

SEASON

The season typically starts March 15th and runs through May. The Post season tournament starts beginning of June.

Max Age Requirement – August 31, 2005

GAMES

Each team typically plays 12 to 16 games per season (depending on rain-outs)

Games played during the week typically start at 6:00 PM.

We typically DO NOT play games on Saturday unless weather cancellations become an issue.

Game length is typically 1 hour 45 minutes, and consists of 6 innings.

PRACTICE

Practice occurs as much as three times a week prior to the season with one practice per week during the season. Practice schedules vary from team to team based on the requirements of the manager.

UNIFORMS

LLL provides a T-shirt jersey and cap. Parents must provide socks and rubber baseball cleats.

PLAYING EQUIPMENT

Parents must provide ball glove and bat. (See our bat size chart for guidance on choosing a bat)

TEAM

Teams usually consist of 11-12 players, a volunteer manager, two volunteer coaches, and a volunteer team parent.

Anyone expressing interest should contact Chad Evans (chad@mooreandgiles.com). Teams are selected via a draft in early March after a player skills assessment clinic is conducted.

PHILOSOPHY

To continue to teach the basic fundamentals of baseball and introduce game strategy.

VOLUNTEER WORK/FUND RAISING

LLL is an all volunteer organization. We need everyone's help! Parents are expected to help!

MAJOR LEAGUE - FAQ's

Q: Do you keep score and are there umpires?

A: Yes. Every manager maintains a scorebook. League standings are kept to determine a regular season winner and to determine playoff games. There is a home plate umpire and one field umpire.

Q: What size field do they play on and where is the field?

A: All games are played on a regulation Little League field with a grass infield and grass outfield. Games are played at Miller Park. Bases are 60' apart and the pitcher mound is 46' from home plate.

Q: Can I have my child play on a team with their friends?

A: Not unless they are drafted on to that team. In this age group, player's skills are evaluated in a skills assessment clinic. Then a draft is held. Selection order in the draft is based on the where the team finished in the previous season.

Q: Can I manage or coach a team?

A: Yes, if positions are available. Prospective managers must contact Chad Evans (chad@mooreandgiles.com). If you would to serve a coach please note that on your child's spring registration form.

Q: Will my child get to play all the time?

A: Probably not all of the game, but our rules require the manager to play each child at least 50% of each game.

Q: What are the volunteer requirements?

A: LLL is an all volunteer organization so there are many ways to volunteer. Help is always needed with registration, team parenting, helping with post-season tournaments, and working in the concession stand to name just a few of the many ways to help support LLL.

Q: Why a draft? Sounds pretty serious.

A: A draft is the best way to evenly spread the various skill level of players throughout the league. LLL holds a player skills assessment clinic. Each child is required to swing a bat and run to first base, field a ground ball and catch a fly ball. The player's skills are assessed and the manager then decides what child he would like to draft in the various rounds of the draft.