





## **COACH INSTRUCTIONS BPA WORLD SERIES**

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Save yourselves phone calls and emails by sending the *RoomRoster* App link and informing your players/families that all information for the 10U, 11U, 13U BPA World Series at CCAC, Warsaw IN is available at CCAC website: <u>http://www.ccacwarsaw.com/bpa-ws-2017</u> and the *IN BPA Facebook Page*: <u>https://www.facebook.com/INDBPA/</u>. Updated information will be posted throughout tournament including updated brackets. Please be sure to INFORM your parents there is admission charge for BPA World Series (including Tues. July 18 events at CCAC) to avoid any embarrassing scenarios! Admission fees are listed on *"Schedule"* posted at CCAC web site and gate fees will also be posted at the center gate of the CCAC.

- <u>PIN SWAP</u>: Teams are encouraged to bring pins or souvenirs from their community to exchange with other teams throughout tourney. *The kids dig it!* (Optional not mandatory.)
- All activities on Tuesday July 17<sup>th</sup> take place at the CCAC. Skills and HR Derby info. and entry form posted at CCAC web site. There will be a *Coaches Softball Game* and *PIN SWAP* 6-8 p.m.
- **TEAM REGISTRATION 12 – 3 pm.** ALL team members must be present for *Mandatory Team Check-in*. Coaches (or an adult team rep.) must have birth certificate (copy) for each player. Each player will be identified on the BPA roster and matched to their birth cert., and then receive a wristband that must be worn the entire tournament. We will not keep the copy, but coach needs to have birth certificates available throughout entire tournament if identity/eligibility needs to be verified, or if a wristband needs to be replaced - must bring broken wristband and birth certificate to be issued a new wristband. Umpires will be informed that if a player is discovered without a wristband, a sub will be asked for, if no sub is available, an out will be taken until the player can be checked back in. Each team will also receive three (3) coach wristbands for the tournament.
- TOURNEY SOUVENIRSPre-order your BPA World Series gear and save!!Order 2 shirts & get a World Series Towel for FREE!Share with parents & fans so they can take advantage too! Click the link to ordernow and pick up at the tournament site.<a href="https://goo.gl/d3KyQK">https://goo.gl/d3KyQK</a>
- **SKILLS / HOME RUN DERBY 12 4:45 pm.** (Optional not mandatory) Turn in entries and payment at *East Hub*. Plan an effective approach for your team if participating! *First come first served*. Early participation is encouraged, as there likely will be less waiting for your team. PLEASE DO NOT SHOW UP AFTER 4:30 PM EXPECTING TO PARTICIPATE!

## COACHES MEETING



**MEETING IS AT 4:00 P.M.** in *Multi-Sport Building* at CCAC. This is a <u>MANDATORY</u> meeting with roll call for all teams. First game may be ruled forfeit if coach/ team rep. does not show. No more than two team coaches for the meeting. The State Director, Tournament Directors and Tournament UIC will cover tournament rules, park information, specific questions, and pertinent information on the tournament and events. Coaches will turn in signed BPA Code of Ethics at the meeting (one per team). The *COE* was emailed and is posted at CCAC web site to print, sign and bring to turn in at coaches meeting. <u>Coaches are strongly encouraged to have a coach/player/parent meeting covering the COE and providing proper expectations for EVERYONE</u>, as the COE applies to coaches, players, parents, spectators, fans, and BPA staff and officials!