

**LITTLE LEAGUE BASEBALL INC
WISCONSIN DISTRICT ONE**

**2010 MAJOR BASEBALL
STATE TOURNAMENT**

On behalf of District One, I would like to welcome you all to this years Tournament hosted by West Bend Little League. The Tournament begins on the 24th of July and concludes with the Championship game on the 30th of July. The winner of the Championship game will represent the State of Wisconsin in the Regional Tournament in Indianapolis IN.

There will be a mandatory Coaches meeting on the 24th at Baseball Complex starting at 11 am for a coach/manager from each team. This is an open session for myself to insure that we are all on the same page. I will have handouts to give you.

The West Bend Complex is a smoke free and pet free park. Please do not bring pet to the complex, as you be asked to remove them from the complex. The complex has plenty of parking close to the diamonds and is handicap accessible

All umpires for this tournament have been approved by myself. We only use adult umpires whom have been schooled either in Indianapolis or at our local school.

The host site is planning on a Picnic on the 24th after the games of the day are over. All teams will play games starting at 1 pm on the 24th. We expect the picnic to start by 4 pm. The picnic is open to players, coaches/managers, parents and family. If for some reason you do not want to participate please let me know as soon as possible so that the host can prepare accordingly.

After the games on the 25th of July the host site will hold a Home Run Derby for up to 3 players per team. The contest will be your coach pitch with up to 10 balls or 5 outs per player per round. After each round 1/3 of the field will be reduced. The winner of this event will receive a special prize

The host site does have batting gages available and a reservation list will be available for your team if you so wish to use. For teams staying in West Bend the host league will have fields away from the complex for you to use during the day.

The District web site (www.widistrict1.com) will be updated with scores on a daily basis so that your fans not traveling with you will be able to keep up the scores. The local newspaper normally in the past has also done stories during the tournament of the teams.

Each team will have their picture taken on Sat. the 24th as we need to provide a Team photo to Indianapolis of the State Champion. In advance of the 24th please have some one from your team line up your players, coaches and manager and print out their names so that the picture and names match.

The complex has a full concession building with built in Bathrooms.

This complex has many large tree's for shade. You are welcome to bring lawn chairs or sit in the bleachers

My assistant for this Tournament will be Bill Schubert and Stu Walters.

Hotels in the area are Country Inn & Suites 262-334-9400, Hampton Inn 262-438-1500, Americinn Motel 800-634-3444 and Saturn Inn & Suites 262-335-6788. Being that EAA Fly In starts the same weekend rooms for the 24th and 25th are limited. Other options would be Motels in Germantown WI which is within 20 minutes of the park. The Motels are Super 8 262-255-0880, Americinn Motel 800-551-2409 and Country Inn & Suites 866-538-0187

As soon as you have won your District Tournament please contact me at jjoseph53105@tds.net or 414-350-4557. I will update your team name to the schedule and answer any questions.

The West Bend complex is located east of Indiana Ave on Water Street. If you are coming in from the North take Highway 33 east through the downtown area to Indiana. Turn South to the bottom of the hill (Old Gehl Co) and turn left follow road to complex. If you are coming in from the South take Highway 45 to Highway 33 and go east and follow the above directions.

If at any time we can help you please feel free to ask for assistance. We hope this experience will be enjoyable, no matter what the score of the game is. We only ask that you support good play by all teams. These kids are trying to play the best that they can. The more positive the fans, the better that your children will raise to the occasion.