



Potential Bel Passi Coach,

Thank you for your interest in volunteering as a coach at Bel Passi. We are excited for the 2018 season. Please review the following :

Coach Selection

All Coaches will be interviewed by the Executive Board.

Team Sponsor

Each Head Coach is required to secure a team sponsor. Sponsor forms are available on our website.

Evaluations

All Players will be required to attend one of two evaluations. Each player will be assigned to either the American League or National League. All teams in the American and National Leagues will be selected through a twelve round draft, with the exception of the 7/8 National League which will draft thirteen. Coaches will be invited to player evaluations to scout players for the draft.

Special Requests

Other than siblings, no special team request will be allowed this year. The only way for a player to be placed on a team is for the coach to draft the player. Coaches' players will be protected but must be evaluated and drafted at the skill level.

The only exception to these rules are our 4 league, which will be allowed to submit requests and teams will be selected not drafted.

Background Checks

All new coaches will be required to complete a Live Scan background check at the expense of the Coach through Bel Passi. A date, time and the appropriate form will be provided to you once you have been selected as a Coach for the 2018 season.

Let's Play Ball,

David Nichols

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Baseball Commissioner

Bel Passi Baseball



2018 Coach Application

HEAD COACH

Coaches Name: _____ Age Group: _____

Full Address: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____

Email: _____ Child (s) Name: _____

BASEBALL COACHING HISTORY

Organization

Age Group

Head Coach or Assistant Coach

Year

1. _____

2. _____

Position Desired: Head Coach Assistant Coach

If Assistant, Desired Head Coach: _____

All new coaches will be required to complete a Live Scan background check through Bel Passi at the expense of the coach. Live Scans from other organizations are not valid/transferrable.

As a Bel Passi Coach, I agree to adhere to all Bel Passi Bylaws and Rules. I further understand that if I do not adhere to Bel Passi Bylaws and Rules, I will face disciplinary action, up to and including removal from coaching.

Head Coach Name (Print): _____ Head Coach Signature: _____



COACHES CONCUSSION AGREEMENT

As a Coach, it is important to recognize the signs, symptoms, and behaviors of concussions. By signing this form, you are stating that you understand the importance of recognizing and responding to concussions and head injuries per the guidelines set forth by California AB 2007.

Coaches Agreement:

I _____ have read the Coaches Concussion and Head Injury Information and have completed the online course and understand what a concussion is and how it may be caused. I also understand what the signs, symptoms, and behaviors are and agree to remove the athlete from practice/play if exhibited and/or a concussion is suspected.

I understand that it is my responsibility to inform the parents/guardian if I suspect a concussion or if a suspected concussion is reported to me and that the athlete cannot return to practice or play before providing me with written clearance from an appropriate health care provider.

I understand I must notify the President immediately should a player on my team be removed from practice due to a concussion or if a concussion is reported to me.

I understand the possible consequences of the athlete returning to practice/play too soon.

Coach Signature _____ Date _____

Age Level/Team _____



COACHES CODE OF CONDUCT

- I will place the emotional and physical well-being of my players ahead of a personal desire to win.
- I will treat each player as an individual remembering the large range of emotional and physical development for the age group. I will use coaching techniques appropriate for the age of the player for each of the skills that I teach.
- I will ensure that the time players spend with me is a positive experience and will remember that all players are deserving of equal attention and opportunities.
- I will do my best to provide a safe playing situation for my players. I will avoid overplaying the talented more skillful players.
- I will follow the concussion protocols and the concussion policy established by the league in accordance with California law.
- I will follow the pitch smart rules and ensure that I do not overpitch my players.
- I will do my best to organize practices that are fun and challenging for all my players.
- I will ensure that the sporting equipment and practice facilities I use meet the league safety standards and are appropriate to the age and ability of the players.
- I will lead by example in demonstrating fair play and sportsmanship to all my players. I will display control, respect and professionalism to all involved within the sport. This includes opponents, coaches, League/Pony officials, administrators, parents and other spectators. I will encourage my players to do the same.
- I will refrain from foul language at or around players, coaches, officials, spectators, and volunteers.
- I will refrain from the use of drugs, tobacco, and alcohol at practices and games while representing Bel Passi Baseball Inc.
- I will be knowledgeable in the rules and I will teach these rules to my players.
- I will not post negative comments pertaining to anyone associated with Bel Passi Baseball Inc. (players, parents, coaches, officials, volunteers) or Pony Baseball on any social media outlet.
- I will not post player pictures on our team website, team app, etc. without consent from the players parent or guardian.
- I will remember that I am a youth baseball coach, and that the game is for children and not adults.

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Printed Name

Signature and date