Hopkinton Little League ATTN: Assistant Safety Officer P.O. Box 32 Hopkinton, MA 01748</p> <p>Shop for the Season!</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • HLL is planning to have an online Apparel Store from March 8th-24th with great baseball and softball items for both kids and adults! Please be on the lookout for more information in an upcoming email. • Dick's Sporting Goods will provide 20% off purchases for HLL families from March 13th-16th at the Natick and Northborough store locations; make sure to show the coupon linked here at the register during checkout! <p>Field Cleanup</p> <p>We will need your help on Saturday, March 21st to prepare our fields for the spring season. We'll be raking, pulling weeds, moving equipment, etc. More information will be sent out soon. Thank you in advance for your time!</p> <p>HLL Day at the WooSox</p> <p>Join other HLL families for a day of fun at the WooSox game on Sunday, April 12th at 1:05pm! We'll cheer for the WooSox as they take on the Columbus Clippers, then the kids will be able to run the bases after the game. Buy your tickets here.</p> <p>Boston Marathon</p> <p>HLL's Marathon runner, Drew Riesenberger, will be running 26.2 miles on Monday, April 20th. Please support Drew and HLL by donating here or direct through Venmo to @HopkintonLL. Donations will be used to help keep registration fees as low as possible, provide financial support for next year's players in need, and make field improvements.</p> <p>HLL Fundraiser featuring Disco Lemonade - Save the Date!</p> <p>Join us for an unforgettable night on Friday, May 8th! We'll be coming together in support of HLL while enjoying an incredible set played by the band Disco Lemonade! The event will take place at the Woodville Rod & Gun Club from 7:30 to 11pm. More details, including ticket information, to follow - we hope to see you there!</p> <p>Other Updates</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Baseball bats must have a "USA Baseball" stamp/label to be used in Little League, so be sure to check for that stamp/label before purchasing a bat. • For those new to baseball or softball, the Little League University website has fundamental skill development videos ("The Basics") that you can check out here. • General HLL FAQs are available on our website here.
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