

2010 ALL STAR PLAYER AND COACH SELECTION PROCESS

To: House League Head Coaches - Grades 4-8

The CLBL Board has finalized the number of teams that will be selected from each grade as well as the selection process for players and coaches.

We will be using the Husa tournament, March 19-21 as our All Star vehicle for grades 4 – 8. We have decided to NOT have a 3d grade All Star team.

I. All Star Teams - # of Teams Per League (if a sufficient # of players commit to play)

Boys 4th – 2 Teams – Pool of 16 - 20 players selected

Boys 5th – 2 Teams – Pool of 16 - 20 players selected

FOR MIDDLE SCHOOL (Grades 6,7,8) it doesn't matter which Middle school they attend this year.

Boys 6th – 2 Teams – Pool of 16 - 20 players selected

Boys 7th – 2 Teams – Pool of 16 - 20 players selected

Boys 8th – 2 Teams – Pool of 16 - 20 players selected

Girls 4th – 1 Teams – 8 – 10 players selected

Girls 5th - 2 Teams – Pool of 16 -20 players selected

For MIDDLE SCHOOL (Grades 6,7,8) it doesn't matter which Middle school they attend.

Girls 6th, 7th & 8th – 1 Team – Pool of 8 – 10 players selected

II. All Star Commitment Process:

- All Parents must register their child on line through **Sportability** indicating if their player is committed to playing all three days of the tournament by Thursday at Midnight on March 4th.
- On Friday, March 5th coaches will receive via e-mail a list of players on your team who have signed up to be considered for All-Stars. Coaches can then contact or encourage any players who have not signed up that they feel are potential All-Stars to commit. Coaches must verify player is committed to playing all 3 days of the HUSSA Tournament. Parent must register them unless they do not have email access, then coach may do so. Any further nominations from coach will be accepted by Saturday, March 6th.

III. All Star Selection Meeting Dates (Times & Locations to be sent soon):

Sunday March 7th

1:00 – 2:00 pm B4 & G4, G5

3:00 – 4:30 pm B5 & B6

5:30 – 8 pm B7, B8, G7/8

IV. All Star Coach Selection Process:

All Star Coaches will be selected by the coaches in their league in a confidential vote at the All-Star selection meeting prior to choosing the All Star Team.. The deadline for self-nominations to coach is Saturday, March 6th. If you wish to be considered, please e-mail your name to:

Rory Cullen at themcullens@verizon.net (cc: calcorn@Hotmail.com)

Scott Averys at saverys@verizon.net (cc: calcorn@Hotmail.com)

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V. All Star Player Selection Process

For elementary and middle school grades

1. Each grade level for boys will select a pool of 20 players from the entire league which will then be divided into 2 teams. Girls coaches will select their players from combined leagues G4, G5/6, and G7/8. If a coach cannot attend the All Star selection meeting they should send a representative. If they are unable to do that they should e-mail their grade commissioner and saverys@verizon.net (girls) or themcullens@verizon.net (boys) their selections from the All-Star player commitment list.
2. The All Star Coaches nominated will be voted upon by **Head coaches only** or the representative they send to the meeting. Coaches unable to attend the meeting can e-mail their votes (**boys**) **Rory Cullen** at themcullens@verizon.net (**or girls**) e-mail to **Scott Averys** at saverys@verizon.net.
3. The CLBL board will provide the coaches with a list of players committed to participate from their league. The All Star team will compete in the Husa Tournament ONLY. Forming a balanced/competitive team should be considered when selecting the team.
4. Each coach will briefly discuss the available players from his team, and will state those he recommends for All Star consideration.
5. Each coach votes for the 20 players he feels should be on the teams from the list of available players. The votes are by written ballot.
6. Any player who gets a vote from EVERY coach is automatically selected as an All Star. Once a player is selected the choice cannot be revisited.
7. Discussion is re-opened and re-votes begin for the spots that are still available.
8. If three consecutive rounds of voting do not produce any more All Star players being voted to the team or if 16 players have not been selected with 20 minutes left in that time slot, then the CLBL Board members at the meeting will review the votes and discussion, and the board will pick the remaining players to get to 16 players.
9. The All Star coaches elected will each pick a final player from the pool of players previously nominated by at least 2 coaches.
10. The All Star coaches will then select individual teams using a serpentine draft format from the pool of players selected. Selection order will be randomly drawn. If the coach's child is an All Star, the other coaches will agree upon what round the player should be placed prior to the draft beginning.
11. The CLBL Board will review each All Star team and coach before affirming them.

VI. All Star Coach and Player Announcements & Confidentiality:

All Stars will be announced on the CLBL Website on Monday, March 8, 2010 and coaches will contact players on that same date to notify them that they made the All Star team. The coach will let you know about the time and location of the team practice. The **All Star voting process is confidential!** Everything stated regarding players during the All Star selection process should not be repeated. Thank you for maintaining confidentiality to help minimize disappointments. Coaches may not publically disclose player or coach selections until on Monday, March 8th, 2010. It will be posted on the website Monday, March 8, 2010.

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VII. Key Season End Dates:

- March 4, 2010 All Star registration ends & Coach self-nominations due
- March 6, 2010 (Sat.) Additional player nominations by coach are due
- March 7, 2010 (Sun) All Star Coach/Player Selection Meeting (Time TBA)
- March 2 -7 House league playoffs
- March 7-8 (Saturday - Sunday) – CLBL House League Championship Games and Awards Boys & Girls Grades 3-8
- March 19 - 21 Husa Tournament Grades 4-8

VIII. CLBL Coach Check List

- Player Commitment Form process
 - Players register on Sportability if they want to be CONSIDERED to play on an All-Star team in the Husa tournament March 7 – 9. Deadline to register is Thursday, March 4th at midnight.
 - Friday, March 5th - coaches receive list of players who have registered.
 - Coaches nominate any additional players by Saturday, March 6th.
 - Coaches must confirm commitment by player for play on all 3 days of the tournament if they nominate additional players.
 - Sunday, March 7th coaches will receive a final list of All-Star players registered
 - Sunday, March 7th All-Star Player and Coach Selection Meeting (time and location to be announced later)
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- Ensure all regular season scores are submitted and accurately reflected on website
- Once received from the League, distribute Tournament T-Shirts & Participation Medals to your team.

You may contact me at saverys@verizon.net with questions

Scott Averys
All Stars Director