ALL STAR SELECTION PROCESS

Many parents may wonder, How are the All Star players selected for each age division? First, you should be aware that the All Star Teams are selected by "Age" and not Division. Also, we do NOT have a Major, Minor, Tiny Division All Star Teams. We have a 11-12 Age Division, 10-11 Age Division, 9-10 Age Division and a 7-8 Age Division.

The selection process that takes place each year has not changed and the managers that coach your children in each age group throughout the season have always selected the players. They are the most knowledgeable about the players and have seen them play all season. Here is a step-by-step process for selection by our managers:

- Step 1: All Managers are invited to a meeting for the selection process
- Step 2: Each manager selects the first 5 players they believe should be considered for All Star selection per age group division.
- Step 3: All players are discussed between the Managers and voted upon as a group for the Age Divisions team.
- Step 4: Managers are than asked if any other players on their team should be considered for the Age Division being discussed and those players are considered and voted upon.
- Step 4: Once all available All Star selections are completed through the voting process. The managers can nominate and vote on up to 2 players to be alternates for the teams and those players would be moved onto the team if another player is not able to participate in All Stars. The alternates can practice with the team, but are not allowed in the dug out during games.

As you can see, the AALL Board does not select the All Stars for each Age Division. They are selected by your managers and is voted upon by each of them. I hope this brings some clarity to the process.