



JACKSON HOLE YOUTH BASEBALL

P.O. Box 3892

Jackson, WY 83001

Dear Potential Jackson Babe Ruth Baseball Player:

Welcome to the 2011 Baseball Season with the Jackson Babe Ruth Baseball League. Please share this letter with your parent(s) and/or player.

Player Eligibility / Miscellaneous:

The league is open to all boys and girls ages 13 – 15 (must be 13 years old by 5/1/2011). All practices and games are played at the field north of the high school (Giant's Field). The season usually starts out with practices after Spring Break, and the games will begin the week of May 9, 2011. The league season is over the last week in June or first week in July.

League Philosophy:

To have fun while learning the fundamental skills of baseball on a regulation sized field. League rules dictate that **every player** will play at least 2 innings in **every game** (100% participation). We also have several "talent discovery nights" throughout the season, where the younger players take an even more active role in the games.

Costs to play in Junior Babe Ruth League:

- ❖ \$60 basic registration fee, plus
- ❖ \$50 personal sponsor fee that each player will need to collect from a grandparent, friend, neighbor, teacher, parent, business, etc. (You can have 5 sponsors @ \$10, or 2 sponsors @ \$25, etc). This helps to pay for important items such as uniforms, insurance, league fees, umpires, etc.
- ❖ \$50 uniform deposit check. The check will be held until the end of the season and returned to you after your uniform is returned [*Must be a separate check*].

Paperwork to fill out and send in ASAP:

1. The application, along with \$60 registration fee (make all checks payable to JHYBB). Please return this form by Friday, April 15, 2011.
2. Code of Conduct (on the back of the application - guardians must sign too)
3. \$50 uniform deposit check made payable to JH Youth Baseball League (**separate check please**).
4. For 13-year old players, or players new to the league, please send a copy of your birth certificate in along with the application.

Future Fees due:

- ❖ The \$50 sponsor fee is due prior to the first game. Please make every effort to turn in the sponsor fee on time.

PLEASE NOTE: ALL APPLICATIONS, FORMS, AND MONEY

ARE TO BE GIVEN OR MAILED TO

JHYB / Cynthia Wiley, 7940 Cowboy Way, Jackson WY 83001

Important dates to mark on your calendar: **April 15, 2011 Registration Due**

- ❖ **Tryouts/Team Selection 13 - 15 yr-olds - 4:00 pm - Wednesday, April 21, 2011**

Giants Field or a Gym if inclement weather

These exhibitions usually last two hours. If the weather is bad, bring your tennis shoes with you and it will be held in the Middle School Gym. If you do not bring tennis shoes, you will have to try out in socks. (Note: these exhibition drills are only used for the coaches to see the player's abilities so that teams may be drafted with equal talent.....Regardless of each player's ability, everyone will be drafted to a team!) Your coach will call you after the team selections to advise you which team you are on and the first practice time for your team.

We look forward to your registration and a fun 2011 season. Please feel free to call any of the Board members listed on the registration form with questions or comments that you may have.

Sincerely,

The 2011 Jackson Hole Youth Baseball Board

APPLICATIONS ARE AVAILABLE AT THE REC CENTER, SCHOOL OFFICE

ONLINE AT WWW.JACKSONHOLEYOUTHBASEBALL.COM OR

CALL CYNTHIA WILEY at 307-203-2484

NOTICES:

REGISTRATIONS DUE:	April 15, 2011
TRYOUTS	April 21, 2011 @ Giants Field - 4:00 PM
MANDATORY PARENT MEETING	WED, May 4, 2011 5:30 PM - Middle School Commons
\$50 SPONSOR FEE	Due on or before May 9th - first game