



Little League Baseball, Inc.
United States Eastern Region
State of Pennsylvania
Association of
District Administrators

Presents the

2023

**Pennsylvania Section 4
Little League 9-11 Minors
Championship Tournament**

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Tournament Dates: July 14th– July 18th, 2023

Host Site: Hampden Little League
500 Salem Church Road
Mechanicsburg, Pennsylvania, 17050
Directions:
<https://goo.gl/maps/mnJybBoUgvWu3oEB6>

Hampden Little League Contacts:
League President: Chris Greenawalt
(717) 525-2124
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Dear District Champion,

Congratulations on winning your District Championship. The members of the District 6 Board and all the Leagues of District 6 would like to take this time to welcome you and we are looking forward to your arrival on Friday, July 14th. The following information will help you organize for the next few days and assist you during your stay.

District 6 and the Hampden Little League look forward to making this a memorable experience for you and your ball players. Use the following link for directions, hotel accommodations and restaurants:

<https://goo.gl/maps/ff9VUHsexB7pGv5q8>

Sincerely,

Janelle Bingaman
District 6 Administrator

Welcome!

Congratulations on winning your District and welcome to the Pennsylvania Section 4 Little League Baseball Tournament. Hampden Little League salutes you on your accomplishment and looks forward to hosting you this week.

The tournament will begin on Friday, July 14th and run through Tuesday, July 18th.

Manager's check-in, affidavit review, equipment check and rules orientation for teams will be held Friday, July 14th from 3:30-4:15pm at the Hampden Little League Complex. Players do not need to be present for check in, but please have all team equipment (including bats) available for inspection. There will be the opportunity for all managers and coaches to discuss tournament procedures, rules, practice and batting cage scheduling and answer any questions.

Included in this document is a schedule of events and games, plus links to area motels, directions and other information.

We look forward to meeting you on Friday and will do our best to make your tournament experience a pleasant one.

Play ball!

Hampden Little League Board

Chris Greenawalt, President.

* If Needed

HOUSING:

Lodging *will not be provided* for teams, managers and coaches. Teams will be responsible for any and all costs in these areas. Team Managers must report their location to the tournament contacts once they are established. There are many eating establishments within minutes of the tournament site. For lodging, restaurants, churches and surrounding establishments check the yellow pages in the local telephone directory or use this link: <https://goo.gl/maps/bhG4fufJz5poPcyk8>

REGISTRATION:

Each team (manager, coaches and scorekeeper) must report to the Hampden Little League Field for registration. Registration will be held on **Friday, July 14th at 3:30pm**. At registration, please be prepared with the following items: Eligibility Affidavit, Proof of Age documentation, Proof of Residency Documentation, Applicable Waivers, Medical Release Form and League Boundary Map. At this time, we will also review the tournament rules, ground rules and answer any questions that may arise.

HOSPITAL INFORMATION:

Hospital: Penn State Hampden Medical Center 2200 Good Hope Road, Enola, PA 17025

Hospital: UPMC Pinnacle West Shore 1995 Technology Pkwy, Mechanicsburg, PA 17050

Hospital: Penn State Hershey Medical Center Holy Spirit 503 N 21st St, Camp Hill, PA 17011

Hospital: UPMC Pinnacle Harrisburg 111 South Front Street Harrisburg, PA 17101

Hospital: Penn State Health Milton S. Hershey Medical Center 500 University Dr, Hershey, PA 17033

PROCEDURES HIGHLIGHTS

The Tournament Rules and Regulations as published by Little League Baseball shall be binding and strictly enforced.

Each manager must submit their eligibility affidavit, medical releases and all tournament eligibility information to the Tournament Director.

Only manager, coaches and players listed on the official tournament eligibility affidavit are permitted in the dugout or on the playing field. This includes pre-game warm-ups and games.

Only coaches listed on the team affidavit shall be in the dugout or on the field. There is no “rotating of coaches” from the stands to the dugout.

We do not recognize any scorebook being kept outside of the dugout as official in any means unless it is being kept at the official scorer's table with the game/tournament director along with the official scorebook and other team's book. If a book is being kept outside of the dugout (not at the table), the person doing so could be considered an additional coach and we would act on it. Also, if this is being done, the manager and coaches of the team are not to have any communication with this person and changes to the game (lineup, subs, etc.). The teams just need to have the book kept in the dugout with one of the managers or coaches, or at the official table.

No bat boys or bat girls are allowed. Players retrieve equipment, not coaches.

Little League Officials, prior to each game, will check equipment. Only Little League approved equipment will be used, including helmets with NOCSAE seal and warning labels.

Pitchers – New level of play after District. Tournament rules apply.

All fields are considered neutral sites. Coin flips will be held at each game to determine home and away. The tournament coordinator shall designate the home dugout prior to the first game, and it shall remain so throughout the tournament.

Managers and Coaches must wear casual Pants, Shorts, Slacks or Skirt. **JEANS OR SWEATPANTS ARE NOT PERMITTED.**

Catchers must wear a mask with approved catchers' helmet (skull cap type not acceptable) and dangling throat guard during practice, infield & pitcher warm-up and games. Catchers must wear approved long model chest protectors.

NO TOBACCO USE OR ALCOHOL OF ANY KIND is permitted at the tournament facility. No jewelry will be allowed on the playing field regardless of the material. This includes earrings, necklaces, rings and watches. Medical alert items ARE PERMITTED.

NO FOOD permitted in the dugouts.

Your conduct must be above reproach at all times as well as your teams.

Pre-Game Procedures: 45 minutes prior to the start of the game, the visiting team may take the field for 15 minutes. 30 minutes prior to the start of the game, the home team may take the field for 15 minutes. The final 15 minutes will be allowed for final field preparation. This warmup may be shortened or forfeited as determined by the tournament coordinator, where concerns for adequate time warrant adjustment to the warmup pattern.

Five minutes prior to game time there shall be a conference at home plate with both Managers and the Chief

(plate) Umpire to review the ground rules.

All players, managers and coaches shall line up along the foul lines to recite the Little League Pledge. One player from each team shall be chosen to stand at the mound with the umpires to lead everyone in the Little League Pledge followed by the Parent/Volunteer Pledge.

Post-Game Procedures: After the game, both teams shall line up to shake hands. The pitching affidavit from each team shall be signed by the official scorekeeper. The manager or coach shall verify the recorded pitching record and final score. The Chief (plate) Umpire shall also sign the official scorebook

Please complete the information below as well as manager's name and cell phone number, coaches, and league president's names and send it to:

Janelle Bingaman District Administrator/ 717-991-1071/ padistrict6ll@gmail.com and

Chris Greenawalt- President and Site Coordinator/(717) 525-2124/ hyba.president1@gmail.com

Team Information Document

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18th. Hosted by Hampden Little League

(Please print or type)

Your District: _____ League Name: _____

Player Name Player Number (low to high)

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14. _____

Name and Phone Number

Manager: _____

Coach: _____

Coach: _____

League President: _____