

2016 Kernersville Little League

Baseball/Softball Manager/Coach Application

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PERSONAL INFORMATION		

Name

Address

Phone #

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E-Mail Address

Best way to contact you

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Children in Kernersville Little League (Name, Age and Division Last Played)

Division Applying For:	
Baseball:	<input type="checkbox"/> Tee-Ball <input type="checkbox"/> Machine Pitch <input type="checkbox"/> Minor <input type="checkbox"/> Major <input type="checkbox"/> Intermediate <input type="checkbox"/> Junior
	<input type="checkbox"/> Senior
Softball:	<input type="checkbox"/> Coach Pitch <input type="checkbox"/> Minor <input type="checkbox"/> Major <input type="checkbox"/> Junior/Senior

YOUTH BASEBALL/SOFTBALL MANAGER/COACH EXPERIENCE				
Division	Team	League	Position	Year

Please list other managing and coaching experience or youth leadership activities:

Have you ever been subject to disciplinary action in any youth sports program? ☐ Yes ☐ No

- If yes please explain on a separate sheet of paper

YOUTH BASEBALL/SOFTBALL TRAINING	
CLINIC	YEAR

KNOWLEDGE OF BASEBALL/SOFTBALL FUNDAMENTALS
Please indicate your understanding of the Little League Baseball & Softball Rules <input type="checkbox"/> Excellent <input type="checkbox"/> Good <input type="checkbox"/> Average <input type="checkbox"/> Poor
Check all programs in which you have participated as a PLAYER : <input type="checkbox"/> Little League <input type="checkbox"/> Middle School <input type="checkbox"/> High School <input type="checkbox"/> College <input type="checkbox"/> Professional

Have you ever umpired in an organized baseball/softball game? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

Please answer each question if you need more space please attach a separate sheet of paper

Please tell us why you want to manage or coach a Little League team in this Division?

Briefly state your managing/coaching philosophy and why you would make a good manager/coach?
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Describe you vision of the perfect Little League season.
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Plan for 12 players on your team. Players typically fall into 4 categories. 2 are Outstanding, 3 are Solid ball players, 4 are average, 2 are below average and 2 have little athletic ability or understanding of the game. No player is allowed to sit 2 innings back to back and everyone that is dressed to play has to bat with that in mind answer the following questions.

1. How would you manage which players would sit out in a typical 6 inning game among the 12 players? How would you set your batting lineup?
2. What positions would you play your bottom 6 players? What positions would you not allow your bottom 3 players to play?
3. Explain your reasoning.

Describe how you would organize a practice.

Please list three references that can attest to your managing/coaching abilities:	
Name:	Phone #:
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Name:	Phone #:

If appointed to managing position with Kernersville Little League, I agree to the following:

- To conduct regular team practice sessions and to attend all of my team's games. In the event that I am unable to attend a practice or game, I agree to arrange for my Head Coach to be present as my official representative.
- To attend all scheduled manager meetings. If I cannot attend, I agree to appoint a representative of my team to attend in my absence (Head Coach, Assistant, etc.)
- To attend all required coaching, safety and other clinics provided by Kernersville Little League.
- To participate and organize participation by all of my team players, coaches and families in all league activities, including, but not limited to; fundraising, work parties, field maintenance, etc.
- To refrain from and prohibit the use of alcoholic beverages, tobacco products and drugs at all Little League functions and events.
- To read thoroughly, learn and abide by the Little League Official Regulations and Playing Rules and Kernersville Little League Local Rules.
- My behavior and actions at all Little League activities will be non-confrontational and above reproach at all times.
- To treat my players, parents, fellow coaches, umpires, spectators and league officials with respect at all Little League activities.
- To refrain from abusive, vulgar, offensive, demeaning and/or inappropriate language at all Little League activities.
- To set an example of good sportsmanship and fair play for my players, coaches, parents and spectators.
- To continually improve my coaching knowledge and skills through ongoing study and education.
- To build confidence in my players by providing positive coaching reinforcement and stressing the importance of team work and good sportsmanship.
- To concentrate on teaching baseball or softball skills that will be used by players throughout their playing careers as a normal part of the game.
- To focus on the continuing development of the player, helping them to learn to play better baseball or softball, and to emphasize fun above winning or losing.
- To be a team player and act in the best interest of the league, i.e.: resolve conflicts within the league leadership first, without undermining the league or Board.
- To take care of all league provided property and equipment, including all playing and practice fields, equipment and buildings.
- To return all equipment in my trust within two weeks of my final game.

Application to Coach Agreement and Authorization to Conduct Background Investigation

I hereby apply to be a volunteer Manager for Kernersville Little League. In addition to this Manager Application, Kernersville Little League requires all Managers and Coaches to submit a 2016 Little League Volunteer Application and to allow Kernersville Little League to conduct a background investigation to evaluate my qualifications to supervise youth. I understand this evaluation is conducted solely to assure the safety of children participating in the Kernersville Little League program and that all information obtained will be held in strict confidence in accordance with applicable law. If appointed as a volunteer Manager or Coach, I agree to abide by the goals and objectives of Kernersville Little League, Little League Rule Book, and Kernersville Little League Local Rules. I agree to fulfill the requirements set forth by Kernersville Little League board of directors, and understand that I may be subject to disciplinary action up to and including dismissal of my volunteer position at any time for failure to comply with any part of the requirement, subject to action of the Kernersville Little League Board of Directors.

Signature of Applicant: _____

Print Name: _____ Date: _____