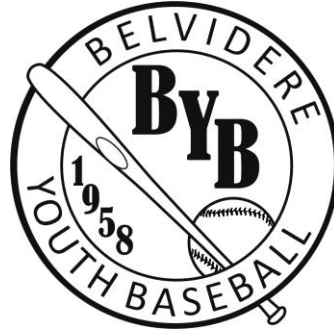




Memorial Day Tournament

May 28-30, 2010 (May 31st is the rain-out date)

Hosted by Belvidere Youth Baseball



- **Age Group: 12 & Under**
- Pool play begins Friday evening and continues Saturday, bracket play on Sunday
- 3 game guarantee (pool play, then top teams qualify for bracket play)
- Trophies for 1st and 2nd place, in addition to tickets for the Rockford Riverhawks for the champions
- **ABSOLUTELY NO** outside food and beverages are allowed. Please support our concession stands.
- Two IHSA certified umpires on each game
- Your team's spot is reserved when your check is **received**
- All games played at the Boone County Fairgrounds and Prairie Fields (if needed)
- Deals and discounts at Belvidere Culver's all weekend (1/2 mile from the park)

Entry Fee: \$250 per team – There is a \$25 discount for referring another team to our tournament that did not play last year. You must notify us that you have referred them prior to their registering, **AND** they must also notify us that you have referred them when they register. The \$25 refund check will be disbursed to your team on Memorial Day Weekend. The tournament director will have final say on this.

Make checks payable to Belvidere Youth Baseball. **Send check and your completed Tournament Registration Form to:**

**Belvidere Youth Baseball
Attn: Jason Schwebke
P.O. Box 322
Belvidere, IL 61008**

Rules and Miscellaneous Information:

- Coin flip will determine home team in ALL games
- All players must have matching uniforms
- Ties determined by (in order):
 - H2H
 - Total Runs Allowed
 - Total Runs Scored
 - Coin Flip
- PITCHING:
 - Pitchers may pitch 7 innings per calendar day
 - Pitchers may pitch 10 innings in two consecutive calendar days
 - One pitch constitutes an entire inning.
 - Please use caution and good judgment with your pitchers
- Bats do NOT have to comply with the “-3” rule and may have a barrel no larger than 2-3/4” in diameter.
- NO courtesy runners or AH/DH.
- Games are 7 innings in length or the time limit, whichever occurs first. Time Limit: No inning will be started after 1 hour and 45 minutes has expired. **There will be no time limit on the championship game.**
- A 15 run rule will apply after 4 innings, 10 runs after 5 innings.
- 4 innings, or 3-1/2 if the home team is ahead, will constitute a complete game.
- In the case of injury with no substitutes, the last player removed from the game will become eligible and return to the game without penalty.
- No infield between games.
- Teams may only bat 9, batting an entire lineup is NOT an option
- No pitches will be thrown on intentional walks
- All protests must be acted on before play can resume; please find a BYB board member to conduct a protest. Protests cost \$50 cash (cash is returned only if protest is granted).
- 2010 NFHS Baseball rules (IHSA rules) will govern conditions not covered above

In the event that the tournament is cancelled for weather and teams play zero games, a full refund will be given. Teams playing one (1) game will receive a 50% refund. Teams playing two or more games will not receive a refund. For reasons other than weather, there are absolutely **NO REFUNDS!** A game started is considered a game played.

If you have questions, please contact:

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