

# All-Star Baseball League

The All-Star Baseball League is a non-competitive baseball league designed especially for school aged children with physical or mental challenges. Every child will have the opportunity to hit, pitch and field each inning. Game rules are flexible so that every child will have the chance to play in an athletic environment structured to each child's ability.



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# All-Star Baseball Volunteer Brochure



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Jefferson City  
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Evening Lions

***You can be a baseball hero to a child but only if you volunteer!***

Jefferson City Parks and Recreation and the Jefferson City Evening Lions are hosting a non-competitive baseball league for Jefferson City area school aged kids with physical and developmental disabilities or other conditions that keep them from participating in traditional baseball leagues.

Every player has a "baseball buddy" to help him/her play. Volunteer buddies are needed for the 2010 season!

You don't have to be a ball player yourself; you only need to be willing to help a player be safe and successful on the field.

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**Volunteers Needed**

This is a non-competitive league and each team will bat through its entire line-up. Each player will bat a pitched ball until they have successfully hit or hit a ball from a tee. After the hit, the runner will proceed to run the bases as far as they wish. As a volunteer helping with batting and running, you will assist the player in hitting and running the bases to the extent that they want your assistance.

Each player in the field will have a volunteer to assist them as well. After the batter hits the ball, a volunteer will pitch every fielder a ball for them to retrieve, so each fielder will field a ball on every hit. Every fielder will also have a volunteer that will assist them in fielding the ball and help them return the ball to the pitcher's volunteer.

Everyone will help keep the players safe from batted balls or base runners as necessary. We will also help them get into the dugout and out to their positions at the change of each inning. Some might need some assistance in keeping up with what is happening during the game. Above all, we would like everyone to talk to your player, encourage them and help them learn how to play the game.

\*Thank you for your willingness to help!

**Volunteer Registration**

The success of the program is dependent upon a large number of volunteers. Baseball buddies can be individuals or whole groups in the Jefferson City area. Volunteering consists of helping a child with catching, throwing, batting and running during game play . You can volunteer for one or all of the games, depending upon your availability.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Age:\_\_\_\_ School:\_\_\_\_\_

Email:\_\_\_\_\_

Do you already know a child that you would like to help? Please list name below.

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Dates:

(please check all that you can attend)

\_\_\_ April 30

\_\_\_ May 7

\_\_\_ May 14

\_\_\_ May 21

\_\_\_ May 28 (rain date)

\_\_\_ June 4

\_\_\_ June 11

\_\_\_ June 18 (rain date)

\*All games begin at 6:30 p.m.\*

***In the event of inclement weather, you can check to see if the games are on by calling the Parks and Recreation Activities Hotline at 634-6485 after 4:00 p.m.***