

Ewa Beach Little League
2018 All-Star Tournament Player Commitment Form

Completion of this form indicates that your child wants to be considered for the 2018 Ewa Beach Little League All-Star team. This is not a registration form, as All-Star teams are selected by the EBLL Board. It is an honor to be selected, and all players and parents who choose to participate must understand and meet specific commitments that are required.

1. Proof of age and residency

If selected to the All-Star tournament team, parents/guardians must produce an original government issued birth certificate or an original "Little League "In lieu of Birth Certificate" document within 3 days of notification of placement on the team roster. Originals must be shown and copies will need to be provided within 3 days after notification of placement on the roster.

In accordance with Little League rules, parents/guardians of the player must also provide documentation to determine and verify proof of residency with the School Enrollment Form – by far this is the easiest for parents and EBLL.

_____ When requested, I will produce the required documentation

2. Player Availability and Attendance

To be eligible to be selected onto the All-Star team, a player must be available for all practices and games. Practices begin after teams are announced on June 1st. Expect that there will be practice and/or a parent meeting the day after All-Star players are announced. You should expect practices to be every day of the week up until the tournament. Some managers will schedule off days, some will not. Games and practices will continue throughout the All-Star Tournament until the team is eliminated. If there is more than one (1) unexcused absence from a game or practice, the player may be removed from the team and parents/guardians will be expected to reimburse the league for the cost of uniforms. An excused absence would be a medical or family emergency.

_____ I understand the rules regarding attendance to all practices and games

_____ If selected, we will attend the players and parents meeting

3. District 7 Tournament dates and locations

All 8-10 year old tournament teams are eligible to advance as far as the State Tournament by winning the District 7 Championship. Schedules are as follows:

8-10 year old district tournament – June 21-27, 2018 - Pearl City Recreation Center

8-10 year old state tournament – July 18-24, 2018 – Puuiki Beach Park, Waialua

All 10-12 year old tournament teams are eligible to advance to State, Regionals in San Bernardino, CA and the Little League World Series in Williamsport, PA. This can last up to the last week of August with no breaks. Schedules are as follows:

10-12 year old district tournament – July 5-11, 2018 – Corp Y2, Wapio

10-12 year old state tournament – July 20-25, 2018 – Kialuea District Park

10-12 year old regional tournament – August 2-11, 2018 – San Bernardino, CA

_____ I understand the dates of the Little League tournaments and we will be available for all of them.

_____ I understand, but we MAY have this conflict:

_____ I understand, but we WILL have these conflicts:

4. All-Star Tournament Mandatory Play Rules

Every player on the team roster shall participate in each game for a minimum of one (1) at bat if the roster has 13 or more players. For teams with only 12 or less eligible players, then they shall participate in a minimum of six (6) consecutive defensive outs and one (1) at bat. In most cases this may be all the playing time they may get in a given game or throughout the tournament. All teams will have rosters of 12 to 14 players. This means that 3 or 4 players will be on the bench at all times and that 6 to 8 players will likely take turns sitting on the bench.

_____ I understand the rules regarding mandatory playing time in All-Star tournament play and this it's possible that my child may only bat once a game and, depending on team size may not play in any defensive positions during the tournament.

5. Parent or Guardian Responsibilities

The All-Star tournament is a separate opportunity for players to continue playing baseball after the regular Little League season is completed. Ewa Beach Little League sponsors the All-Star Tournament Team. This sponsorship includes some team equipment, payment for uniforms and All-Star tournament fees.

Parents and their guests are responsible for their attitudes and behavior toward volunteer coaches, players, spectators and the umpires. Unruly and disruptive parents are the single greatest contributor to a negative All-Star experience for volunteer coaches, players and other parents. EBLI expects parents to be supportive and encouraging throughout the All-Star season and during all practices and games. Many players experience their first brushes with significantly better competition, failure or sitting on a bench. These challenges can occur

throughout the All-Star season and they require parents, coaches and teammates to work together to provide a supportive and encouraging environment.

_____ I understand that All-Stars is an honor for players to simply be on a team. I will help support my child, the team, the league and the coaches to make the All-Star experience a fun and memorable one. I will keep a positive attitude and will help encourage my child's attitude, enthusiasm and effort. I understand that my being disruptive can lead to me and/or my child being asked to leave the team.

SUMMARY

I understand that Little League All-Stars is completely different from the regular season Little League experience. All-Star teams are comprised of only the top-quality players from every league in our district. There will be more frequent and longer duration practices. Games are generally very competitive and played at a much higher level than regular season games. Playing rules regarding substitutions, minimum playing time and at bats, player behavior and parent/spectator interaction are also completely different. Players chosen to an All-Star team get a comprehensive coaching experience, regardless of their eventual playing time in games. Over 80% of players' time will be spent in practices and pre-game workouts. This is the time that ALL players participate in equally.

Having read all of the above and understanding such, I agree to all of the above statements and willingly submit this application to be considered for the Ewa Beach All-Star Team.

Player Name (print): _____

Player Signature: _____

Parent/Guardian Name (print): _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

Date: _____

Contact Information:

Parent/Guardian #1

_____ (email)

_____ (phone number)

Parent/Guardian #2

_____ (email)

_____ (phone number)

Player uniform Information:

Jersey Size: _____ Pant Size: _____ Hat Size: _____

Number Request: 1: _____ 2: _____ 3: _____

Parent Orders:

Hat (Size and Quantity): _____

All Star T-Shirts (Size and Quantity): _____