

Little League Baseball, Inc.  
United States Eastern Region

**State of Pennsylvania  
Section 4  
District Administrators**



Present the

**2023  
Junior LL Baseball  
Section 4 Tournament**

**Joseph F. Walkovich** PA 7 District Administrator, Section 4 Coordinator

**Gary Welsh** Section 4 PA 11 District Administrator,

**Co-Hosted by:** District 7 Indiana LL & District 11 Hollidaysburg LL

**Location:** IND: [East Pike Complex, 495 East Pike Road, Indiana, PA 15701](#)  
HBG: \_\_\_\_\_, Hollidaysburg, PA xxxxx

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**Team Arrival:** July 17<sup>th</sup> 2023

WE WON! Now what do we do?

## 2023 PA Section 4 Championship Checklist

The Indiana Little League Section 4 Tournament Committee would like to congratulate you and your team on your District Championship! Enclosed is an information package for **the 2023 – PA Section 4 – Junior LL Baseball Championship to be held in Indiana, PA and Hollidaysburg, PA July 17<sup>th</sup> – July 19<sup>th</sup> 2023.**

The following checklist is to assist you during this exciting time. Your immediate attention to the items on this list would be greatly appreciated. **Please email Joe Walkovich with any corrections or missing information (see Page 1) a.s.a.p.**

- ❑ The following information is needed:

District Number

Team Name of District Champion

Team Colors

Manager's, Coach's and Scorekeeper's Name

Number of players on the team

- ❑ Read the attached 2023 Section 4 Championship Tournament package

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# 2023 Pennsylvania Section 4 Junior LL Baseball Tournament Contacts

## District 7 Administrator and Section 4 Tournament Chair:

Joe Walkovich                      Cell 412-289-2932  
Gary Welsh                        Cell 814-525-6152

## Assistant Tournament Chairs:

Dane Rombaugh                Cell 724-388-9917  
Matt Budash, D7 ADA        Cell 412-289-0571

## Section 4 Tournament Participants:

**District 7 Champion League Name:**    # – Players: \_\_\_\_\_

### Team Colors:

Name	Cell#	Email
<b>Manager:</b>		
<b>Coach:</b>		
<b>Coach:</b>		

**District 11 Champion League Name:** # - Players: \_\_\_\_\_

### Team Colors:

Name	Cell#	Email
<b>Manager:</b>		
<b>Coach:</b>		
<b>Coach:</b>		

## **TEAM REGISTRATION**

**All Team Managers or his/her designated representative must report to the Indiana Junior League Field, Indiana, PA for registration at 4:45 PM on Wednesday 7/17/23.**

At registration please be prepared with the following items:

1. Tournament Affidavit
2. Player Verification Forms w/:
  - Proof of Age documentation
  - Proof of Residency documentation
3. Boundary Map / Appropriate Waivers
4. Medical Release Forms

Simultaneous with the review we will also have a meeting to discuss the tournament rules and ground rules.

## **PRE-GAME CEREMONIES**

Prior to each Game, the Teams will be introduced in a brief pre-game ceremony which will conclude with the Star Spangled banner and LL Pledge.

## **HOUSING**

Housing will not be provided for teams, managers, and coaches. Teams will be responsible for any and all costs in this area. See the list of motel accommodations on page 4. Team Managers must report their location to the tournament contacts once they are established. There is an abundance of eating establishments within minutes of the tournament site.

## **Food for Teams**

**Food & Drink should be available to each team after each game, compliments of the Host League (Indiana LL or Hollidaysburg LL).**

## **HOTEL DIRECTORY – Indiana, PA**

### **Ramada by Wyndham**

1395 Wayne Avenue  
Indiana, PA 15701  
Phone: (724) 463-3561

### **Hampton Inn**

1275 Indian Springs Road  
Indiana, PA 15701  
Phone: (724) 349-7700

### **Quality Inn & Suites**

1545 Wayne Avenue  
Indiana, PA 15701  
Phone: (724) 349-9620

### **Days Inn by Wyndham**

111 Plaza Rd.  
Indiana, PA 15701  
Phone: (724) 349-4600

### **Hilton Garden Inn**

714 Pratt Drive  
Indiana, PA 15705  
Phone: (724) 349-2222

### **Holiday Inn Express**

1350 Indian Springs Road  
Indiana, PA 15701  
Phone: (724) 465-7000

## **HOSPITAL / EMERGENCY INFORMATION**

Indiana Hospital  
835 Hospital Road  
Indiana, PA 15701  
724-357-7000

Dial 911 for Ambulance – Fire – Police

## PROCEDURES HIGHLIGHTS

1. The Tournament Rules and Regulations as published by LL for Little League Softball shall be binding and strictly enforced.
2. Each manager must submit their eligibility affidavit, medical releases and all tournament eligibility information to the Tournament Director.
3. The team manager is responsible for uniforms and equipment (equipment will be checked by the Umpire-in-Chief prior to each game). Players must be in uniform with the Little League approved patch. Managers and coaches may wear pants, slacks, shorts or skirt (Jeans & Sweatpants are Not allowed).
4. Only manager, coaches and players listed on the official tournament eligibility affidavit are permitted in the dugout or on the playing field.
5. All batting helmets must be NOCSAE approved with the warning labels (no mirror-like helmets).
6. Catchers must wear a mask with approved helmet and throat guard.
7. Shoes with metal cleats or spikes shall not be worn by players, managers, coaches or umpires.
8. Sunflower Seeds, Gum and Tobacco of any kind are NOT permitted in the Dugouts & on the Fields.
9. Game balls will be supplied by the Host League.
10. All pregame practices will be assigned by the Host League. A short infield/outfield warm-up may be allowed if conditions permit. This warm-up may or may not be on the game field.
11. Dugout Assignment: The team listed on the top of the official bracket will occupy the First Base Dugout. The team on the bottom of the official bracket will occupy the Third Base Dugout.
12. Home Team Selection: The game field is neutral for each game. A coin-flip will determine home/visiting teams.
13. Fifteen minutes prior to the game start, managers, coaches, umpires and the game director will meet at home plate to conduct the coin-flip, review the ground rules, and answer any pregame questions.
14. Both teams will line-up as directed by the tournament director when introduced and remain there for the National Anthem and the Little League Pledge.
15. Both teams will meet at the home plate area immediately at the conclusion of the game and shake hands.
16. Complimentary refreshments will be served to both teams after each game.

17. Each participant will be awarded a Section Pin. At the conclusion of the tournament, the winning team will be awarded a PA Section 4 Championship Banner.
18. Your conduct and that of your team must be above reproach at all times.

**GOOD LUCK!**



## Schedule of Events (**subject to change**)

### Tuesday, July 17<sup>th</sup>

- 4:45 pm Team Registration / Managers and Coaches Meeting at Indiana LL JR. League Field
- 5:00 pm D7 Pre-Game practice at Indiana LL East Pike Complex (Field TBD)
- 5:20 pm D11 Pre-Game practice at Indiana LL East Pike Complex (Field TBD)
- 5:40 pm Pre-Game Introductions
- 5:50 pm Pre-Game Coin Toss
- 6:00 pm Game 1: District 11 vs. District 7**

### Wednesday, July 18<sup>th</sup>

- 5:00 pm D11 Pregame practice at Hollidaysburg LL JR Field
- 5:20 pm D7 Pregame practice at Hollidaysburg LL JR Field
- 5:40 pm Pre-Game Introductions
- 5:50 pm Pre-Game Coin Toss
- 6:00 pm Game 2: Winner Game 1 vs. Loser Game 1**

### Thursday, July 19<sup>th</sup>

- 5:00 pm W Gm 2 Pregame practice at TBD
- 5:20 pm L Gm 2 Pregame practice at TBD
- 5:40 pm Pre-Game Introductions
- 5:50 pm Pre-Game Coin Toss
- 6:00 pm Game 3 - if necessary: Winner Game 2 vs. Loser Game 2 if 1<sup>st</sup> loss.**

## 2 Team Double Elimination Bracket

### Division: 12-14 JR LL Baseball

#### 2023 Pennsylvania Section 4 Double Elimination Tournament

Joe Walkovich, DA - Tournament Director

724-357-8882/Home, 412-289-2932/Cell

Indiana LL GPS Address: East Pike Complex, 495 East Pike RD, Indiana, PA 15701

Hollidaysburg JR Baseball Field GPS Address: ???

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Day #	Day # 1	Day # 2	Day # 3	
Weekday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	
Date	7/17/23	7/18/23	7/19/23	2 Team Dbl.Elim.

7/16/2023

**NOTE: S4 JR BB has 2 Teams. D7 & D11 have confirmed Teams. D5 & D6 have confirmed they do NOT have Teams.**

7/19/2023

#### Winner's Bracket

#### PA Section 4 District Champions

District #	League	#W / #L
5	NO D5 Team	
6	NO D6 Team	
7	Indiana or Clymer	
11	Yes D11 has a Team	

D11 Hollidaysburg

**Game 1**

Loser to A

6 PM - D7 IND East Pike

D7 Indiana or Clymer

**Game 2**

Loser to B

(if 1st loss)

6 PM - D7 HBG JR Field

**Game 3**

(if necessary)

6 PM - D7 / D11 Coin Toss

**B**

#### Loser's Bracket

**A**

**Champion**

**ALL GAMES BEGIN AT 6:00 PM UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED**

In the event of inclement weather, games will be re-scheduled as necessary.

If inclement weather persists, the loser's bracket will be dropped and the winner of the Winner's Bracket will represent Section 4 at the PA State Tournament.

District #	League	Team Manger	Cell #	Email address
7	Indiana LL	ILL: Bryan Force	(412) 289-0069	bforce@eastamericaninc.com
7	or Clymer LL	CLY: Brad Jarvie	(724) 464-9174	bjbj23@hotmail.com
11	Hollidaysburg LL	??		

#### NOTES:

1	Day 1 Pre-game Affidavit Check D6 & D7 at 4:45 PM
2	Day 1 Pre-Game Field Time: D7 - 5 PM - 5:20 PM; D11 - 5:20 PM - 5:40 PM
3	Day 1 Pre Game Introductions - 5:45 PM
4	Day 1 Pre-Game Coin Toss - 5:50 PM
5	Managers & Coaches may wear Casual Pants or Khaki Shorts & a Polo Shirt or Team Jersey

Please complete the information below and email to Joe Walkovich, PA7 District Administrator. Email to: [jfwalko1@gmail.com](mailto:jfwalko1@gmail.com)

**Player Information:**

District: \_\_\_\_\_ League Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Player's First & Last Name	Number	Phonetic Pronunciation
1. _____	_____	_____
2. _____	_____	_____
3. _____	_____	_____
4. _____	_____	_____
5. _____	_____	_____
6. _____	_____	_____
7. _____	_____	_____
8. _____	_____	_____
9. _____	_____	_____
10. _____	_____	_____
11. _____	_____	_____
12. _____	_____	_____
13. _____	_____	_____
14. _____	_____	_____

<b><u>Manager Information</u></b>	<b><u>Phone Number</u></b>
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Manager: _____	_____
Coach: _____	_____
Coach: _____	_____
President: _____	_____