



MISSION TRAILS LITTLE LEAGUE 2022 ALL-STAR TOURNAMENT PLAYER SELECTION INFORMATION

Following the spring recreational season, Mission Trails Little League (MTLL) will be entering at least two teams to participate in the competitive All-Star season that starts in June and extends, possibly, throughout the summer. Being selected as an All-Star is a tremendous honor that comes with a large commitment to your team and to MTLL. Each year, MTLL strives to build the strongest and most competitive teams to represent the league within our district and beyond. As such, we have prepared this document to make sure that potential All-Star players and their families have a full understanding of the All-Star commitment.

All interested MTLL players that are league age 8 through 12 and that play in the Minor and Major divisions are eligible to be considered for All-Star teams. We will be fielding at least two All-Star teams: a 8-10 team consisting of mostly Minor division players of league age 8 through 10, and a 10-12 team consisting of mostly Major division players of league age 10 through 12. If we have enough interested players and managers, we will also be fielding a 9-11 team consisting of players of league age 9 through 11. These All-Star teams are selected pursuant to Little League rules which state: "Tournament team candidates should be selected based upon their playing ability, eligibility, and availability" and in accordance with MTLL's selection guidelines as outlined in the MTLL's Betterments.

All players that are interested in being considered for an All-Star team must complete the Player Commitment Form (attached) and return it to their team Manager or league Player Agent no later than Saturday, May 14, 2022. Late submissions will not be accepted. All-Star player voting will take place no later than May 21, 2022, at the MTLL baseball fields. The official All-Star team announcements will be made on Sunday, June 5, 2022, and team practices will begin that same day. All-Star tournament play begins on or around June 20, 2022.

An All-Star player must be available to participate in practices and games from June 5, 2022, through August 31, 2022, depending on how far the team advances in the All-Star Tournament. Practices may be held up to seven days per week and could last between two to three hours each. Players are expected to attend every practice, with exceptions made only with prior permission of the All-Star Manager, and all games. Excessive and/or unexcused absences from All-Star team activities may lead to the player being removed from this year's team and/or being made ineligible for the 2023 All-Star Team, with the MTLL All-Star Committee holding final say over the severity of the consequences. If there is an overlap between District 33 Tournament of Champions (TOC) games and All-Star practices, players still involved in the former will be allowed to continue until the conclusion of the D33 TOC tournament.

In order to be "All-Star Certified" each family must provide the player's **original** birth certificate (not an abstract or a copy) plus either three distinct proofs of residence or a completed school certification (if one wasn't submitted with MTLL registration). Information regarding proof of residency may be found on the Little League International website at <https://www.littleleague.org/downloads/residency-checklist/>. Eligibility documents will be collected at the All-Star parents' meetings that will take place prior to the first All-Star Team practices on June 5, 2022. Please note, any players that have previously participated on an MTLL All-Star team do **not** need to be recertified and therefore do not need to submit proof of eligibility documents.

Please contact any of the members of the 2022 MTLL All-Star Committee if you have any questions or concerns.

2022 Mission Trails All-Star Committee

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MISSION TRAILS LITTLE LEAGUE 2022 ALL-STAR TOURNAMENT PLAYER COMMITMENT FORM

The 2022 Mission Trails Little League All-Star Player Commitment Form must be completed and returned to your Manager or any member of the All-Star Committee by **Saturday, May 14, 2022**, in order for your child's name to be included on the All-Star ballot. **Late submissions will not be accepted.**

Player's Name

Current Manager

DOB

PARENT/GUARDIAN

In the event that my child is named to an All-Star Team for Mission Trails Little League, I agree to the following conditions and understand that failure to adhere to this agreement may result in my player's removal from the team:

- I understand that it is a privilege and not a right for my child to participate on the postseason MTLL All-Star Team.
- I understand that the All-Star Team commitment starts on June 5, 2022 and continues as long as the team advances.
- I understand that my player is expected to attend practices, which may be held up to seven days per week and could last between up to three hours each, and all games. Absences are only allowed with prior permission of the All-Star Manager.
- I understand that excessive and/or unexcused absences from All-Star team activities may lead to the player being removed from this year's team and/or being made ineligible for the 2023 All-Star Team, with the MTLL All-Star Committee holding final say over the severity of the consequences.
- I confirm that our family does not have and will not create any vacation plans that may interfere with dates for All-Star practices or games except for the dates explicitly listed below.
- I understand that parents will be expected to volunteer their time during tournament activities for activities including, but not limited to, the concession stand, scorekeeping, pitch counting, and field maintenance.
- I understand that Little League requires me to provide an original birth certificate plus either three distinct proofs of residence or a completed school certification form for eligibility verification, and I agree to submit those documents to an MTLL All-Star Committee Member on June 5, 2022. Player eligibility will be verified by District 33 administrators.
- I understand that families are responsible to pay a **non-refundable \$50 fee** per All-Star player to partially cover the cost of registration fees and the uniform (game jersey, hat, and practice jersey). Families are responsible for other uniform items.
- I understand that additional expenses may be incurred by the player and/or parent during the All-Star Tournament such as, but not limited to, travel expenses, food, and accommodations.
- I understand that all MTLL registration fees for the 2022 regular season must be paid in full in order to participate.

Parent / Guardian Name

Signature

Date

Relationship to Player

Email

Phone

Dates of Prior Vacation Plans

PLAYERS

By my name being placed on the 2022 MTLL All-Star Ballot, I agree to the following:

- I understand that, if selected, I may play only the required minimum play, and I may play in a position that I did not play during the regular season. The minimum play for All Stars with a team of 13 or more players is one at bat per game.
- I will be responsible for my conduct and attitude on and off the baseball field and will do my best to display good sportsmanship in all practices and games. I will represent Mission Trails Little League to the best of my ability, agree to follow my manager's directions, and will put the team above myself.
- I will make every effort to be at all practices and games and will remain with the All-Star team until the team is eliminated.

Player's Name

Signature

Date