

Northern Illinois Metro League

2018 MEMBER ADVANTAGES & Team Registration Form

MOST SERVICE ORIENTATED TRAVEL LEAGUE IN ILLIANA OFFERING TEAMS THE MOST COMPREHENSIVE BENEFITS PACKAGE

- Age Divisions **8U – 15U**
- Someone available 24-7 to assist teams with help or any other league or tournament information via phone (773-881-1588 or 773-858-6668) or email: GLYSELLC@AOL.COM
- **EVERY team gets their own custom schedule based on INDIVIDUAL TEAM REQUESTS. THE NIML GETS YOU WHAT WORKS FOR YOUR INDIVIDUAL TEAM. YOUR TEAM REQUESTS ARE THE NUMBER ONE SCHEDULE PRIORITY.**
- The **HO CHUNK ELITE** division is for the strongest teams. All games are played at Ho Chunk. Umpires, balls, umpires, field rental and sanction fees are included in the league fee.
- Teams post their roster on their own team web page.
- Teams post their game scores on their team page
- Teams have the ability to complete the scheduling calendar on line
- Teams have their league schedule & practice schedule on their team page.
- Every team can add "non-league" games & tournament games and scores on their team page
- Team insurance is available through CABA at a very affordable cost
- All NIML teams receive a \$100 discount on all Ho Chunk Tournaments. **To be eligible for this benefit teams must schedule and play a minimum of 8 games in the NIML.**
- **All 8-9U teams are eligible for free entry into 2 Ho Chunk Weekend Tournaments. All 10U teams are eligible for free entry into 1 Ho Chunk Weekend Tournament, exception Memorial Day. (first 6 per event to turn in completed free entry form) To be eligible for this benefit teams must schedule and play a minimum of 8 games in the NIML.**
- 1 Dozen Free **baseballs** for attending the **GENERAL** meetings in November and February. **Baseballs are only given out at the 2 general meetings. 1 dozen per team at each meeting.**
- Additional **baseballs** available to NIML members @ 32 per dozen. Only sold at the General Meetings.
- All NIML teams are sanctioned with CABA, AABC & USSSA. All National Sanction fees included in NIML fee.
- **DIRECT WORLD SERIES BERTHS** awarded to CABA. **DIRECT REGIONAL BERTHS** awarded to **AABC** from **PARTICIPATION** in the NIML league.
- **FREE** Coach's Clinic / Vendor Show
- All teams are eligible for the **FREE NIML WEEKDAY TOURNAMENT.**
- 2 Free Ho Chunk tournaments raffled off at each NIML general meeting. (Good for either event # 1 or event # 2) Free raffle ticket given to each person in attendance.
- **ANY TEAM TAKING FULL ADVANTAGE OF THE NIML BENEFITS AND DISCOUNTS OFFERED THROUGH THE NIML ARE NOT ONLY GETTING THEIR LEAGUE ENTRY FEE BACK IN THE BENEFITS PACKAGE, THEY ARE ALSO SAVING ADDITIONAL MONEY THROUGH THE VARIOUS DISCOUNTS AVAILABLE TO NIML MEMBERS.**

(Please Type or Print Legibly all Information)

Team Age: _____ Team Name: _____ Manager's Name: _____
(Please Enter Full Team Name)

Manager's Address: _____
(Please Include City, State & Zip Code In Address)

Home Phone: _____ Day Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____
(Please Include Area Codes In All Phone Numbers)

Email Address: _____@_____

Contact: (If not manager): _____ Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____
(Please Include Area Codes In All Phone Numbers)

Email Address: _____@_____

Team Classification: (Check 1 primary division) **Elite:** ___ **Major:** ___ **AAA:** ___ **AA:** ___ **AGE:** (Circle 1) 8U, 9U, 10U, 11U, 12U, 13U, 14U, 15U

Ho Chunk Super Elite: _____ 10U, 11U & 12U - **\$995**, 13U & 14U - **\$1095**

Ho Chunk Elite League fees must be paid in full by January 10, 2018 (No Discounts for this division)

Checks Payable To: NIML / Mail Application To: Nancy Pell / 10649 S. Trumbull Ave. / Chicago, Ill. 60655 / No Refunds

Ho Chunk Elite Division:

Only the most competitive teams in age brackets 10U thru 14U are eligible for this division. All games in this division are played at the Ho Chunk Baseball facility. Teams will play 1 game a week starting the second week of April thru the third week of June. Teams will play 9-10 games, weather permitting. The schedule for this division is posted in February prior to scheduling any other games. All rainouts need to be made up as soon as possible.

MONDAYS ARE LEFT OPEN TO SCHEDULE HO CHUNK ELITE RAINOUTS. Any team forfeiting will be removed from league IMMEDIATELY!

All umpires, balls, NIML fee and field rental are included in the fee. All age brackets will have 2 umpires per game when possible. The schedule is completed by the league. Each age bracket plays on a specific day of the week each week **as much as possible**. EXAMPLE: 12U & 14U every Tuesday, 11U & 13U every Wednesday, rained out games on Mondays.

Elite Division:

This division is for the best teams in Illiana (Northern Illinois & Northwest Indiana). These teams usually go on to National World Series and other National events to compete with some of the top teams throughout the country and world. Over the past several years we have had several NIML Elite teams go on to win national championships with multiple national organizations. There are no league geographic regions for this division.

Major Division:

This division is primarily for teams that are full time travel with better than average players but not quite on an Elite team level. Teams from this division have the option to play some of the Elite division teams upon request. If your team is interested in division class crossover games with any other class, please fill in the request section on the scheduling calendar.

AAA Division:

This division is primarily for teams that are either full time or part time travel teams with average players. Teams from this division have the option to play some of the Major or Sunday division teams upon request. If your team is interested in division class crossover games with any other class, please fill in the request section on the scheduling calendar.

AA Division:

This division is primarily for teams that are playing as part time travel teams and those teams that are not able to compete on a competitive level with the traditional travel teams. Teams from this division have the option to play some of the AAA & Major division teams upon request. If your team is interested in division crossover games please fill in the request section on the scheduling calendar.

(See Below for NIML League fee)

League fees received by 09 / 30 / 17 \$150 per team, Fees received by 10 / 30 / 17 \$175 per team, Fees received by 11 / 11 / 17 \$200 per team, Fees received by 12 / 15 / 17 \$225 per team, Fees received after 12 / 15 / 17 \$250 per team