Douglass Bulldog Baseball 2016 Registration Form

Important League Dates

Feb. 1st – May 2nd Registration
Coaching Clinics April 19 & April 23
June 6th – July 13th League Season
League Awards Picnic July 24

Registration

The registration cost per child is **$27. Registrations received after May 2, cost per child is $32.** The Voluntary Action Center offers scholarships, based on criteria. For more info contact 573-874-2273

How Do I Sign Up?

Mail Registrations & Fees to this address:
Douglass Athletic Assoc.
P.O. Box 7296
Columbia, MO 65205-7296

Bring Registration & Fee to:
Columbia Parks & Recreation
1 South 7th St.
Columbia, MO 65201
(Mon – Fri: 8am – 5pm)

Player Information

Player Name: _____ ☐ Male ☐ Female

Address: _____ City: _____ Zip Code: _____

Phone Number: _____ Alt Phone #: _____ Email address: _____

School Attending: _____ Age as of May 1, 2016: _____ Birth date: _____

Have you ever played baseball before? ☐ Yes ☐ No If so, for whom? _____

Division Request and Fees

☐ T-Ball (co-ed) Ages 5-6 ☐ Coach Pitch (co-ed) Ages 7-8 ☐ Kid Pitch (co-ed) Ages 9-10

Teammate Request: _____ *NOTE: A skills assessment will be used for youth wanting to play in a higher age division.

T-Shirt Size (Circle One)

Youth: SM MED LG **Adult**: SM MED LG

Fee: $27 per child. For multiple children in a family, the maximum fee will be **$81**. **Make check or money order payable to Columbia Parks & Recreation**. Form may be returned in person to **1 S. 7th Street** or by mail to **Douglass Athletic Association, PO Box 7296, Columbia, MO 65205-7296**.

Requests: Your child may request to play on the same team with one other player. Request must be made by both players. This request is subject to the number of youth participating in the league. Please list your teammate request above. Players may not request a specific coach.

Parent/Guardian Information

Parent/Guardian: _____ Home Phone: _____ Alt #: _____

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Emergency Contact: _____ Phone: _____ Relationship: _____

Parental Support: *Please check one of the following:* ☐ Head Coach ☐ Asst. Coach ☐ Team Parent ☐ Umpire ☐ League Sponsor

We will offer 2 hands-on coaching clinics, with all coaches participating in all drills and instruction. Team coaches are required to attend one of the clinics.

Volunteers are subject to background check.

Notice to Participants, Parents and Guardians

Warning Statement: Participants must recognize that all activities of a physical nature involve some risk and by registering for an activity of this nature there is an assumption of risk by the participant. Columbia's Parks and Recreation Department (CPRD) is dedicated to providing safe facilities and equipment for all participants. CPRD assumes no liability for personal injuries or loss of personal property of those participating or attending CPRD activities.

In the event of a serious accident or illness, it is the policy of CPRD to (1) contact the emergency dispatch (911) to perform first aid and when necessary recommend transport of the victim to a hospital; (2) contact parent or guardian as soon as the situation allows. Persons desiring a different procedure must notify CPRD in writing at the time of registration. Parents who do not sign the waiver must be n attendance at all practices and games for their child to participate.

Photography Release: By registering, you hereby consent to the photographing of your child by CPRD, Douglass Bulldog Baseball and/or their agents. You hereby consent to the use of these photographs singularly or in conjunction with other photographs or video recordings for Douglass Bulldog Baseball marketing purposes without any compensation.

_____ _____ _____

Child's Name (print) Parent or Guardian Signature Date

DOUGLASS ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

Columbia Parks and Recreation Creating Community

2016 DOUGLASS BULLDOG BASEBALL

Information and Registration Form

About the Douglass Baseball Program

Since 1996, the **Douglass Athletic Association** has been a community organization that helps the youth of Columbia by providing T-ball and baseball recreation during the summer months.

The League

The Douglass Athletic Association promotes a **fun, non-competitive environment for boys and girls ages 5-10.** Douglass Baseball is designed to teach kids basic baseball skills. Having fun and learning to play baseball are the program's main goals.

Games are played at **Douglass Park**, which is conveniently located at Providence and Rogers Streets in Columbia. Enrolled players each receive a league hat and T-shirt.

Registration deadline is May 2, 2016 (late fee after 5/2 = $5)

Coaching

Opportunities are available to assist the league by becoming a team coach. Each team will have a head coach and an assistant coach. A thorough knowledge of baseball is not required – only a willingness to help guide players in the game.

Responsibilities include contacting team players, practicing on a regular basis, and coaching games. With the coach-pitch teams, one or more of the coaches will serve as the pitcher for his/her team. Coaching will involve a weekly time commitment of approximately 4-5 hours, but it can be divided among the team's coaches.

Officiating

If you have a good working knowledge of the game and would like to assist the league in officiating games, please inform us.

Team Parenting

As a "team parent", you will assist the coaches by helping in the dugout. Having the batting order ready for at-bats, and teaching the children proper bench behavior will be examples of your responsibilities.

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Sponsoring

By becoming a league sponsor, you will help enable kids in our community to have a safe and fun place to play this summer. League sponsorships begin at just $50.

Any extra information can be obtained by calling Parks & Recreation at 874-7460