

OFFICE OPENS

April 13, 2009

Hours will be:

Monday—Friday

5PM—7PM

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New For 2009

1. **Sponsor Letter of Intent forms will no longer be sent out to managers and they will no longer be accepted.** The \$500 team fee **MUST** be submitted with the registration form.
2. Our website, www.rcasa.net, has a new look, check it out! Thank you, Chris Lynde for the great website ideas and hard work.
3. New player fee is \$55 per player, the last in crease was in 2005.
4. There is now a B league on Friday.
5. Be sure to watch the State ASA website for the current banned bats list.
6. We will use the ball the State chooses to use for State Tournaments, this will be decided at the annual meeting Jan. 31st.
7. Coach call or a similar system, will be used in 2009. Please be sure your manager contact information is correct. Calls will not be sent to numbers with extensions. Each team can provide 2 numbers for contact – please mark the box(es) next to the numbers you wish to have used.

Dates & Deadlines:

Dates may change without notice.

- ***March 13, 2009**—Team registration **MUST** be post marked no later than this date.
- ***April 4, 2009**—Snowball Tournament.
- ***April 5, 2009**—4th Annual Easter Egg Hunt.
- ***April 10, 2009**—Rosters **MUST** be post marked no later than this date.
- ***April 13, 2009**—Office Opens
- ***April 18, 2009**—Spring Clean up—All are welcome to help. Umpire Q&A
- ***April 21, 2009**—Spring Manager's Meeting—**MANAGERS MUST ATTEND.** Schedules will **NOT** be on-line until all packets are picked up.
- ***April 27, 2009**—**SEASON TENTATIVELY STARTS**
- ***May 9 & 10, 2009**—Season Opener Tournament.
- ***June 13 & 14, 2009**—Breast Cancer Awareness Tournament.
- ***June 20 & 21, 2009**—4th Annual RC All Nighter
- ***July 11 & 12, 2009**—King of the Hills Tournament
- ***July 25 & 26, 2009**—Women's State Tournament Divisions 2, 4, 5, 6
- ***August 8 & 9, 2009**—State Warm up Tournament
- ***August 15 & 16, 2009**—Men's C/D State Tournament
- ***August 29 & 30, 2009**—3rd Annual Co-ed Tournament
- ***September 12 & 13, 2009**—Co-ed State Tournament

Roster Information

- ☐ Remember that when you are completing the roster, the “PRINT OR TYPE” section is what we use to make your player’s cards and for the Coach Call list—PLEASE write legibly and make sure all information is current, it is your responsibility to notify us of any changes to your contact information, failure to do so may result in you missing important information.
- ☐ Each roster must have at least 10 (ten) players paid for at the time it is turned in—the roster may contain more than 10 players, but each player has to pay the \$55 player’s fee.
- ☐ Teams were placed by the Board & Committee where we felt they would be most competitive as per 2008 standings. Please note that we are enclosing a list of all teams currently placed in your division—this list is subject to change. Should you have any concerns, please contact Jena at 545-3012.

Potential Projects for 2009 2008 Complex Improvements

The purchase of AED machines for the complex

New score boards

6000 feet of flat sidewalk replacement

600 feet of retaining walls

Redo batter’s boxes

Re-stretch all fence lines

Re-level outfields grass and fill in holes

Redo all infield bases

Steam clean all sewer lines

Pull all restroom stools and replace flanges

Replace roofs on 5 dugouts

Installed new timer clocks for sprinkler system

Painted all buildings

Built and painted new foul poles

Moved infield sprinkler to outfield and fixed infield-outfield lip

Re-aligned home plates with new foul poles

Cleaned out drainage ditches for water run-off

Re-stretched all fence lines

Re-aligned and replaced all light bulbs in the complex

Season Reminders

CLEATS... Absolutely NO metal cleats will be allowed on the field

LINE UP CARDS... It is very important that you verify the score and sign the lineup card at the end of each game. If a score gets inverted, you may not get credit for a win and then the standings are wrong.

PLAYER CARDS... Once again, player cards will be used—each player is only allowed to play on one team at a time, stop in the office to switch teams. See player rule 13 “Illegal ball player”.

Field Time

Watch the internet for open field times.

If your team helps on clean-up day,

April 18th at 9 am, you will be rewarded with field time that afternoon-after clean-up.

4th Annual Easter Egg Hunt—Sunday, April 5, 2009

Come join the fun. There is something for all children ages 0-10. You never know what great prize may be awaiting your child. Tell your friends and family too—there is room for all. Tickets are \$3 each. Gates open at 1 PM, Sunday; hunt starts at 2 PM—over 4,000 eggs to be found.

Thank you to Callahan Plumbing, King of the Hills, Hobby Lobby, Umpires Don Hackett and Chuck Clark, Keith and Stacy Morell, Storybook Island, Culvers, KKM radio, Just Chillin’, Taco Johns, and the Special Committee for your continued support. To donate prizes, candy, time, etc., contact Jena @ 545-3012.