



**ALL STARS & POST-SEASON
RULES, REGULATIONS, &
SELECTION MANUAL**

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Purpose

Welcome to the College Station Little League FAMILY! This manual provides the general rules, regulations, and selection process for the College Station Little League All-Star Tournament and Special Games teams. This manual is intended for parents, players, coaches, managers, and the Board of Directors.

The decision to enter teams into our district (District 33) post-season tournaments and Little League-sanctioned All-Star tournaments is solely determined by each Little League. Each league is responsible for creating rules, regulations, and processes for its All-Star team selection.

As a league, College Station Little League (CSLL) strives to make sure that the regular season offers as much opportunity to experience and play the game of baseball as possible. Our league implements numerous local rules to make for a more enjoyable playing experience for ALL players. Our league has many different playing levels, each geared to accommodate players based on their age and their ability of play.

The CSLL post-season is a completely separate season from the regular season. It is an opportunity for a higher level of competition within the district, section, state, regional, and World Series Little League system. Players selected to an All-Star team or Special Games team will have a significantly higher level of commitment, will receive higher-level instruction, and will compete against other All-Star teams or Special Games teams.

When it comes to post-season teams, it is the intent of College Station Little League to field teams that will best represent our league, our community, and our city, in character and competition. College Station Little League wants to continue its proud history and tradition by selecting quality players for its All-Star teams to compete at this higher level.

Goal

The goal of College Station Little League All-Star teams is to WIN tournament games while representing our league in a professional and well-respected manner. The goal to WIN All-Star tournament games is an important objective that differs slightly from regular season play. For example, regular season rules which encourage player development through the rotation of players in different positions do not necessarily apply to tournament games. Additionally, playing time among players may differ, and there are no guarantees regarding which positions those players will play or for how long they will play those positions. For playing time policies, the Little League rule book states the following:

“Mandatory Play - Continuous Batting Order: 8-10 Year Old Division, 9-11 Year Old Division, Little League, Intermediate (50-70) Division, Junior League: 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) A player may be entered and/or re-entered defensively into the game at any time. Tournament Rule 4(c) provisions apply: 8-10 Year Old Division, 9-11 Year Old Division, Little League: Pitchers once removed from the mound may not return as pitchers. Intermediate (50-70) Division, Junior League: A pitcher remaining in the game, but moving to a different position, can return as a pitcher at anytime in the remainder of the game, but only once per game.”¹

The playing rules for the Special Games tournaments are specified by the District Administrator and will include mandatory play rules.

Little League “Special Games” Tournament Teams (District 33 ONLY)

District 33 (Local) has a Postseason tournament for the following age groups, based on league age:

- ★ *7-8 Year Old Team(s)* - Selected from 7 and 8 year old players. Players are eligible if they played in the Junior Minor or Senior Minor Divisions.
- ★ *8-10 Year Old ‘B’ Team(s)* - Selected from 8, 9 and 10 year old players. Players are eligible if they played in the Little League (Major) Division or Senior Minor Division.

If selected to a “Special Games” Tournament Team, the player understands and commits that they are available for the majority of the scheduled practices, games, and activities that can begin as early as May 23..

Little League All-Star Tournament Teams

Little League has International All-Star District, Sectional, and State tournaments for the following age groups based on league age:

- ★ *8-10 Year Old Team(s)* - Selected from 8, 9 and 10 year old players. Players are eligible if they played in the Little League (Major) Division or Senior Minor Division.

¹ Please see Little League’s [Baseball Official Regulations With Playing and Tournament Rules](#) for complete coverage of this topic.

★ *9-11 Year Old Team(s)* - Selected from 9, 10 and 11 year old players. Players are eligible if they played in the Little League (Major) Division or Senior Minor Division or Intermediate Division.

Little League has International All-Star District, Sectional, State, Regional and World Series tournaments for the following age groups based on league age:

★ *Little League (10-11-12 Year Old Team)* - Selected from 10, 11, and 12 year old players. Players are eligible only if they played in the Little League (Major) Division or the Intermediate Division.

★ *Intermediate Division (11-13 Year Old Team)* - Selected from 11, 12, and 13 year old players. Players are eligible only if they played in the Intermediate Division.

★ *Junior League (12-14 Year Old Team)* - Selected from 12 to 14 year old players. Players are eligible if they played in the Junior League or Senior League.

★ *Senior League (13-16 Year Old Team)* - Selected from 13 to 16 year old players. Players are eligible only if they played in the Junior League or Senior League.

If selected to an All-Star team, the player understands and commits that they are available for the majority of All-Star practices, games, and activities beginning as early as May 23RD until the conclusion of All-Star tournaments. The player understands their team could advance through District 33, Sectionals, and Texas East State tournaments into late July. For the Little League, Intermediate, Junior, and Senior teams, the Texas East State winner can further advance through Regionals and finish in late August at the Little League World Series.

Characteristics/Qualities of an All-Star Player

All selection decisions regarding All-Star teams should be made with certain ideals in mind. Several characteristics/qualities permeate our selection process of players, coaches, and managers for All-Stars:

- ★ Skill level and ability to compete.
- ★ Attitude, hustle, TEAM spirit, and TEAM leadership.
- ★ Overall character, integrity, and sportsmanship

Winning is fun for everyone! However, it is very important to remember that Little League is still a child development program, and we must continue to teach life lessons, building and demonstrating the positive ideals and characteristics that we desire and hope for in our children.

Responsibilities: Regular Season Manager/Coaches & Board Members

Regular season managers/coaches² should make every effort to evaluate their players, as well as players on other teams, throughout the regular season. For example, you should attempt to observe other games being played in your division when the opportunity becomes available. Additionally, managers/coaches should meet with the opposing manager/coaches, prior to the start of their game, to discuss which players are potential All-Star candidates. Board members should also attempt to watch and evaluate players while serving field duty.

All-Star Player, Manager and Coach Agreement

Each interested player/manager/coach submits their name for consideration by completing and filing the College Station Little League All-Star/Postseason Commitment Form with the College Station Little League Board of Directors. This document explains the commitment necessary to be a part of All-Stars. CSLL will strive to field the *most competitive All-Star teams possible* and will assure that teams are composed of players and managers/coaches that represent the attitude and character we desire. With this in mind, CSLL wishes to involve only parents and players who are committed to the hard work and practice time required to participate at this level of competition.

The player and parent commitment to All-Stars must be a solid commitment. Tournament players must bear in mind that their first commitment should be to the CSLL All-Star team before any other non-Little League team or to any other sports camps or sports teams during the All-Star season. Repeated absences from practices and/or games may result in suspension and/or elimination of a player from All-Star competition, ONLY with final approval from the Board of Directors.

All-Star Scheduling for Team Selection and Team Announcement

The CSLL Board of Directors shall determine the schedule for conducting the All-Star selection process. The announcement date will be scheduled by the CSLL Board of Directors in accordance with Little League rules and regulations.

² For the purposes of this manual and associated documents, the term "manager" refers to a manager/head coach and the term "coach" refers to an assistant coach.

The Little League President and/or the appointed Board of Directors members shall be responsible for the All-Star selection process. All managers or a coach/representative from each team within the respective division shall be invited and asked to be present for the All-Star selections. At least one representative from each team *should* attend the All-Star selection meeting.

“Release of Names: The release of names of players selected for the tournament team shall not be made before May 15, and not until the availability and eligibility of all prospective team members have been established. (The AIG group accident insurance program for Little League tournament team try-out and practice will not go into effect until May 15). . . . Try-outs and practices by tournament teams shall not be held before May 15.”³

All-Star Selection Process

The process for selecting the All-Star teams will involve several steps and methods, depending on the division involved. Each division will have a scheduled All-Star meeting during the latter part of the regular season. In order for all players who are interested in participating in post-season play to be treated fairly, it is imperative that the regular season manager (or one coach) from each team attend the appropriate All-Star meeting. Each player deserves to have someone at the meeting representing him or her.

Each All-Star team representing CSLL will consist of 12 to 14 players. Approval by the CSLL Board of Directors will be required for consideration of less than 12 players. All-Star teams of less than 12 players must also be approved by the District Administrator.

Managers/coaches that want to be considered for All-Star Manager and/or All-Star Coach **MUST** be in attendance at All-Star clinics and All-Star meetings that pertain to their corresponding division. Failure to attend the clinics and meetings will result in dismissal from consideration (unless prior notification and approval by the CSLL All-Star Committee and Board of Directors is granted). Additionally, Little League requires completion of the Little League Diamond Leader Program for any coach and/or manager to be eligible to participate at any level of the Little League International Tournament. Certificates of completion must be submitted as an attachment to the Commitment Form.

³ Please see Little League's Baseball Official Regulations With Playing and Tournament Rules for complete coverage of this topic.

Each team can have one vote at the meetings. The manager from each team is eligible to attend the meeting and have a vote. If the manager is not able to attend the meeting, an assistant coach may participate.

Preference for All-Star Manager(s) will be given first to regular season managers. If none of the managers want to be the All-Star manager, then regular-season coaches are eligible to be the All-Star manager. The All-Star manager of the Little League (10-11-12-year-old team) must be a manager or coach from a Major Division team. The All-Star manager of the 9-10-11-year old team and the All-Star manager of the 8-9-10-year old 'A' team can be a manager or coach from the Major Division or the Senior Minor Division. The team managers for the District 33 Special Games 7-8 year-old teams and 8-9-10-year-old 'B' teams can be a manager or coach from any division.

The CSLL Board of Directors has the FINAL approval over any players, managers, and/or coaches that are selected for any team representing CSLL in tournament play. The Board of Directors will approve all of the candidates. If there are discipline/suspension issues that have occurred during the season, then these should be taken into consideration BEFORE a player, manager, or coach is approved for the team. The teams are representing CSLL and all of the 880+ players (and their families) when they take the field with "College Station" on their uniform. If the Board of Directors does not feel that a player, manager, or coach will represent our league in the manner that we expect, then they should not be approved.

Managers and coaches must be in good standing with CSLL and/or the Board of Directors. Manager and coach candidates will need approval before the All-Star selection meeting. A manager or coach that chooses to resign at any point during the All-Star process will not be able to return in any official capacity.

The All-Star Committee will be responsible for distributing and collecting the All-Star Commitment forms. They will also be responsible for the ballots and conducting the player's vote for all post-season teams. A member of the All-Star Committee and the Player Agent or League President will be present during the manager and coach's meetings to ensure that the meetings and voting are being conducted appropriately.

A player has the right to withdraw from certain all star team selections, with the hopes of getting a roster spot on a different team, but he or she cannot change his or her mind after the all star selection. The all star selection process will go in the following order... Majors, 11U, 10U, 8U Seniors, Juniors, then Intermediate.

Little League (Major 10-11-12 Year Old Team) - Total # of Players 12-14

The PLAYER All-Star Commitment Forms will be submitted to the CSLL All-Star Committee and/or Board of Directors. The 10, 11, and 12 year old players in the Major Division will have the opportunity to make a contribution to the selection process by voting for four (4) players from an All-Star Ballot of committed players. The top two (2) players from this vote will be placed on the All-Star team. The regular season managers/coaches will have the majority input for the selection of this team by voting in eight (8) players during the scheduled All-Star meeting. The elected All-Star manager (see below) shall complete the remainder of the team by selecting two (2) to four (4) players from the remaining players committed to play All-Stars.

TIES - Player Vote (Players): In the event of a tie with the players' vote, the managers and coaches present at the meeting will vote to break the tie (i.e. Player A has the highest vote total among the players' vote and is automatically on the All-Star team. Players B and C were tied for the 2nd spot among the players' vote. The managers and coaches present at the All-Star meeting would vote for either B or C to be the 2nd automatic qualifier. Player B received the most votes and is placed on the All-Star team. Player C would join the rest of the eligible players to be considered and voted on by the managers and coaches).

TIES - Player Vote (Manager/Coaches): After the two (2) players elected by the players' vote are placed on the All-Star team, the managers and coaches will then vote for the next eight (8) players. Players C, D, E, F, G, H, and I have the highest total votes from the managers and coaches vote and are placed on the All-Star team. Players J and K are tied for the 10th spot. The managers and coaches would then vote for either player J or K. If J and K are still tied after this re-vote, the managers and coaches could vote whether or not to put both players on the All-Star team. If the decision is made to put both J and K on the team, then the elected All-Star manager would need to pick one (1) to three (3) players to complete the roster. If the decision is made to not put both J and K on the team and the tie cannot be broken, then the elected All-Star manager would need to pick three (3) to five (5) players to complete the roster.

Little League (Major 10-11-12 Year Old Team) - 1 Mger & 2 Asst. Coaches

The MANAGER/COACH All-Star Commitment Forms will be submitted to the CSLL All-Star Committee and Board of Directors. At the All-Star meeting, after the player

votes (2) and regular season manager/coach votes (8), the regular season managers/coaches will vote for the Manager of the All-Star team. The elected Manager will then select two (2) assistant coaches from those managers and coaches that turned in the All-Star Commitment Form (pending Board approval).

TIES - Manager Vote (Manager/Coaches): In the event of a tie in the voting for All-Star manager, then the managers and coaches would re-vote for only the managers that were tied, Managers X or Y. After three votes, if the votes are still tied, a coin flip would occur. The winner of the coin flip would be the All-Star Manager and the loser(s) would automatically be one of the All-Star Coaches.

9-10-11 Year Old Team - Total # of Players 12-14

The PLAYER All-Star Commitment Forms will be submitted to the CSLL All-Star Committee and/or Board of Directors. The regular season managers/coaches will have the majority input for the selection of this team by voting in nine (9) players during the scheduled All-Star meeting. Tie votes will be broken in the manner discussed above in the Majors (10-11-12) section. The players selected for the 9-10-11 team can be from the Majors Division, the Senior Minor Division, or the Intermediate Division. The elected All-Star manager (see below) shall complete the remainder of his team by selecting three (3) to five (5) players from the remaining players committed to playing All-Stars.

9-10-11 Year Old Team - 1 Manager & 2 Assistant Coaches

The MANAGER/COACH All-Star Commitment Forms will be submitted to the CSLL All-Star Committee and Board of Directors. At the All-Star meeting, after the regular season manager/coach votes (9), the regular season managers/coaches will vote for the Manager of the All-Star team. The elected Manager will then select two (2) assistant coaches that turned in the All-Star Commitment Form (pending Board approval).

8-9-10 Year Old Team(s) - Total # of Players 12-14

The PLAYER All-Star Commitment Forms will be submitted to the CSLL All-Star Committee and/or Board of Directors. The regular season managers/coaches will have

the majority input for the selection of the 'A' team by voting in nine (9) players during the scheduled All-Star meeting. Tie votes will be broken in the manner discussed above in the Majors (10-11-12) section. The players selected for the 'A' team will be composed of players from the Major Division or Senior Minor Division. The elected All-Star manager (see below) shall complete the remainder of his team by selecting three (3) to five (5) players from the remaining players committed to playing All-Stars. After the 'A' team has been selected, the 'B' team(s) will then be selected using the same format. The players selected to the 'B' teams will be players from the Majors Division or Senior Minor Division.

8-9-10 Year Old Team(s) - 1 Manager & 2 Assistant Coaches

The MANAGER/COACH All-Star Commitment Forms will be submitted to the CSLL All-Star Committee and Board of Directors. At the All-Star meeting, after the regular season manager/coach votes (9), the regular season managers/coaches will vote for the Manager of the All-Star team. The elected Manager will then select two (2) assistant coaches that turned in the All-Star Commitment Form (pending Board approval). The managers of the 9-10 'B' teams will be selected in a similar fashion.

7-8 Year Old Team(s) - Total # of Players 11-14

The PLAYER All-Star Commitment Forms will be submitted to the CSLL All-Star Committee and/or Board of Directors. The regular season managers/coaches will have the majority input for the selection of this team by voting in nine (9) players during the scheduled All-Star meeting. Tie votes will be broken in the manner discussed above in the Majors (10-11-12) section. The elected All-Star manager (see below) shall complete the remainder of his team by selecting two (2) to five (5) players from the remaining players committed to playing All-Stars.

7-8 Year Old Team(s) - 1 Manager & 3 Assistant Coaches

The MANAGER/COACH All-Star Commitment Forms will be submitted to the CSLL All-Star Committee and Board of Directors. At the All-Star meeting, after the regular season manager/coach votes (9), the regular season managers/coaches will vote for the Manager of the All-Star team. The elected Manager will then select three (3) assistant coaches that turned in the All-Star Commitment Form (pending Board approval). The managers of each 7-8 Special Games team will be selected in a similar fashion.

Senior League (13-14-15-16 Year Old Team) - Total # of Players 12-14

The PLAYER All-Star Commitment Forms will be submitted to the CSLL All-Star Committee and/or Board of Directors. The regular season managers/coaches will select nine (9) players. Tie votes will be broken in the manner discussed above in the Majors (10-11-12) section. The elected All-Star manager (see below) shall complete the remainder of his team by selecting three (3) to five (5) players.

Senior League (13-14-15-16 Year Old Team) - 1 Manager & 2 Asst. Coaches

The MANAGER/COACH All-Star Commitment Forms will be submitted to the CSLL All-Star Committee and Board of Directors. At the All-Star meeting, after the regular season manager/coach votes (9), the regular season managers/coaches will vote for the Manager of the All-Star team. The elected Manager will then select two (2) assistant coaches that turned in the All-Star Commitment Form (pending Board approval).

Junior League (12-13-14 Year Old Team) - Total # of Players 12-14

The PLAYER All-Star Commitment Forms will be submitted to the CSLL All-Star Committee and/or Board of Directors. The regular season managers/coaches will select nine (9) players. Tie votes will be broken in the manner discussed above in the Majors (10-11-12) section. The elected All-Star manager (see below) shall complete the remainder of his team by selecting three (3) to five (5) players.

Junior League (12-13-14 Year Old Team) - 1 Manager & 2 Asst. Coaches

The MANAGER/COACH All-Star Commitment Forms will be submitted to the CSLL All-Star Committee and Board of Directors. At the All-Star meeting, after the regular season manager/coach votes (9), the regular season managers/coaches will vote for the Manager of the All-Star team. The elected Manager will then select his two (2) assistant coaches that turned in the All-Star Commitment Form.

Intermediate (50-70) Division (11-12-13 Year Old Team) - Total # of Players 12-14

The PLAYER All-Star Commitment Forms will be submitted to the CSLL All-Star Committee and/or Board of Directors. The regular season managers/coaches will have the majority input for the selection of this team by voting in nine (9) players during the

scheduled All-Star meeting. Tie votes will be broken in the manner discussed above in the Majors (10-11-12) section. The elected All-Star manager (see below) shall complete the remainder of his team by selecting three (3) to five (5) players from the remaining players committed to playing All-Stars.

Intermediate (50-70) Division (11-12-13 Year Old Team) - 1 Mgr & 2 Asst. Coaches

The MANAGER/COACH All-Star Commitment Forms will be submitted to the CSLL All-Star Committee and Board of Directors. At the All-Star meeting, after the regular season manager/coach votes (9), the regular season managers/coaches will vote for the Manager of the All-Star team. The elected Manager will then select his two (2) assistant coaches that turned in the All-Star Commitment Form.

Approval and Amendment Process

After annual approval by the CSLL Board of Directors, any amendments to this manual must be approved by the CSLL Board of Directors and a majority of the managers in the division(s) affected by the proposed amendments.