MEMO

TO: Members DATE: 10 AUGUST 2018 FROM: Baseball Victoria SUBJECT: SportsTG Training Sessions, Australian Championships Dates and Locations Announced, State Coach Applications, OrmondGH 90th Celebration, Club Come and Try Days, P&S Meetings

Dear Members,

SportsTG Training Sessions with Taylor Crotty and Miranda Frisken

Baseball Victoria in conjunction with Baseball Australia are holding a series of free workshops at MSAC's Sports House in Albert Park to train the clubs in the correct way to use the SportsTG registration platform. A number of clubs have expressed confusion with the system and have had difficulty registering their players. Baseball Victoria are aware of these issues and are working with SportsTG to fix them.

In the meantime, BV would like to invite representative members from each club to attend one of three training sessions being run by BV Events Manager, Taylor Crotty and BA's Membership, Database Management and Sporting School's Coordinator, Miranda Frisken. The training sessions will address the registration process, as well as which fees apply to different types of players. Attendees are encouraged to bring their personal device (laptop, tablet, etc) so that they are able to follow along. There will also be time for attendees to seek advice with processing their own registration or those of a club member and a step by step guide to putting individual club fees on the SportsTG platform.

Things to note;

- You must be registered with Baseball Victoria to attend the training
- Ensure all those at your club who need to attend training do attend
- Maximum of 20 people per training session (first in best dressed)
- Each training session will be the same, you do not need to attend all three to cover understand how the platform functions.

Links to register your interest for the training sessions appear below;

BVIC Training Wednesday 15 August, 6pm Sports House BVIC Training Thursday 16 August, 6pm, Sports House BVIC Training Friday 17 August, 6pm, Sports House

Australian Championships Dates and Locations Announced

Baseball Australia have announced the dates and locations for the Australian National Championships for Little League, Junior League, Intermediate League, Under 16 Boys, Under 18 Boys, Youth Women, Senior Men and Senior Women's tournaments.

The details are as follows;

- 16/18 Australian Youth Championships
 Venue: Blacktown International Sportspark, Sydney
 Dates: Friday 11th January Sunday 20th January 2019
 Host Partners: Baseball New South Wales
- Australian Youth Women's Championships
 Venue: Narrabundah Ballpark, Canberra
 Dates: Monday 15th April Saturday 20th April 2019
 Host Partners: Baseball Canberra
- Australian Women's Championships
 Venue: Narrabundah Ballpark, Canberra
 Dates: Sunday 14th April Sunday 21st April 2019
 Host Partners: Baseball Canberra
- Australian Senior League Championships
 Venue: Albert Park, Lismore
 Dates: Sunday 19th May Friday 24th May 2019
 Host Partners: Far North Coast Baseball Association
- Australian Junior League Championships
 Venue: Diamond Sports SA, West Beach
 Dates: Sunday 26th May Friday 31st May 2019
 Host Partners: Baseball South Australia
- Australian Intermediate League Championships Venue: TBD Dates: May (TBD) Host Partners: TBD
 - Australian Little League Championships Venue: Albert Park, Lismore Dates: Wednesday 5th June – Monday 10th June 2019 Host Partners: Far North Coast Baseball Association

State Coach Applications

Baseball Victoria are currently seeking coaches and executive officers interested in being involved with the Charter Program as well as the State Under 16, Under 18 and Senior Women's teams.

The primary aim of the Charter and State Team programs is to develop and maximize the opportunities for our athletes to develop their skills and get exposure to the highest standard of baseball available to them. In many cases both programs are an athlete's first step towards representing Australia and/or providing them a necessary platform to progress into Senior National Competitions, the US College system or professional ranks.

CHARTER PROGRAM OVERVIEW

The Charter Head Coach is responsible for overseeing, delivering and monitoring all aspects of their respective Charter teams, conducted in collaboration with Baseball Victoria.

REQUIREMENTS

The specific responsibilities of the position are, but not limited to, as follows (for full Position Description please see download link below):

- A minimum of Level 3 baseball coach accreditation
- Proven experience of working within an integrated program environment

[INSERT POSITION DESCRIPTION HERE] Closes Friday 29 September 2018 [?]

POSITION DESCRIPTIONS

- [insert link here]
- [insert link here]

MORE INFORMATION & QUERIES

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YOUTH (U16/U18) PROGRAM OVERVIEW

In 2019, we anticipate once again sending two teams (Blue/White) for both age groups with each of the 4 team's staff consisting of a Head Coach, team of Assistant Coaches and an Executive Officer.

REQUIREMENTS

Appointed Coaches and Executive Officers (EOs) will be required to coordinate, implement and attend trials, squad training, training sessions and other events as directed by Baseball Victoria. Coordination and servicing of the teams during the National Championships will also be required. Both the Under 16 and Under 18 tournaments are scheduled to run from Friday 11th January through until Sunday 20th January at the Blacktown International Sportspark in Sydney.

POSITION DESCRIPTIONS

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MORE INFORMATION & QUERIES

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SENIOR WOMENS PROGRAM OVERVIEW

In 2019, we anticipate once again sending two teams (Blue/White) with each team's staff consisting of a Head Coach, team of Assistant Coaches and an Executive Officer.

REQUIREMENTS

Appointed Coaches and Executive Officers (EOs) will be required to coordinate, implement and attend trials, squad training, training sessions and other events as directed by Baseball Victoria. Coordination and servicing of the teams during the National Championships will also be required from Sunday 14th April through until Sunday 21st April 2019.

POSITION DESCRIPTIONS

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Ormond Glenhuntly 90th Celebration

Ormond Glenhuntly Baseball Club is turning 90 and to celebrate the club is holding a two-course dinner on Saturday the 6th October.

Venue: The Bentleigh Club, 33 Yawla St, Bentleigh. Time: 6:30pm – Midnight Dress code: Semi-formal Cost: \$60 per person or \$100 for a couple.

To RSVP or purchase tickets, please contact Archie Lygris on 0402 342 601 or ALygris@morrow.com.au.

Club Come and Try Days

As you may have noticed, numerous clubs have had their Come And Try days or Coaches Ads forwarded through Baseball Victoria's social media channels. If your club is holding a similar event or have a position opening and would like to advertise via BV, please send your flyers or information through to lisa.mclellan@baseballvictoria.com.au and we can post through Facebook and TeamApp.

Proposed P&S Meeting Schedules

A quick reminder that Presidents and Secretaries Meetings are currently scheduled for; 3rd SEPTEMBER 1st OCTOBER 5th NOVEMBER

The BV Team

Justin Huber - CEO Jeff Paull - General Manager of Baseball Operations Taylor Crotty - Events and Operations Manager Kelsey Quinn - Competition Coordinator Lisa Mclellan - Digital Media and Communications Coordinator Tania Newcombe - Financial Coordinator Damian Shanahan - High Performance Manager Stewart Howe - Umpires Coordinator