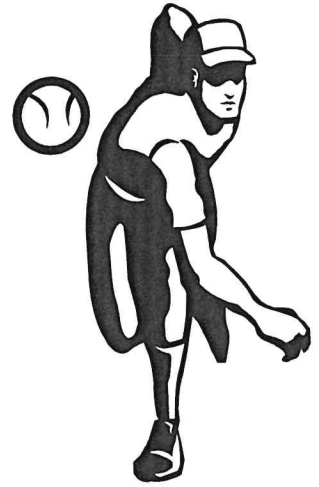


TROUP COUNTY PARKS & RECREATION COMMISSION
PARENT INFORMATION SHEET
SPRING 2024



Program Title: 7/8 Yr. Old Boys Coach Pitch League

Program Objectives:

1. To have fun while participating
 2. To teach the fundamental skills of baseball
 3. To promote sportsmanship and teamwork
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Most Frequently Asked Questions:

1. ***What happens next?*** Once registration is completed your each player will be placed on a team.
2. ***What should my child wear to the practices and games?*** Sneakers or Baseball Cleats. T-shirt and shorts or sweat pants.
3. ***How many days and what day of the week do the practices and games take place?*** Two days per week; on Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays, Fridays or Saturdays.
4. ***What time do the practices and games take place?*** Saturdays between 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. (1 hour each) and weekdays at 6:00 & 7:00 p.m.
5. ***When will I find out what team my child is on?*** The coach of your child's team will contact you about the first practice. If you haven't heard from a coach by the week of **February 26th**, contact the Recreation Commission office at 706/883-1670.
6. ***How will my child be placed on a team?***
A). The staff will no longer handle placements for players for team selection in this age group. **ALL 7/8 YEAR OLD PLAYERS WILL BE EVALUATED AND ENTERED INTO A DRAFT SYSTEM.** Coaches will draft according to the player score on the draft sheet. The Head Coach will retain all returning players not re-entering the draft. New coaches will be able to protect (3) players to start his roster, all other players will be drafted. This will better ensure the balance of teams rather than staff placement.
7. ***Who will be coaching my child?*** **A volunteer!!** The person coaching your child is **not** getting paid. If you or someone you know would be interested in volunteering please have them contact the Commission.
8. ***How long does the season last?*** **Practice Begins:** February 26th
Games: March 16th – May 24th
9. ***What will my child's uniform consist of?*** Team Jersey, Pants & Cap
10. ***What equipment will my child need to participate?*** Glove, Baseball Cleats or Tennis Shoes. **MUST USE USA STAMPED APPROVED BATS.**
11. ***Where will the practices and games take place?*** Griggs Recreation Center, Shuford Fields Softball Complex, or George F. Harris Baseball Complex.
12. ***Baseball Begins:*** March 16th, 2024 ***Picture Day:*** Saturday March 16th, 2024
13. ***Fee:*** \$60.00

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