



## All Stars Process Document

- 1) Teams will be referred to as the Gold Team and the Silver Team
  - a. The Gold Team will represent IGSA at the District Tournament and 4 additional tournaments.
  - b. The Silver Team will represent IGSA at 5 selected tournaments.
  - c. The IGSA Board of Directors may decide to have a second Silver team in any division. This team will be considered a Silver B team and represent IGSA at 5 selected tournaments.
- 2) Teams & Tournaments
  - a. The individual Division Director will poll their coaches at the end of February on the number of teams we should have in their division for All Stars.
  - b. No specific players should be discussed.
  - c. No specific coaches for any All Star team should be discussed.
  - d. The Division Director will pass that information to the All Star Coordinator to present to the BOD at the March meeting.
  - e. The BOD will finalize the number of teams in each division at the March BOD meeting.
  - f. The All Star Coordinator will present a list of tournaments to the BOD at the March meeting.
  - g. The All Star Coordinator will register the teams for the selected tournaments accordingly.
- 3) Coaches
  - a. The Player Agent will send out the All Star Coaching Application a week prior to the All Star Coaching selection date, and set the return date.
  - b. Coaching Applicants should have attended, at a minimum, 1 game per team outside of the game that they played each team. This requirement will be reviewed at the spring coaches meeting.
  - c. The Division Director will collect the All Star Coaching Applications for their Division and pass them out to the All Star Coach Selection Committee for the age group.
  - d. The All Star Coach Selection Committee will be made up of: The Division Director, Director of Coaching, Player Agent and Vice President.
  - e. The Committee will select coaches for each team on the appropriate ASA allowed date.
  - f. If one of the committee members has a conflict based on a child in that division, or applying for a coaching position in that division, then the Treasurer and/or Secretary will fill in.
  - g. The President will cast the deciding vote in case of deadlock.
  - h. Selected coaches are not to speak with any parent, player, or other coach concerning players until after the ASA established date.
  - i. Coaches will be required to attend an All Star Coaches Meeting.



#### 4) Players Selection/Team Formation

- a. The Player Agent will send out the All Star Player Eligibility Form to the entire league and maintain a list of those players who have made themselves eligible.
- b. The Player Agent will ask each coach to provide the following rankings from their team:
  - i. Rank at least your top 5 players in order for Overall Talent
  - ii. Rank at least your top 5 players in order for ability to Bunt
  - iii. Rank at least your top 5 players in order for ability to Hit
  - iv. Rank at least your top 5 players in order for ability to Field
  - v. Rank at least your top 5 players in order for ability to Throw
  - vi. Rank at least your top 2 players in order for ability to be a Pitcher
  - vii. Rank at least your top 2 players in order for ability to be a Catcher
- c. The Team Review Committee will consist of the Division Director and 3 other members appointed annually by the President and Vice President, and approved by the Executive Board.
- d. The Player Agent will provide the All Star Coaches and the Team Review Committee with the ranking lists from each team, the lists of the season starting evaluation scores, the spring draft order, and the list of players who have made themselves eligible on the appropriate date per ASA rules.
- e. Team size should be as follows:
  - i. 8u Gold & Silver: Min of 12: Max of 13 players
  - ii. 10u, 12u, & 14u Gold & Silver: Min of 11 players : Max 12 players
- f. On the appropriate ASA determined date, the selected All Star Coaches will meet with The Team Review Committee to select their team.
- g. All teams must be approved by the Team Review Committee.
- h. On the appropriate ASA determined date, the 8u Division will have an evaluation day to aid in the player selection process. Upon completion of this evaluation, the coaches will present their teams to the Team Review Committee.
- i. On the appropriate ASA determined date, the Silver coach in the 10u through 14u division may ask the Team Review Committee to have a few players evaluate in order to aid in the selection of the final few players. This must be done within the timing of the overall process.
- j. Coaches should make an effort to not select too many players from any one team.
- k. The Team Review Committee is responsible for making sure teams meet ASA requirements and adjusting them accordingly if they do not. Including travel ball player's cutoff date per ASA deadline, games played, etc.
- l. The Gold team coach will select and present their team to the Team Review Committee first.
- m. The Silver Team coach will then select their team and present their team to the Team Review Committee.
- n. If there is a Silver B team they will then select their team and present their team to the Team Review Committee.



- o. Players are eligible in their age appropriate division. A player that has played up in the Spring season can petition the ExBod to be allowed to play up for the All Star Season.
  - p. Team lists will be posted on the website once they are approved by the Team Review Committee.
  - q. Should a player decide not to play, additional players may be selected for a team, but must be presented to the Team Review Committee for approval. The Gold Teams may select a player from a Silver Team to fill an opening.
- 5) Parent & Uniform Meeting
- a. Players will be required to attend a uniform fitting.
  - b. Parents will be required to attend a Parent Meeting.
  - c. Parent meetings will be grouped by age.
  - d. Payment will be made at the Parent Meeting for All Stars fees.
- 6) States Teams
- a. All funds are based on availability per season as determined by the ExBod.
  - b. Hotel reservations for 24 double rooms will be made by the All Star Coordinator and Treasurer in January.
  - c. Any player added to the team roster must be reviewed and approved by the ExBod.
  - d. Team is required to designate one point of contact to be responsible for all of the team's financial dealings.
  - e. Teams that qualify for states will receive a budget of \$1600 to cover the following
    - i. Entry fee - \$500
    - ii. Trading Pins - \$750
    - iii. New Banner - \$150
    - iv. States shirts for each girl purchased at the event - \$200
  - f. All other expenses will be at the cost of the team/players.
  - g. Monies that are raised by the team must be given directly to IGSA to qualify as a tax deductible donation.
  - h. The only person who may issue a Tax ID letter for a donation is the Treasurer or the team point of contact if the Treasurer so allows.
  - i. Funds raised will then be used to reimburse acceptable expenses per the Treasurer's prior approval.
  - j. Receipts must be turned in from any person who is asking for monies to be reimbursed.
  - k. No funds will be reimbursed until all monies raised are accounted for and all receipts are turned in.
  - l. The team point of contact has 10 days from the date of the final game to turn in all receipts. Monies will be paid out within 30 days.
- 7) Nationals Teams
- a. All funds are based on availability per season as determined by the ExBod.



- b. Any player added to the team roster must be reviewed and approved by the ExBod.
- c. Hotel reservations are the responsibility of the team.
- d. Team is required to designate one point of contact to be responsible for all of the team's financial dealings.
- e. Teams that qualify for Nationals by finishing in the top 8 teams, with ties, at States will be entitled to \$1500 to cover the following:
  - i. Entry fee - \$500
  - ii. Trading Pins - \$750
  - iii. New Banner if team qualified in the top 5 - \$150
  - iv. 4 coaches daily passes - \$100
  - v. IGSA spirit wear for gift exchange – 20 T-Shirts from left over stock
- f. Teams that qualify for Nationals by finishing outside the top 25% of the field at States will be entitled to the Entry Fee only.
- g. All other expenses will be at the cost of the team/players.
- h. Monies that are raised by the team must be given directly to IGSA to qualify as a tax deductible donation.
- i. The only person who may issue a Tax ID letter for a donation is the Treasurer or the team point of contact if the Treasurer so allows.
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**Player selection is at the discretion of the Team Review Committee's final approval. Teams are selected to represent IGSA in inter-league, district and regional tournaments. Costs of these tournaments may be the responsibility of the families participating.**