

# Kirkland

## NATIONAL

**Manager and Coach Meeting**  
**February 25, 2020**



# Introductions

**President** – Cliff Harlow

## **Baseball**

**VP Baseball** – Ryan Duckworth

**Baseball Player Agent Upper** – Chris Adams

**Baseball Player Agent Lower** – Curt Ayer

**Umpire in Chief Baseball** – Steven Kehrli

**Baseball Upper Director** – John Dederman

**Baseball Lower Director** – Ryan Duckworth

## **Softball**

**VP Softball** – Joe Hauck

**Softball Player Agent** – Barbara Trulson

**Umpire in Chief Softball** – Open

**Softball Upper Director** – Joe Hauck

**Softball Lower Director** – Tom Olson

**Tee Ball Director** – John Falcone

**Safety Director** – Nicole Dill

**Equipment Director** – Marcus Ware

**Scheduling** – Open

# LLI Mission Statement

*"Through proper guidance and exemplary leadership, the Little League program assists children in developing the qualities of citizenship, discipline, teamwork and physical well-being. By espousing the virtues of character, courage and loyalty, the Little League Baseball and Softball program is designed to develop superior citizens rather than superior athletes."*





# “This is what we do here” - PCA

*KNLL teaches “life skills” through instruction and competition for baseball and softball*

- Dedicated to the development of...
  - Baseball and Softball skills
  - A passion for Baseball and Softball
  - Future leaders of Kirkland
- Build a supportive community
- Focus on players coming back every year

# “Can I Play Again Next Year”

## **Managers and Coaches...**

- Adjust coaching to meet the needs of each player
- Provide equal attention and development opportunities including game time
- Ensure players feel valued, contributing to team’s success
- Teach players to win and lose with grace and acknowledge opponents’ accomplishment (win) or effort (lose)
- Promote healthy competition to build team unity, the skills to perform under pressure, and resilience

# Definition of Roles

- **Manager**
  - Approved by Board, assigned by the President
  - Single point of accountability and contact for the team
  - Leader **and** Administrator of the team
  - Responsible for safety, attendance, parent communications, player development and demeanor
- **Assistant Coach**
  - Approved by Board, selected by Manager
  - Supports the Manager with any task at the direction of the Manager

# Top Manager Responsibilities

- Follow Double-Goal Coach Job Description
- Adhere to LL, District, and Local Rules
- Baseball: PITCH COUNTS
- Adhere to KNLL Safety Plan (ASAP) and report all injuries to the Safety Officer
- Communicate clearly to parents and players
- Secure umpire and scorekeeper volunteers
- Return all equipment at the end of the season **on time** and in good condition

# Pitch Counts

- Baseball AA and above, Managers **MUST** track pitch counts and abide by the limits

League Age Pitches Per Day

13-16: 95

11-12: 85

9-10: 75

7-8: 50

[www.littleleague.org/playing-rules/pitch-count/](http://www.littleleague.org/playing-rules/pitch-count/)



# Players Added After Teams Formed

- At the discretion of KNLL
  - Room on a team- team roster sizes are “even”
  - Teams remain in parity
  - Available jersey and hat/visor on hand
- Players assigned by Division Director
- Managers do NOT “recruit and sign” players to their team

# 2020 Coach Training

Tonight!

Feb 27<sup>th</sup> – BB Positive- Kid Pitch

Mar 2<sup>nd</sup> – BB Positive- Coach Pitch

Mar 28<sup>th</sup> – BB Positive- Tee Ball

Optional

- LL Coach Pitch Practice Plans
- [www.littleleagueu.org](http://www.littleleagueu.org)

# KNLL Budget 2019-20

## Income- \$120,500

<b>Registration</b>	<b>\$76,000</b>
Donations*	\$20,000
Fundraising	\$ 5,000
Sponsorships	\$14,000
Mariners Tix	\$ 4,500
Clinics	\$ 1,000

\* Includes corporate volunteer grants like Microsoft

## Expenses- \$120,500

Fields	\$31,000
Uniforms	\$31,000
Equipment	\$21,800
Facility Rentals	\$ 8,000
Little League Fees	\$ 9,000
CC Fees	\$ 2,050
Reg Refunds	\$ 1,100
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>\$103,950</b>

Mariners Tix	\$4,500
Clinics	\$2,000
Tournaments	\$5,500
Advertising	\$1,000
Misc/Office	<u>\$3,550</u>
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>\$16,550</b>

# Donations and Sponsorships

- Corporate grants for volunteer hours
  - Microsoft
  - Boeing
  - Alaska Airlines
- Matching gifts
- Direct corporate donations and sponsorships
- Personal donations

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Questions?