

A board of seven elected members governs Canby Junior Baseball. Each board member serves a two-year term, and is responsible for sign-ups and team formation, helping to organize fund-raisers, fieldwork, coordinating with county and state boards, tournaments and capital improvements.

Canby Junior Baseball could not exist without the help of its volunteers in these areas: Coaching, Field Workdays, Fair, Fundraising, Concessions, Try Outs, Umpiring, Advertising and Public Relations.

The number of participating youth is expected to top 500 in 2006. You can well understand how vital the help of our volunteers is to the continued success of our organization. We will continue to improve and thrive only if players, parents, coaches, volunteers and board members work together and look to the future as a group that is concerned not only with Canby Kids, but with our community as a whole.

MISSION STATEMENT

“TO PROVIDE EVERY PLAYER WITH A POSITIVE AND FUN ATMOSPHERE, AND TO INSTILL IN THEM GOOD SPORTSMANSHIP, CAMARADERIE AND AN OVERALL APPRECIATION FOR THE GAME OF BASEBALL.”

Canby Junior Baseball offers playing opportunities to boys and girls ages 5-14. The divisions are broken down as follows:

- T-Ball.....5-6 yr. olds
- Coach Pitch.....7-8 yr. olds
- Midget/Town League.....9-10 yr. olds
- Junior.....11-12 yr. olds
- Senior.....13-14 yr. olds

T-Ball, Coach Pitch and Town League games are played in Canby. Midget teams are formed from 9 & 10 yr. old age groups, and these teams travel to nearby towns for league games in addition to games held in Canby. Junior and Senior ball players are divided into three skill levels. Federal teams are formed from the most experienced players, American team members are at an intermediate level, and National teams are comprised of beginning level players.

Team Placements are held in the month following sign-ups. At Team Placements, players are divided into groups and run through a variety of drills to allow them to demonstrate their abilities in the areas of hitting, running, and catching. This assessment gives coaches an opportunity to judge each players skill level. The coaches attending the Team Placements then form the teams. 9 and 10 year olds not

placed on a Midget team will be placed on a Town League teams with the talent evenly distributed. T-Ball and Coach Pitch players do not go through team placements; players are divided and assigned to a team as evenly as possible.

BASEBALL CALENDAR

- FEB. Sign-ups
Coaches Selection
- MAR. Team Placements
Mandatory Coaches Meeting
- APR. Equipment Handout
Practices Begin
CCJBA Coaches Meeting
Uniform Handouts
Team Camps/Clinics
Field Work Days
Mandatory Coaches Clinic
Hit-a-thon Fundraiser
Team Pictures
- MAY League Play Begins
Invitational Tournaments
T-Ball/CP Jamboree
- JUN. Invitational Tournaments
Town League Jamboree
T-Ball/CP & Town League Equipment Turn-in
- JUL. County & State Tournaments
- AUG. County Fair Fundraiser
Equipment Turn-in
Board Nominations
- SEP. Coaches Appreciation
BBQ
Board Elections

Membership in Canby Junior Baseball is included with paid registration of your child in the program. This will allow you to vote on any general issues presented at monthly meetings.

Canby Junior Baseball Board meetings are held on the 4th Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. during OCT – APR & 8:30 p.m. MAY – SEPT. in the Old Town Hall above Cutsforth’s Thriftway.

Income

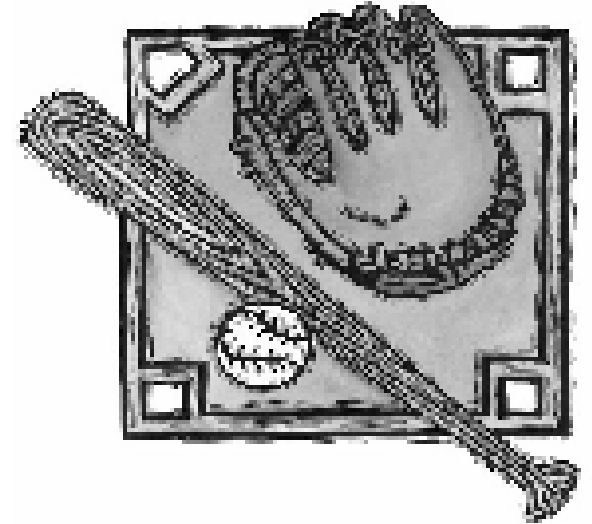
Fundraisers	36%
Concessions	4%
Sign-up fees	38%
Sponsor fees	7%
Tournaments	11%
Miscellaneous	4%

Expenses

Equipment	21%
Concessions	3%
Umpires	20%
Fundraisers	2%
Tournaments	5%
Miscellaneous	7%
Insurance	2%
Administration	20%
Field Maintenance	20%

BILL OF RIGHTS FOR YOUNG ATHLETES

1. Right to participate in sports.
2. Right to participate at a level equal to each child’s maturity and ability.
3. Right to have qualified adult leadership.
4. Right to play as a child, and not as an adult.
5. Right to share in the leadership and decision making of sport participation.
6. Right to participate in safe and healthy environments.
7. Right to proper preparation for participation in sports.
8. Right to an equal opportunity to strive for success.
9. Right to be treated with dignity.
10. RIGHT TO HAVE FUN IN SPORTS!!!



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