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January/February, 2009

www.elburn.com/baseball

Upcoming Events

Dec. 28 - Feb. 1
On-line registration

Jan. 24
Walk-in registration
9am-12pm @ the
Elburn Library

Feb. 3
Mandatory coaches
meeting 7pm @
Lions' Park

Clinics start
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Want to be a part of
the new family field?
See page 2 for more
information!

Hello,

Elburn Baseball & Softball would like to thank several people for their many years of service to the league. Mike and Dawn Kuefler, John Van Bogaert, and Randy Jones have been instrumental over the past few years in bringing the league to the level of excellence we have all come to expect. However, as their kids have grown out of the program, new leadership is necessary.

Elburn Baseball & Softball is run entirely through parent volunteers. We are not part of a park district (Elburn does not have one), and therefore it takes us as a community to make the baseball and softball experience the best we possibly can for our kids. We as a league are at a crossroads. Without some new blood, the league stands little chance of maintaining or hopefully improving upon the foundation that has been left to us by the previous administration. We are currently in need of help on many fronts. If your children are involved in the league, I strongly urge you to attend an EBS meeting or contact a member of the board via the EBS website at www.elburn.com/baseball.

These EBS meetings are held on the first Thursday of every month at 7pm at the Library. Our next meeting will be a mandatory coaches meeting, but will also be open to all others. This meeting will be held at Lions' Park on Tuesday Feb. 3rd @ 7pm. I can't stress this enough, our village's league will not survive without your help. Thank you.

Jeff McDonald
President, EBS

The EBS winter clinics are back!

All clinics will be held at Blackberry Elementary School. There will be a \$2.00 entry fee per player per session. Clinics will only be open to registered EBS players.

Help at these clinics is desperately needed, so please contact Sal Occhipinti to help at 365-1837.

SUNDAY JAN. 25TH

2:00-3:30PM INSTRUCTIONAL
3:45-5:15PM MINORS
5:30-7:00PM GIRLS U8-U16
7:00-7:30PM CLEAN-UP CREW

SUNDAY FEB. 1ST

NO CLINICS

SUNDAY FEB. 8TH

2:00-3:30PM T-BALL
3:45-5:15PM MAJORS
5:30-7:00PM PONY
7:00-7:30PM CLEAN-UP CREW

SUNDAY FEB. 15TH

2:00-5:15PM MINORS EVALUATIONS
5:30-7:00PM U10-U16 EVALUATIONS

TUESDAY FEB. 17TH

U10-U16 DRAFT TIME TBD

WEDNESDAY FEB. 18TH

MINORS DRAFT TIME TBD

SUNDAY FEB. 22ND

2:00-3:30PM PONY EVALUATIONS
3:30-4:30PM PONY DRAFT
4:00-6:00PM MAJORS EVALUATIONS
6:00-7:00PM MAJORS DRAFT
7:00-7:30PM CLEAN-UP CREW

SUNDAY MARCH 1ST

2:00-3:30PM T-BALL
3:45-5:15PM MAJORS
5:30-7:00PM PONY
7:00-7:30PM CLEAN-UP CREW

SUNDAY MARCH 8TH

2:00-3:30PM U8-U16
3:45-5:15PM INSTRUCTIONAL
5:30-7:00PM MINORS
7:00-7:30PM CLEAN-UP CREW

SUNDAY MARCH 15TH

2:00-3:00PM T-BALL
3:15-4:15PM INSTRUCTIONAL
4:30-5:30PM MINORS
5:45-6:45PM MAJORS
6:45-7:15PM CLEAN-UP CREW

SUNDAY MARCH 22ND

2:00-4:30PM SOFTBALL SPECIALTY CLINICS TBD
4:45-7:00PM BASEBALL SPECIALTY CLINICS TBD

EBS Family & Friends Field

Elburn Baseball & Softball would like to introduce the first ever "EBS Family & Friends Field". For a monetary gift to Elburn Baseball and Softball you can have your family name proudly displayed along side your neighbors and friends. This 4' x 6' EBS supporter sign will be located at the Elburn Community Center Fields for the entire 2009 Baseball and Softball season. Don't miss the opportunity to be part of this inaugural season.

Levels of Support: Home Run - \$75.00, Triple - \$50.00, Double - \$25.00

Elburn Baseball & Softball is a not for profit organization which relies entirely on the generosity of EBS families and the community. For more information please contact Steve Woods (630)365-1639 or email elswoods_99@yahoo.com or make your checks payable to EBS and mail to Elburn Baseball & Softball • PO Box 144 • Elburn, IL. 60119

Thanks for your generosity!