

When and Where can I register?

Registration is done online at:

<https://omegadelbaseballandsoftball.sportsgin.com/register/form/688478344>



Visit <http://www.omegadelbaseball.org> for more information

Registration questions can be sent to dgaichas@kemper.com

Volunteers Needed!!

- Want to volunteer this summer? We are always looking for:
 - Coaches
 - Umpires
 - Event Coordinators
- Players can also earn High School volunteer hours

About Omega Delta Youth Baseball & Softball

The summer of 2006 marked the inaugural season for the Omega Delta Youth Baseball League, Inc., (ODYBL) at Hoyne Park Playground, which is located at 3417 S. Hamilton in the McKinley Park community on the southwest side of Chicago, IL.

The ODYBL was established by five members of the Omega Delta National Fraternity (www.omegadelta.org) and one eager neighborhood parent. Prior to the ODYBL, Hoyne Park was home to the Ralph E. Bermele Little League for over sixty years. It was in the Bermele Little League where the founding members of the ODYBL began their coaching careers until the league sadly disbanded in 2003.

Pulling together whatever players remained, the coaches assembled two teams to compete at different parks and in their very own tournament, the Omega Delta Classic, which has been hosted at Hoyne Park every year since 2004. After two years of tournament play, the coaches felt it was time to expand their program and bring a league back to Hoyne Park. Following months of recruiting, planning and fundraising and with the help of parents, players, volunteers, supporters and sponsors, the Omega Delta Youth Baseball League was formed.

Since 2006 the League has grown from two teams to over twenty five teams with over three hundred registered players annually. In addition in 2009 the League introduced a new fast-pitch softball division for girls ages 10 – 13, which expanded in 2010 for young women ages 14-16 and again in 2013 for girls 8 – 10 and young women 16 - 18.

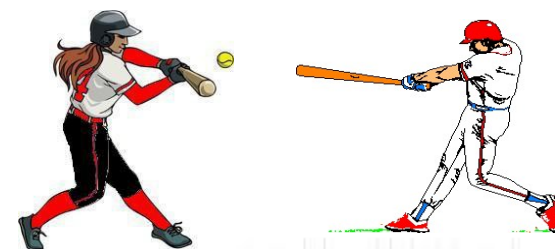
The ODYBL strives for continuous growth and improvement. Community support is crucial to our continued success and we hope you consider participating in our program this season!!



BASEBALL & SOFTBALL

Omega Delta Youth Baseball & Softball League

Join our Family and Join the Fun!!



When does the season start?

- 🕒 Opening Day is scheduled for Saturday April 25, 2026

How long does the season last?

- 🕒 Playoffs and Championship games typically take place in late July/early August.

Where are games played?

- 🕒 Our home field is located at Hoyne Park, 3417 S. Hamilton. The majority of games will be played at Hoyne.
- 🕒 In addition, regular season games and make-up games may be played at McKinley Park, 2300 W. Pershing Rd.

How many games will be played?

- 🕒 Approximately 12-15 regular seasons games will be scheduled along with playoffs.

What days and times are games and practices?

- 🕒 Exact days and times will vary throughout the season. Game schedules are distributed prior to the start of the season and subject to weather cancellations.
- 🕒 In general, teams may play two - three times per week (not including makeup games due to weather/field conditions)
- 🕒 Practices will be determined by the team coach. Weekday practices typically start after 5:30pm/6:00pm.

Can I pick my team or coach?

- 🕒 No. All players, including returning players, will be placed in the Draft and selected to a team in early March.

What equipment do I need?

- 🕒 Players are required to have their own fielder's glove
- 🕒 Bats, cleats, helmets, and other equipment are optional
- 🕒 Used Equipment is sold each year before the start of the season offering huge discounts on all types of items including gloves, bats, cleats, helmets, etc.

Is there a travel team option?

- 🕒 Our league is strictly an in-house recreational league
- 🕒 For higher skilled players we offer in-house All-Star Tournament Teams
 - 🕒 For 2026, Tournament Teams are available at the following levels:
 - 8 & Under Baseball
 - 10 & Under Baseball
 - 12 & Under Baseball
 - 13 & Under Softball
 - 14 & Under Baseball
 - High School Softball
 - 🕒 Players are selected based prior season performance and tryouts
 - 🕒 Additional Fees will be assessed to cover uniform costs and tournament entry fees
 - 🕒 Travel is required

How much does it cost to register?

- 🕒 2026 Registration Fees **before 1/31/26:**
 - 🕒 T-Ball (ages 4-5) \$75
 - 🕒 Rookie (ages 6-8) \$90
 - 🕒 Girls Softball (ages 7-10) \$100
 - 🕒 Minor (ages 9-11) \$110
 - 🕒 Girls Softball (ages 11-14)* \$110
 - 🕒 Major (ages 12-14)* \$120
 - 🕒 H.S. Softball (ages 14-18) \$125

*14-year-old players must be in 8th grade
- 🕒 A refundable service hour deposit of \$50 is also due upon registration. The deposit is returned after performing five (5) hours of service to the league.
- 🕒 A \$10 sibling discount is available to families with multiple children
- 🕒 Fees will increase **\$85 per player after January 31, 2026.**
- 🕒 Payment plans are available

What is included with the fee?

- 🕒 Regular season and post season games (number of games vary depending on level of play)
- 🕒 Regular team practices
- 🕒 Full uniform (jersey, pants, socks)
- 🕒 Sports Insurance
- 🕒 Opening Day & All-Star festivities
- 🕒 Awards Picnic & Award
- 🕒 Ticket to Pro Baseball/Softball game

Can I sponsor a team and get my logo displayed?

- 🕒 Absolutely! Sponsorship inquiries can be sent to sponsoromegadelta@yahoo.com