

Bear River Little League

Manager/Coach Commitment Statement

If appointed as Manager or Coach, I commit:

1. Managers/Coaches must have some knowledge of baseball to be able to teach players and parent fair play, the rules, fundamentals, techniques, strategies, good sportsmanship and respect for the opponent and umpires.
 2. Managers must be able to attend all league/division meetings. (Your attendance is important to keep informed. Your ideas are valued and needed to help the league prosper.)
 3. Managers must be willing to handle the administrative requirements of the team. (Maintaining accurate team rosters, medical release forms, league registration forms, proper birth records, etc). The Team Mom is available to assist with general league communication to the team families however the Manager is ultimately responsible.
 4. Managers must be able to attend all games and practices. If an emergency arises, and the manager is unable to attend, he/she should have an able and reliable coach to replace him/her.
 5. Managers/Coaches must be responsible for proper safeguarding and use of all equipment, facilities and uniforms.
 6. Learn and abide by BRLL rules, LL rules and regulations, and the ground rules on the field on which my team will be playing.
 7. Managers must be willing and able to deal with problems that may occur with players and parents of players in a responsible way.
 8. Managers/Coaches must convey a responsible behavior during practices and games, keeping in mind that all players will watch, listen and respond to your behavior, whether it is good or bad. Teach players and parents fair play, good sportsmanship, and respect for the opponent and umpires.
 9. Not use bad language, alcohol, drugs, or tobacco while around the team. (These would not be acceptable examples for the young people while representing the LL program.)
 10. Managers must be willing to participate in league functions (work parties, fundraisers, picture day, clinics, safety meetings.) that promote and support Bear River Little League. Work with the BRLL personnel to benefit the program.
 11. Managers/Coaches must attend BRLL or district coaching, rules and safety clinics, and meetings. (Be willing to learn more about the game of baseball and how to teach young people the proper and safe way to play the game.)
 - 11.1 T-ball, Farm, and Minor Division Managers and Coaches must attend **AI & AI Clinic** and any Major or Junior Division Managers and Coaches that have not attended **within the last three years**.
 - 11.2 All Managers and Coaches must attend the **BRLL Managers and Coaches Meeting**.
 - 11.3 Minor*, Major, Junior/Senior and Big League division managers must attend **D-11 rules clinic**.
** Minor league coaches would benefit from the D-11 rules with attendance optional if they have previously attended more than one AI & AI clinic. Any minor league coach thinking of moving to majors the following year would benefit.*
- Schedule of meetings and clinics are listed on your copy of the Manager Commitment form.
12. Managers/Coaches are considered extensions of the BRLL Board of Directors as leaders of our program. I will support and abide by all decisions made as we strive to improve and provide a quality program to benefit all our players.
 13. Strive to win, and I understand that "Winning isn't everything."

Signature

Date

Printed Name