



GLEBE LITTLE LEAGUE

Majors 2017 Travel Ball Program

At Majors, Glebe Little League will form Travel Ball (“All Star”) baseball teams in accordance Little League’s travel ball program which was initiated in 2015 and designed to expand playing opportunities. The program allows leagues to form spring competitive teams running concurrently with the house league program during the spring season (May/June).

Travel ball players MUST play in the spring program (Travel Ball would be in addition to spring – in general, one additional baseball activity per week). The Travel Ball team is NOT our summer competitive team(s). Tryouts for summer competitive teams will be held as usual in June (tentatively June 3). However, Travel Ball would give those most likely to play in summer an opportunity to play/practice together earlier giving the summer program a much needed boost.

Travel Ball Play

Teams will play/practice on weekends (usually Sundays). Overall, play will consist of:

- Exhibition games with travel teams from other leagues (South Ottawa, Orleans, Ottawa West, etc.) and other competitive teams in the area (currently, five games scheduled on May 7, May 28 and June 18, subject to change)
- Dedicated Travel Ball practices on weekends where we have no games
- Participation in the Ottawa West tournament from June 9 to 11.

Evaluations/Registration

Players interested in trying out will be evaluated during the spring evaluation session on April 9, or at separate sessions where needed. At the April session, or before, we will ask those interested to self-identify. The top players in spring evaluation will be asked to join in order of spring rankings to form one or two teams of around 15. If there is enough interest to form two teams, participants will be divided by “league age” to compete against other associations who also split their teams in a similar manner:

- U11, players born between May 1, 2005 and Aug. 31, 2006
- U12, players born between May 1, 2004 and April 30, 2005

Cost

The cost is \$95 per player (on top of spring league fees) to cover facility rental for the first practice, a jersey (for players to keep), tournament entry and cost of ump crews, etc.

For more information

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