

# **10U Grand Forks Royals General Information**

Tournament teams will be competitive teams representing Grand Forks Area Youth Baseball Association (GFYBA). The purpose of these teams will be for the development and growth for those kids that demonstrate advanced baseball skills/abilities and want to play at a higher competitive level. We will strive to provide an environment where kids enjoy the game.

Description of Team: (10u) Grand Forks Royals

The Royals will be the tournament travel team for this age group and will participate in at least two travel tournaments and possibly a third. In addition, they will participate in the North Dakota State Tournament in Mandan.

<u>Time Commitment</u>: Through mid-August. Time commitment to the 10u Royals will be in addition to the local league (local league plays Monday and Wednesday of each week, with travel likely playing/practicing 1-2 additional days each week). Please see the team details below concerning tournament weekends and game/practice commitments.

### **Team Details**:

• <u>Tryouts</u>: Starting the week of May 18<sup>th</sup>. Specific dates and times will be provided by the GFYBA. This will likely be a one week tryout for the 10u group. If numbers allow and a coach is willing a second 10u team will be developed. Following the tryout process, the team will be selected and posted by May 25<sup>th</sup>.

## • Tournaments:

- o Bemidji, June 19-21, 2020
- West Fargo, June 27-28, 2020
- Unknown, one weekend in July, 2020
- Mandan (State Tournament), date unknown (likely first or second weekend of August
- <u>Games/Practices</u>: Currently being scheduled. Game/Practice Nights will be primarily Tuesday, Thursday, or Friday. We will have at least 1 game/practice per week, sometimes 2 per week. Games will be against teams such as Park River, Fargo, West Fargo, Mayville, etc. The farthest we will travel for games is Fargo or Devils Lake.

Financial Commitment: \$200 per player

### How Teams are Selected:

• Tryout Process with group of evaluators. Travel team coaches will make the final decision for rosters.

# Coaches:

- Dan Marto: (701)314-0130, danmarto3@hotmail.com
- Tony Bina
- Sled Leddige
- Greg Creager