

# Union Little League Serving the community since 1960!

# September 2022 Newsletter

## **Key Dates**

- Fall ball in progress until November 12, 2022
- Spring registration opening in October
- Union Little League will be at the Carlton Elementary "Walk-a-thon" on October 15th.

# **League Message**

The ULL Annual General Meeting was held on August 24, 2022. The <u>presentation</u> from that meeting is available if you were unable to attend. In summary, the league is doing well regarding number of players and income/expenses. We are positioning ourselves to continue to make improvements to our facilities and resources to improve the experience for our players.

Fall ball games started last weekend and will continue into mid November. We have a healthy number of players registered, fielding 2-Juniors, 2-Majors, 4-Minors, and 2-Farm teams for this fall. This level of participation in the "off-season" is encouraging for our upcoming spring season, and we are excited to see our Juniors level teams return.

Registration for Spring 2023 baseball will open in October. More information will be provided as we approach this time and we will host an information night to walk through the spring season process.

# **Tournament Update**

Union Little League did very well in this year's District 12 Tournaments.

The 10s All Star team won the District 12 Championship and were runners up in the Section 5 tournament.

The 11s were runners up in the District 12 tournament. Congratulations for a great follow up to last year's amazing tournament run.

The 9s and 12s fought hard, but weren't able to advance to the semi-finals in the District 12 tournament.

#### **Board Update**

As part of the Annual General Meeting, we had several nominations for the 2022-2023 board. Those interested individuals met at our regular September board meeting to vote the new board positions for this coming year.

interested in helping on the board this season, you can contact the relevant board member for more information.

Position	2021-2022 Volunteer	2022-2023 Volunteer
President	Adam Fogle	Adam Fogle
Vice President	Lauren Dunn	Morgan Duncan
Secretary	Mark Hoehne	Mark Hoehne
Treasurer	Pam Reynolds	Sarah Hayes
Coaching Coordinator	Jon Oshidari	Tony Angelo
Player Agent	Morgan Duncan	Jon Oshidari
Safety Officer	Brent Tollenaar	Brent Tollenaar
Chief of Umpires	Sunder Parameswaran	Sunder Parameswaran
Manager of any team	Brent Tollenaar	
Facilities	Tony Palma	Brian Tam
Snack shack/concessions	Sagit Kirson	Majken Bullard
Fundraising	Holly Child	Holly Child
Scheduler	Mark Hoehne	Mark Hoehne
Volunteer coordinator	Rob Bernard	Rob Bernard
Equipment	Lauren Dunn	Lauren Dunn
Communications	Mark Hoehne	Mark Hoehne
Juniors Division Rep		Morgan Duncan
Majors Division Rep	Brent Tollenaar	Brian Tam
Minors Division Rep	Jeff Lisowski	Brent Tollenaar
Farm Division Rep	Matt Garadis	Rich Gibson
T-Ball Division Rep	Tony Angelo	Dave Wendland
Registrar	Marcus Dunn	Sarah Hayes
Fall ball coordinator	Adam Fogle	Brent Tollenaar
Uniform/Trophy Coordinator	Pam Reynolds	Lauren Oh
Social Media		Stacy Greenwood
Team Coordinator Lead		Kelli Ghanati
Head of Competitive Integrity		Jonathan Bullard

# **Community Involvement**

Union Little League strongly believes in helping our community and our schools. This school year we are reaching out to our schools to be involved. Whether it's donating items for a raffle, helping spread the word about local sporting events, or assisting the schools in special events, Union LL is here to support our local schools, the kids & our community. Starting October 15th, look for us @ the Carlton "Walk-a-Thon"! We'll be there to help out @ the event, as well as be there to assist in Spring Registration and answer questions.

#### **Snack Shack**

Our snack shack is a critical piece of Union Little League. Our new concession coordinator, Majken Bullard, is excited to take on this role and has a lot of great ideas for next season. She is looking for a few dedicated individuals who can help on a snack shack committee to make our snack shack easier to manage, easier to operate with volunteers, and be available when needed. You can see a list of job descriptions <a href="mailto:here">here</a>. If you are interested in learning more and would like to help Majken with small aspects of the snack shack, please contact her at <a href="mailto:concessions@unionlittleleaguebaseball.com">concessions@unionlittleleaguebaseball.com</a>.

### **Volunteers Needed**

Did you know that you can volunteer year round @ Union Little League? It takes a lot to run Union Little League even during the off seasons. We have a slew of projects coming up over the next few months. If you have any free time to give, consider volunteering. Your help will be greatly appreciated, and we can even apply any hours to unfilled past volunteer requirements or future volunteer requirements for the Spring season. You can reach out to:

volunteers@unionlittleleaguebaseball.com (Rob Bernard) or <a href="mailto:safety@unionlittleleaguebaseball.com">safety@unionlittleleaguebaseball.com</a> (Brian Tam) to learn more.

#### **Feedback and Comments**

Have a compliment, idea or some suggestions for the league? Submit your feedback <a href="here">here</a> - we would love to hear from you!

Thank you!

- Union Little League