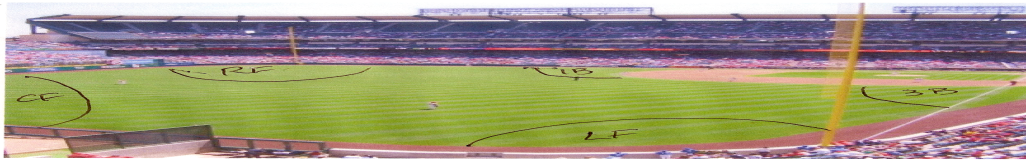


## 2016 Bank of America “Challenger Classic” at Angel Stadium

### THE EVENT

The 12th annual **Bank of America "Challenger Classic" at Angel Stadium** will take place on October 28, 2017. Sponsored by Bank of America and the Angels Foundation, and hosted by the Los Angeles Angels of Anaheim, 40 Little League “Challenger” teams, comprised of southern California youngsters and young adults with Special Needs, will participate in 2-inning, one hour games at 9AM, 11AM, 1PM, and 3PM on designated diamonds throughout the outfield of the stadium (see below). Bank of America volunteers, former Angel baseball players, and local Little League "Buddies" will help make it a day to remember, including video display of the games on the Jumbotron, a team photo with an Angel player, a special medal award ceremony near home plate, and lunch. Afterwards, there will be “trick-or-treat” stations at the stadium. After their game, the players, buddies, and siblings will have a chance to wear costumes and go “trick- or-treating” at stations in the stadium. Resource Fair stations will also be located in the stadium.



### OVERALL PROCEDURE FOR THE EVENT

90 minutes before game time: Teams, in their team uniforms, and their buddies will arrive at Angel Stadium to sign in & get their hats. Buddies will also receive a Buddy wristband. Coaches will receive a hat and wristband. Teams and buddies will have team photos taken before going into the stadium. Park near **GATE 1**, located to the left of the “Hats” entrance, toward left field. Sign-in tables will be located outside **GATE 1**. All players, buddies (maximum one per player), and volunteers who will be on the field must sign a waiver.

30 minutes before game time: After completion of the team photos, teams and their buddies will be escorted from the sign-in area outside the stadium into the Angel Stadium outfield by way of the left field tunnel. Besides Media, B of A personnel, Los Angeles Angels of Anaheim personnel, and Little League Executives, only Challenger players (in uniform), buddies (one per Challenger player, wearing a buddy wrist band), and coaches will be allowed on the field. Teams will be escorted to their designated playing area.

30 minutes before game time: Parents, family, and friends will enter Angel Stadium through Gate 1 and make their way into the seats close to the field. Those viewing the games on the Center Field Diamond will go up the ramp to the left as they enter Gate 1. At the first level up the ramp they will turn left and walk to the center field area, entering at section 240.

15 minutes before game time, teams will line up for Welcome remarks, National Anthem, and the Little League Pledge.

Immediately following the one-hour game, teams will move to designated locations in the area behind home plate of the stadium to participate in the “Challenger Classic” medal ceremony. They will also have a chance to mingle with a Los Angeles Angels player or players (current or alum).

Within 30 minutes after the game, after the medal ceremony, teams will exit the infield area into the stands, and make their way to the Gate 1 entrance area for box lunches and to pick up their team photo. A concession stand will be open throughout the games at the Gate 1 entrance area. Wheelchair players will return to the Gate 1 box lunch area by way of an elevator just off the left field tunnel. HALLOWEEN TRICK-OR-TREAT stations will be open inside the stadium after lunch following each game. RESOURCE FAIR stations will also be open.

