



# MGBA 2023 Highlights

## RBI Season

MGBA has partnered with the Atlanta Braves for the RBI program

## SUMMER LEAGUE

### DIVISIONS

#### Seniors

12 Teams (197 players)

#### Juniors

12 Teams (216 players)

#### Softball

6 Teams (86 players) girls

#### Coaches

17

### HIGHLIGHTS

#### 3 TEAMS WENT TO RBI REGIONALS.

##### 1 Junior Boys

Lost in the RBI regionals championship game.

##### 1 Senior Boys

Won the RBI regionals and advanced to the RBI World Series where they lost by 1 run in the championship game.

##### 1 Softball Girls

Finished 3rd overall in the RBI SE Regionals.

## FALL DEVELOPMENT

Seniors  
122

Juniors  
81

Coaches  
17

### HIGHLIGHTS

44 Players selected to play in the 44 Classic at Truist Park



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## COLLEGE COMMITMENTS

**Jeniah Williams**  
Claffin

**Tania Shoulders**  
Allen University

**Devin Chandler**  
Alabama State University

**Ethan Garrett**  
Columbus State

**Brandon Stephens**  
Coppin State

**Bruce Wyche**  
North Carolina A&T

**Collin Brightwell**  
Oklahoma

**Devin Tallington**  
Rust College

**Devon Lee**  
Tuskegee

**Clarence Callaway**  
University of Missouri

## HIGHLIGHTS

### 3 FORMER RBI PLAYERS IN MLB

**Michael Harris II**  
Atlanta Braves

**Taj Bradley**  
Tampa Bay Rays

**Lawrence Butler**  
Oakland A's



## RECREATION LEAGUE

City of College Park & City of South Fulton (Welcome All Park).  
Recreation Leagues now serving over 200 kids ages 5 to 12 years old.

Special thanks to Major League Baseball for sponsoring the Junior Recreation League.



This is the 3<sup>rd</sup> year one of our teams made it to the World Series.  
We were 2021 World Series champions alongside the Almighty Atlanta Braves.

We have an amazing staff. Special thanks to our sponsors, coaches, parents and volunteers for all the support throughout the year!!!



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2023

MARQUIS GRISSOM BASEBALL ASSOCIATION

City of College Park & City of South Fulton (Welcome All Park) Recreation Leagues now serving over 200 kids!!

Atlanta Braves  
RBI League

Over 700 players  
represented

RBI SR team won  
Regional Championship

Senior team advanced to the RBI World Series Championship... losing by 1 point

## "Hill Boys" MGBA Alumni



### Michael Harris II

Atlanta Braves Center Fielder... 2022 National League Rookie of the Year.

### Lawrence Butler

Drafted by the Oakland A's in 2018... Major League debut August 11, 2023.



### Cam Collier

1<sup>st</sup> round draft pick by the Cincinnati Reds... season started with the Florida State League A ball team.  
Stats: 246 avg, 6 home runs & 68 RBI's.



### Chandler Simpson

3<sup>rd</sup> Draft pick from Ga Tech by the Tampa Bay Rays. Promoted to the Durham AAA team. Season Stats: .293 avg & 94 stolen bases.





### **Marquis Grissom, Jr**

13<sup>th</sup> round draft pick from Ga Tech by the Washington Nationals as a pitcher. Led the Minor League organization with 11 saves. STATS: ERA 2.18 with a 4-2 win-loss record.



### **Jaylen Nowlin**

19<sup>th</sup> round draft pick by the Minnesota Twins in 2021. Currently in AA. Stats: 109 strikeouts, ERA 4.22 with a 6-7 win-loss record.



### **Ty'Quan Forbes**

2<sup>nd</sup> round amateur draft pick by the Texas Rangers. Signed a 2 year contract with the Mexican League.



### **Cabera Weaver**

7<sup>th</sup> round draft pick by the Chicago White Sox in 2018 as a Center Fielder. Called up to AA. Stats: .247 avg, 7 home runs, 38 RBI's & 13 stolen bases.



### **Ryan Spikes**

3<sup>rd</sup> round draft pick by Tampa Bay Rays in 2021. Stats: .215 avg, 10 home runs, 51 RBI's & 28 stolen bases.



### **Jayden Mosley**

Obtained his Private Pilot License at 17. Currently a Senior at Riverwood High School. Plans to pursue a Commercial Pilot License.

