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2018 Lakeside Little League All Star Team Selection Process

11U All-Stars

The 11U year old All---Star team will consist of the best 9, 10 and 11 year olds from Lakeside Little League, either in the Major's division, the AAA division, or the AA division. The goal of the 11U All-Star team is to provide valuable tournament play exposure to the players, as well as recognize their performance during the regular season. The 11U team is selected after the Majors team as there may be some 11 year olds that make the Majors team. Each team will consist of 12 to 14 players, which will be determined by the All---Star manager.

The selection process will consist of the following steps:

1. Near the conclusion of the season at a date and time set and communicated by the Board, an All Star Workout will be held for all 11U All Star Team candidates.
 - a. Managers of age eligible players will nominate players to attend this Workout and be eligible for selection to the 11U All Star team. Nominations are to be officially submitted to the Player Agent by the announced deadline, and Managers are responsible for only nominating players that they have verified want to play and are available for All Stars.
 - b. Failure to attend the Workout is not a disqualifying factor in making the All Star team but may be considered by the Managers in casting their votes.
 - c. Performance at this Workout will be combined with season long observation of play to assist the Managers in casting their All Star votes.
 - d. All Managers or their representatives who will be casting All Star votes are to be in attendance.
2. At or near the conclusion of the season, and subsequent to the aforementioned All Star Workout, Majors and AAA managers will meet to select the 11U All-Star team.
3. The Selection Meeting will consist of all current AAA and Majors division managers and the Player Agent. A manager must be present at the meeting to vote. Coaches are allowed to vote in the manager's place at the meeting, with the approval of the Player Agent. One representative is allowed per team – i.e. each team gets one vote. If there are no 11 year old players in Majors for that season, Majors Managers will not participate in the player vote but may be present for input. A very limited number of Board Members may be present at the discretion of the President and Player Agent for administrative support only. While these Board Members will have no vote and may not comment on a player's ability as it relates to their All Star candidacy, they may provide input as to the selection



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- process and represent the League's interests where appropriate.
4. Prior to the voting process, the All-Star manager will determine if he will keep 12 – 14 players on the team.
 5. All present AAA and Majors division managers (or coaches as representatives) will vote on their top 12 candidates for the 11U All-Star team. The top four (4) players will make up the initial 11U All-Star team. If there is a tie for the 4th position, the All-Star manager will have his choice of taking all the players who tied for 4th place, or not taking any of them.
 6. The Majors managers will then discuss the positional and skill requirements that are not fulfilled by the initial four (4) All-Star players.
 7. At the discretion of the All Star manager, the next round of voting may be for "pitchers only." The All Star manager may also specify a number of players to be selected in the next round. So, for example, the AS manager could say, "I want the next round to select 3 pitchers." In that case, each manager would cast 3 votes, and only vote for pitchers. The top three vote getters would be placed on the team.
 8. This process will continue until the roster is completed. The voting will be managed by the Player Agent, but the AS manager may dictate the positional limitations of each round, as well as the number of players to be selected in each round.
 9. Depending on the number of players the All-Star manager decides to keep on the team (12-14), the Majors managers will vote on the next six (6) to eight (8) players to be on the team. The All-Star manager will be allowed to complete the roster by selecting the final two (2) additional players with or without input from the other managers. This allows the All-Star manager to complete the team as he sees fit (i.e. to carry an additional catcher or second basemen as needed).
 10. Discussions between the managers during this process are encouraged.
 11. The discussion on each player is purely confidential and will not be discussed outside of the meeting. Questions posed to managers outside of the meeting regarding certain players will not be answered.
 12. No calls to the players is allowed before Little League rules allow.
 13. The All-Star manager will be the only person allowed to call the player and inform them that they are a Lakeside Little League All-Star.
 14. If players are told prior to the selection meeting that they are being nominated for All Stars, then the nominating manager will call those players from their team who were not selected to the All Star team. This should happen concurrently with the notifications from the All-Star manager.
 15. The All-Star teams will be posted on Lakeside Little League website (www.LakesideLL.org) at the earliest allowed time, per Little League rules.



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16. As parents, it is important to be respectful of the process. Forming an All-Star team is not an easy job. It is the manager's responsibility to form a well-rounded team that will give Lakeside the best chance to compete in the All-Star tournament.

NO DISCUSSION ON PLAYERS SHOULD LEAVE THE MEETING. NO CALLS TO PLAYERS ARE TO BE MADE PRIOR TO THE LEAGUE APPROVED DATE (TBD) AND THE ALL STAR MANAGER SHOULD BE THE ONLY ONE WHO MAKES THE CALLS. WE HAVE HAD ISSUES ON THIS IN THE PAST. PLEASE BE RESPECTFUL OF THE PROCESS.