

IF YOU HAVE
ANY
QUESTIONS
CALL
ROCKY
CANTRELL
AT
276-796-5015

**Pound Little League
P.O. Box 16
Pound, VA 24279**

TO: DISTRICT ADMINISTRATORS

Please find enclosed information and instructions for the 2009 Virginia State Senior League Baseball Tournament to be held in Pound, Virginia starting July 17th. Please give this packet to your District Champion as soon as possible so they can forward us the information we need.

Sincerely,

Rocky Cantrell
Tournament Director

TOURNAMENT HEADQUARTERS

Pound High School Baseball Complex

Pound High School

Clintwood Highway

Pound, VA 24279

276 – 796 – 4287

Host District 13 Leagues:

Appalachia Little League

Clintwood Little League

Lee Co. East Little League

McClure Little League

Pound Little League

Big Stone Gap Little League

Coeburn Little League

Lee Co. West Little League

Norton Little League

Wise Little League

Tournament Director:

Rocky Cantrell

P.O. Box 580

Pound, VA 24279

276 – 796 – 5015

276 – 796 – 4863 (Fax)

fielderschoice@verizon.net (e-mail)

District 13 Administrator:

Donald Baker

P.O. Box 51

Clintwood, VA 24228

276 – 926 – 6851

276 – 926 – 8383

TEAMS:

Teams will participate from the following areas:

District 1 Bristol
District 2 Amherst
District 3 Front Royal
District 4 Falls Church
District 5 Charles City
District 6 Portsmouth
District 7 Newport News
District 8 Virginia Beach

District 9 Fairfax
District 10 Fairfax
District 11 Lebanon
District 12 Roanoke
District 13 Clintwood
District 14 Troy
District 15 Milford
District 16 Leesburg

REGISTRATION:

All teams, District Administrators, umpires, State Officials should arrive in Norton between 11:00 – 3:00PM, Wednesday, July 16, 2009. Registration will be held in a conference room at the Inn of Norton. Please make arrangements with the tournament director if you are unable to meet the registration schedule. Please register first in the conference room before completing check-in with the hotels.

FOOD:

Each team must provide their own food, There will be NO per diem provided this year.

TEAM HOST OR HOSTESSES:

A host or hostess will be provided upon request. These persons will assist your team in any way that they can during your visit to Pound.

LODGING:

All reservations must go through Rocky Cantrell. Please contact him at 276 – 796 – 5015 for housing.

All lodging will be on a first come first serve basis; the rooms that are on hold for this tournament are on a block that can only be accessed by the lodging coordinator, Rocky Cantrell.

Rates for the rooms will be approximately \$75 - \$100 plus taxes per night.

The teams and umpires will be at the Inn of Norton, Days Inn, and Holiday Inn.

LODGING (D.A. AND STATE OFFICIALS):

District Administrators and State Officials will be housed at the Inn of Norton in Norton, Virginia. **Please contact Rocky Cantrell.** Umpires will report to the registration area in the conference room to receive room assignments and to meet with the Umpire-in-Chief.

PRE-TOURNAMENT MEETING:

A meeting of all Managers, Coaches, Umpires, League Presidents, League Officials and District Administrators will be held July 16, 2009 at 3:00 PM at the Inn of Norton. Rules for the tournament will be discussed at this meeting. The tournament field can also be visited after this meeting.

PICNIC:

A picnic will be held at Pound High School following the team meeting at 5:00 on July 16, 2009. Pound Little League will be serving hamburgers, hotdogs, chips, drinks, and desserts. Each team member and two coaches will be provided with a ticket for this meal. Parents may also attend the picnic. The cost of the meal will be \$7.00.

TOURNAMENT PLAYING FIELD:

All games will be played at the Pound High School Baseball Complex. There will be rest rooms, concession and souvenir stands.

PRACTICE FIELDS:

Practice times can be arranged through the Tournament Director. No practice will be allowed on the tournament field.

RULES:

All Little League Baseball Tournament Rules will be enforced with no exceptions.

TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE:

A double elimination tournament will be played by the participating District Champions, with the first game beginning at 9:00 AM on Friday, July 18, 2009.

HOME TEAM:

The team Managers for game 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7 will toss the coin at the pre-tournament meeting for home or visiting teams. Home teams will have the third base dugout and the visiting team will have the first base dugout. The Visiting Team begins 10 minutes of infield practice 30 minutes prior to game time. The Home Team begins 10 minutes if infield practice 20 minutes prior to game time. Within the remaining 10 minutes, field repairs, if necessary, will be made by the grounds crew.

UMPIRES:

Approved state umpires will be used for all games. No umpire will officiate in a game in which their district is involved, if possible. For further information, contact the Tournament Umpire-in-Chief, Jack Taylor at, 276 – 386 – 6855.

PROPERTY DAMAGE:

All teams must bring a check for \$300.00 with them to the tournament and give it to the Tournament Director as a security deposit on the hotel rooms. If there is no damage done during your stay, the check will be returned to the team when they check out of the hotel. Each Tournament Team Manager should check all rooms that his team uses when they check in and out.

EQUIPMENT:

Each team will furnish their own equipment. Pound Little League will cooperate if there is an equipment emergency. For other needs that you may have, there are several sporting goods stores in the area.

EMERGENCY CALLS:

We have telephone service at the playing field.

Pound Little League (276) 796 – 4287

MEDICAL FACILITIES:

Pound Comprehensive Clinic
Main Street
Pound, VA 24279
276 – 796 – 5047

Norton Community Hospital
100 15th Street
Norton, VA 24273
276 – 679 – 9600

ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES:

NO alcoholic beverages will be permitted.

PRESS BOX:

Access to the press box will be strictly limited. Only those persons whose duties require their presence in this area (announcers, official scorekeeper, tournament director, and host league officials) will be permitted.

MERCHANDISE SALES:

Pound Little League will have for sale at each game District 13 pins, souvenir programs, t-shirts, and caps. No other soliciting will be permitted without prior approval of the Host Tournament Committee.

TOURNAMENT INFORMATION SHEET

Please fill out the following tournament information and call, mail, fax or email to the tournament officials listed on the following page. We need this information as soon as you know your District Champion for our program.

District Number _____

League Name _____

Locality _____

Manager _____

Coach _____

League President _____

Team Members

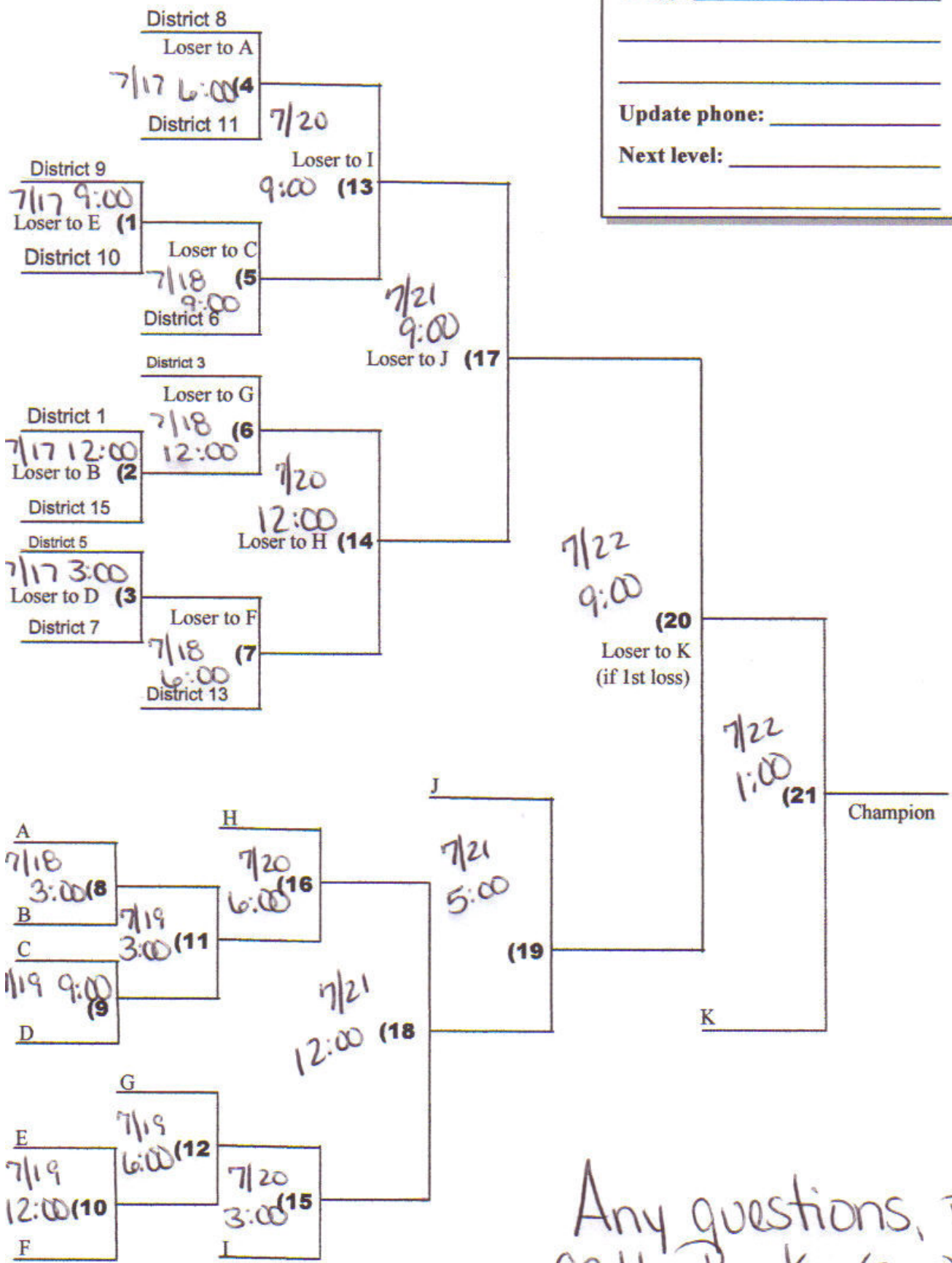
Player

Uniform Number

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Eleven Teams

Division: Senior Baseball State
 Site(s): Pound
 Update phone: _____
 Next level: _____



Any questions, please call Rocky (276) 796-501