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2018 All-Star Commitment Letter & Selection Process

May 9, 2018

Dear Cal Ripken-Babe Ruth League Parent/Guardian,

All-Star selection time is coming soon. In order for your child to be eligible for the All-Star selection process, the attached Commitment Letter must be filled out and turned into the League office **no later than May 12, 2018 for CR and May 24, 2018 for BR**. Please note that some coaches may collect these forms and submit them as a team. The goal is to assemble the best players in each age group to represent our League. Please keep in mind that playing on our All-Star team is a privilege and not a right. Behavior and attitude can also be deciding factors in the selection process. Also any outstanding balances will exclude your child from All-Star selection. The players will be selected from a master list prepared by the Player Agents comprised of only those players who have submitted a Commitment Letter. **It is important that your letter be submitted by May 12(CR) / May 24(BR)**. Managers will contact selected players by June 1, 2018.

We ask that you please think about the commitment that you are making. It would not be fair for your child to take the place of another child who is capable of making the commitment for post-season participation. There are both monetary expenses and time commitments involved in post-season play. Below is a list of things that you should be aware of:

(1) The cost per player for post-season play will be \$125 (7U-12U) \$135 (13U-15U). There will be additional costs (travel expenses) if the teams advance and participate in additional tournaments towards the Cal Ripken World Series.

(2) Your All-Star team may practice multiple times per week and may enter other tournaments.

(3) Initial All-Star schedule:

- A) District Tournament June 18 – June 22 *(Top 2 Teams Advance to State Tournament)
 - 8U, 10U, 11U and 12U at Los Altos
 - 9U at Frontier
- B) State Tournament June 28 – July 1 *(Winner Advance to Regionals) / BR Schedule July 7 – July 15 (Locations TBD)
 - 12U-60 and 12U-70 at Los Altos
 - 11U at Heartwell
 - 10U at Los Altos
 - 9U at Frontier
 - 8U at Frontier
 - 7U Heartwell
- C) Pacific South West Regionals, (advancement for State Champions)
 - 8's Carbon County Utah 7/22 - 7/28
 - 9U at Bakersfield 7/15 - 7/21
 - 10U at Kingsburg Ca 7/15 - 7/22
 - 11U at Bakersfield 7/15 - 7/21
 - 12U-60 at Hanford Ca 7/15 - 7/22
 - 12U-70 at Long Beach Ca 7/15 - 7/22
 - 13U at Surprise AZ 7/22
 - 14U at Carbon County Utah 7/22
 - 15U at Surprise AZ 7/22
 - 16-18U at Mountain View Ca 7/19



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(4) **Before signing your Commitment Letters**, please note the additional time and travel expenses that will be required should your player's team advance. Do not assume that your team will not advance.

(5) The player's \$125 (7U-12U) \$135 (13U-15U) fee includes hat, jersey, dri-fit jersey. Teams must purchase their own baseball pants as a team (everyone must have matching uniforms) **ALL-STAR PAYMENTS ARE DUE JUNE 1, 2018 if your child is selected.**

Schedule updates will be posted on the Heartwell website.

If you have any questions, please email heartwellbaseballinc@gmail.com or contact a Board Member directly.

Thank you,

Tom Pumilia President,

Heartwell Baseball, Inc.

CR – Cal Ripken Division

BR – Babe Ruth Division



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2018 ALL-STAR COMMITMENT LETTER

* This form "MUST" be completed for your child to be considered as an All-Star for Heartwell CRBRL. Forms must be turned into the League office by **no later than May 12, 2018 (CR) – May 24, 2018 for BR.**

I/We the parents/guardians of _____ acknowledge that we have received and read the All-Star Eligibility and Commitment cover letter. I/We would like our child to be eligible for selection to an All-Star team for the 2018 Heartwell CRBRL season.

_____ I understand there is a non-refundable \$125.00 (7U-12) \$135.00 (13U-15U) All-Star participation fee that must be paid in full by June 1, 2018 if your child is selected. This fee covers the hat, jersey, dri-fit jersey, which the players get to keep, as well as other miscellaneous expenses such as umpires and baseballs. Some leagues charge tournament fees, etc., (CRBRL does not charge for these fees). Checks should be made payable to: **Heartwell Cal Ripken.**

_____ I understand that my child must be available for practices and games from the end of the Heartwell CRBRL and TOC tournaments through the end of the All-Star tournament(s), this may mean multiple tournaments and could go well into the end of July, ending with the televised Cal Ripken World Series in August (10U and 12U only). Please note: As your player's team advances, additional time and costs (travel expenses) will be incurred.

_____ I understand that if the League has no League Birth Card on file for my child that I must supply the long form birth certificate (no abstract) for my child to participate.

_____ I understand that the Managers/Coaches for the All-Star teams will make all decisions that they feel are in the best interest of the team. **Being selected to the All-Star team DOES NOT guarantee an amount of playing time or a specific playing position for any player.** All coaches, players, families, and fans, must follow the Sportsmanship Code of Conduct both on the field and in the stands. Unsportsmanlike conduct, by anyone, will not be tolerated.

I/We understand that I/we must comply with all of the conditions listed above for my child to be eligible for an All-Star team. I/we understand that failure on my/our part to comply with the above conditions could result in the immediate release of my child from the All-Star team.

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

Player's Division/Team

_____/ # _____ / _____ / _____ / _____
Jersey Size / 1st Choice / 2nd Choice / Pants Size / Hat Size

Player's Birthdate

Player's League Age
(Child's age as of April 30, 2018)

Paid by Check Cash Credit Card

Verified by: _____

Date: _____



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