



# Irmo Little League, Inc.

## 2021 Tournament Team Letter of Intent (Player)

This 2021 Tournament Team Letter of Intent from the parent(s) or legal guardian(s) of \_\_\_\_\_ is provided to Irmo Little League (ILL) of Irmo, South Carolina which operates under the rules adopted by its Board of Directors, South Carolina Little League District 3 and Little League International. This Letter of Intent should be considered an application to play on an ILL 2021 Tournament Team; however, it does not guarantee selection to any of the ILL 2021 Tournament Teams.

Annually, ILL forms Tournament Teams to represent the league in the South Carolina District tournament, South Carolina State tournament, South Eastern Regional tournament and the Little League World Series tournament. Selection to an ILL 2021 Tournament Team is an honor that entails certain responsibilities, obligations and expectations for players and their families for as long as the tournament team is active in the 2021 Little League Tournament play.

By signing and submitting this Letter of Intent, I/we clearly understand and agree to the following:

1. The above named player is eligible to play on All-Stars according to the criteria set by Little League International as listed on the second page of this Letter of Intent.
2. The above named player is available to **fully** participate on a 2021 Tournament Team, if selected, by attending scheduled practices and games for as long as the 2021 Tournament Team remains active in sanctioned Little League tournament play at the District, State, Regional or World Series level. ILL Tournament team practices and games will be a priority and personal schedules regarding vacations and other tournaments need to be provided to the league ahead of time before being selected as a player. Failure to regularly attend practices or missing games due to other activities could result in immediate removal as player.
3. Any selected player that is judged by their Tournament Team Manager to be excessively absent from practices or games may be removed from the team at the Manager's discretion.
4. Any selected player that is judged by their Tournament Team Manager to be unfit due to misconduct or inappropriate behavior on or off the field may be removed from the team at the Manager's discretion.
5. This Letter of Intent **does not** guarantee that the player will be selected to a 2021 Tournament Team.
6. Additional costs related to travel expenses may be incurred. Fundraising will be done as needed to help offset the cost to the league and families. Each player is expected to participate in fund-raising activities. Fundraising is completed under the name of Irmo Little League and disbursement of funds will be determined by Irmo Little League Board after all expenses incurred by league have been accounted for.

Parent Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_



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Player's Name (Print): \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

League Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Baseball=Age as of August 31, 2021 / Softball=Age as of December 31, 2020

2021 Spring Season Division \_\_\_\_\_

2021 Spring Season Team: \_\_\_\_\_ Spring Season Jersey #: \_\_\_\_\_ (Required)

Planned Vacations: List all dates the applicant will not be available for practices/games. No dates entered means they are available for all practices/game dates:

\_\_\_\_\_

**Select Division (check qualified for and those that you wish to be included in the selection process):**

- Coach Pitch Baseball (6/7/8 year old team)
- Minors Baseball (8/9/10 year old team)
- Minors/Majors Baseball (9/10/11 year old team)
- Majors Baseball (10/11/12 year old team)
- Intermediate Baseball (11/12/13 year old team)
- Juniors Baseball (12/13/14 year old team)
- Seniors Baseball (14/15/16 year old team)
- Coach Pitch Softball (6/7/8 year old team)
- Minors Softball (8/9/10 year old team)
- Majors Softball (10/11/12 year old team)
- Juniors Softball (12/13/14 year old team)

**Tournament Uniform Information (if selected):**

\*\*\* YXS and YXL Pant/Jersey Size not available for Softball \*\*\*

Jersey Size: YS YM YL YXL AS AM AL AXL

Pants Size: YS YM YL YXL AS AM AL AXL

Hat Size: XS/S S/M L/XL (Baseball Only)

Shoe Size (for sock order) \_\_\_\_\_ (Softball Only)

**All 3 required, or ILL picks it**

(each # must be different)

1<sup>st</sup> choice Jersey # \_\_\_\_\_

2<sup>nd</sup> choice Jersey # \_\_\_\_\_

3<sup>rd</sup> choice Jersey # \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Legal Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Best Contact Number for Parent(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address for Parent(s): \_\_\_\_\_



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## 2021 Tournament Eligibility (Player) – This page does not need to be submitted

### The Little League rule book states:

Players are eligible for Tournament Play, provided they meet the criteria established by the Little League "Residency Eligibility Requirement", "Participation in Other Programs" and the following:

**Seniors-** Any player League Age 14-16, who has participated as an eligible player in 60 percent of the regular season games as of June 15 on a Seniors Baseball or Softball team, with the exception of the school season.

**Juniors** - Any player League Age 12-14, who has participated as an eligible player in 60 percent of the regular season games as of June 15 on a Juniors or Seniors Baseball or Softball team, with the exception of the school season.

**Intermediate** - Any player League Age 11-13, who has participated as an eligible player in 60 percent of the regular season games as of June 15 on a Juniors or Intermediate Baseball team, with the exception of the school baseball season.

**Little League (Majors Division)** - Any player League Age 10-12, who has participated as an eligible player in 60 percent of the regular season games as of June 15 on an Intermediate or Little League Baseball or Softball (Majors Division) team, with the exception of the school season.

**10-11 Year Old Division** - Any player League Age 9-11, who has participated as an eligible player in 60 percent of the regular season games as of June 15 on an Intermediate, Little League (Majors) or Minors team, with the exception of the school season.

**Minors** – Any player League Age 8-10, who has participated as an eligible player in 60 percent of the regular season games as of June 15 on a Little League (Majors) or Minors Baseball or Softball team.

### Residency Eligibility Requirement (most likely collected at registration time):

Each local Little League determines the actual geographic boundaries of the area from within which it shall select players. These boundaries must be described in detail and shown on a map and dated when making application for a Little League charter. Players will be eligible to play with that league only if they reside within the boundaries provided to and approved by Little League Baseball, Incorporated.

A player will be deemed to reside within the league boundaries if:

- A. His/her parents are living together and are residing within such league boundaries, OR;
- B. Either of the player’s parents (or his/her court-appointed legal guardian) reside within such boundaries. It is unacceptable if a parent moves into a league’s boundaries for the purpose of qualifying for tournament play. As detailed later in these rules, the penalty for violation of this rule may, in Little League Baseball, Incorporated’s discretion, result in the disqualification of a player, team or entire league from regular season and/or tournament play.

“Residence”, “reside” and “residing” refers to a place of bona fide continuous habitation. A place of residence once established shall not be considered changed unless the parents, parent or guardian makes a bona fide change of residence.

A Little League school enrollment form or one document from each of the following groups must be provided to the league:

#### GROUP ONE

1. Driver’s License
2. School records
3. Vehicle records (i.e., registration, lease, etc.)
4. Employment records
5. Insurance documents

#### GROUP TWO

1. Welfare/child care records
2. Federal records (Federal Tax, Social Security, etc.)
3. State records
4. Local (municipal) records
5. Support payment records
6. Homeowner or tenant records
7. Military records

#### GROUP THREE

1. Voter’s Registration
2. Utility bills (i.e., gas, electric, water/ sewer, phone, mobile phone, heating, waste disposal)
3. Financial records (i.e. loan, credit, investments, etc.)
4. Medical records
5. Internet, cable, or satellite records

**NOTE: Example – Three documents from the same Group (utility bill, cable bill, and bank statement) constitute only ONE document.** Any documents submitted as proof of residence must show customary usage or consumption to demonstrate bona fide continuous habitation as determined by Little League Baseball, Incorporated in its discretion.

**Proof of Age:** A birth certificate will be used to prove the league age of each player. A certified (original) birth certificate must be available if the player is selected.