



Iowa City Babe Ruth League

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Greetings from Iowa City Babe Ruth Baseball!

According to our records, you may be eligible to play in our NEW 16-18 year old program this spring. For the first time in many years, Iowa City Babe Ruth will sponsor teams in the Eastern Iowa 16-18 Babe Ruth League. If you'd like to play some baseball and your birthdate is anywhere from May 1, 1987 to April 30, 1990, this is the opportunity for you!

Our 16-18 program includes games both in Iowa City and traveling to other Eastern Iowa towns to play teams there. Games begin on March 25 and end April 30. We play on Saturdays and Sundays each weekend (except Easter Sunday). We are hoping to arrange things so that our travel day is Saturday and our home games are played Sunday afternoon at Mercer Park. There are 11 game dates, and since we play doubleheaders on each of those, there is the potential for playing 22 games over six weekends.

In order for this to work we will need to roster at least 15 players for a team. If we get enough players to build more than one team we will do so. If we do not get enough registrations by the deadline of February 10, we will cancel the program and your registration fee will be refunded. The registration fee is \$110. This pays for travel, umpires, baseballs, insurance, and other necessary expenses. With a 22 game schedule this works out to only \$5 per game!

We also need managers and coaches - and for this we need adults. If you know of anyone who might be interested (hint, check with your parents) please have them get in touch as soon as possible. Even if we get enough players we cannot enter any teams in the league without managers.

This is an exciting chance to play some more baseball that we hope you'll take advantage of. Please complete and mail the enclosed registration form as soon as possible. If you have any questions, please call me at 354-4532, or email to redlawsk@ix.netcom.com.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Dave Redlawsk". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large, sweeping flourish at the end.

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