

Knik Little League

All-Star Selection Policy & Procedure

(Dates shown may vary depending on calendar year)

Little League (Majors) Division & Older

Player Eligibility:

- **Little League (Majors) Division** - Any player League Age 10, 11, or 12, who has participated in 60% of the regular season games on a Little League (Majors) Division Baseball/Softball team
- **Intermediate (50-70) Division [BASEBALL ONLY]** – Any player League Age 11, 12, or 13, who has participated in 60% of the regular season games in the Intermediate (50-70) Division.
- **Junior League** - Any player League Age 12, 13, or 14, who has participated as an eligible player in 60% of the regular season games on a Junior or Senior League Baseball/Softball team.

Manager/Coach Eligibility:

- **Little League (Majors) Division** - manager and coaches shall be regular season team managers and/or coaches from the Little League Baseball (Majors) Division.
- **Intermediate (50-70) Division [BASEBALL ONLY]**- manager and coaches shall be regular season team managers and/or coaches from the Intermediate (50-70) Division.
- **Junior League** - manager and coaches shall be regular season team managers and/or coaches from the Junior Division or Senior Division.

** League Presidents may be eligible to be selected by local league Board of Directors as tournament team manager or coach with written approval from their respective District Administrator.

- All Managers, Little League (Major) Division and above will be given All-Star Applications on or before May 29th and be available for players ages 10 and above up to June 5th to fill out. Managers will inform their players that these must be turned in to their managers before June 5th. (This should also be written on the Application)
- Managers will collect the applications and turn them into the respective player agents by June 6th.
- Coaches and Managers who request to coach All-Stars need to submit their request to the League President by June 5th to be considered.
- The names of all players who have turned in their applications will be placed on the voting ballot according to which all-star team they qualify.
- Beginning June 8th managers will be given one ballot for each manager and coach on their team with the eligible players listed.
- The voting ballots will ask for each coach to vote for up to 9 players per team, i.e. (9 for Majors and 9 for 11/10). They may vote for less, but cannot vote for more. Coaches can only vote for the division they officially coached in that year.
- On or before June 9th all managers shall turn in the All-Star voting ballots to the player agents. (A coaches meeting could take the place of this if the player agents feel enough coaches can be present.)
- Player agents will tabulate the results on or before June 10th and approve to submit the results to the President.
- On June 10th all players who received votes and the tabulated results will be provided to the President as soon as it is completed, the top 9 players are automatically assigned to the
- June 10th the President will then select the All-Star managers and coaches.

(The Managers And Coaches Will Not Be Decided On Until Votes Reviewed By President)

- June 11th, The All-Star managers and coaches will then be provided the tabulated voting results and asked to select 3-5 additional players, based on who (and how many) they feel will help the team be successful.
- Coaches will inform the President of who the additional 3-5 players are and the entire All-Star team will then be approved by the executive board.
- June 12th, The teams will be posted on the Knik Website.

All Stars Sample Voting Ballot

Use an X to vote 9 players to Little League (Majors) team.

Use an O to vote 9 players to 11/10 team.

Team 1:

___ Full Name, League Age

___ Full Name, League Age

___ Full Name, League Age

Team 2:

___ Full Name, League Age

___ Full Name, League Age

___ Full Name, League Age

___ Full Name, League Age

Team 3:

___ Full Name, League Age

___ Full Name, League Age

Team 4:

___ Full Name, League Age

___ Full Name, League Age

___ Full Name, League Age

Team 5:

___ Full Name, League Age

___ Full Name, League Age

___ Full Name, League Age

___ Full Name, League Age

Team 6:

___ Full Name, League Age

___ Full Name, League Age

Minors Division:

Player Eligibility:

- Any player League Age 8, 9, or 10, who has participated as an eligible player in 60% of the regular season games in Minors or Little League (Majors) Baseball/Softball team.

Manager/Coach Eligibility:

- Manager and coaches shall be regular season team managers and/or coaches from the Minors or Little League (Majors) Baseball/Softball Division.
- ** League Presidents may be eligible to be selected by local league Board of Directors as tournament team manager or coach with written approval from their respective District Administrator.

**** IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT ALL 10 YEAR OLDS WHOS NAME WAS PLACED ON THE LITTLE LEAGUE (MAJORS) BALLOT ALSO ATTEND ASSESSMENTS, IN THE EVENT THEY DO NOT MAKE IT ON A HIGHER DIVISION TEAM****

- On or before the week of May 29th, Player agents will hand out a predetermined number (most likely 5) of the All-Star Applications to each Minors manager. Managers will then hand out the applications to the players on their team that they and the coaches feel are All-Star caliber players. If a Minors manager feels that they have more than the predetermined number of players that should tryout then they must get approval and more applications from the player agent. Majors managers will receive and hand out All-Star Applications to each 9 & 10 year old players on their team. All players must return them to have the managers for signature.
- Minors Managers will complete the Manager 9-10 All-Star Application Cover Sheet and turn in the applications and cover sheet to the player agent.
- Coaches and Managers who request to coach All-Stars need to submit their request to the President by June 5th to be considered.
- On June 8th – All 8, 9 & 10 year old players that returned an All-Star Application will have an All-Star tryout at the Knik fields. Tryouts will consist of an evaluation of skills by a committee of managers and coaches assembled for that purpose. **The committee will consist of equal numbers of Minors and Majors evaluators.**
- **Only 1 Coach or Manager from a team may be present to evaluate the players, but all are highly encouraged to help run the assessments and encourage their players.**
- June 9th - Scores will be tabulated by the player agents with the approval of the President or VP Representative.
- June 9th - The President will assign the All-Star managers and coaches.
(The Managers And Coaches Will Not Be Decided On Until Scores Reviewed By President)
- The top 9 will be placed on the Minors (A) Team and the manager will be allowed to pick the additional 3-5 players, the remaining teams to be made in the same fashion in sequential order; 11/10 Team, Minors (B) Team.
League recommendation at these age groups would be 12 players per team, to allow for more playing time, however, if the selected manager desires they can request more.
- June 12th, The teams will be posted on the Knik Website.

All-Star Teams:

- The baseball All-Star teams will consist of:
 - Minors (A) Team *League Ages; 8, 9 & 10
 - Minors (B) Team *League Ages; 8, 9 & 10 (Pending Enough Players)
 - 11/10 Team *League Ages; 9, 10 & 11
 - Little League (Majors) Team *League Ages; 10, 11 & 12
 - Intermediate (50/70) Team *League Ages; 11, 12 & 13
 - Junior Team *League Ages; 12, 13 & 14 (Pending Enough Players)
- The Softball All-Star teams will consist of:
 - Minors Team
 - Majors Team
 - Juniors Team

All-Star Team Priorities:

Some players may be eligible for multiple teams based off of age or playing time. The following will be used to set priorities when assigning teams however, League goal is to field the most competitive team at all levels:

- Baseball All-Star teams priorities:
 - Little League (Majors) Team
 - Intermediate (50/70) Team
 - Minors (A) Team
 - 11/10 Team
 - Minors (B) Team
 - Juniors Team
- Softball All-Star teams priorities:
 - Majors Team
 - Minors Team
 - Juniors Team