

## **Tournament Volunteer Form & Buyout Information**

In order for Greenville to Host the best tournaments possible it is imperative that we have as many volunteers help out. In order for this to happen we have to take extra measures to insure that we have the amount of coverage needed. At the time of registration, parents will be required to complete a form regarding volunteering for the GYS Tournaments. The form will ask the parents if they are willing to volunteer 2 hours (per child) to help cover the need for workers at the GYS Tournaments. At this point the parents can opt out and pay a non-volunteer fee of \$25.00 per child.

After choosing which option will work best, GYS will monitor those that choose to volunteer at the tournaments. After the parents have completed their 2 hours of time they check out with the coordinator and all is done and appreciated. If a parent chooses to work the 2 hours and fails to show...they will be required to pay that \$25.00 fee at registration the following year. Unfortunately their children will not be able to play until the buy-out balance is paid from the previous year.

### ***Frequently asked questions...***

1. Why is GYS adding a Buy-Out Fee to the program?
  - In the years past the Greenville Baseball Tournament has gained popularity and is drawing more teams to the area. With more teams we have larger tournaments; which means we need more volunteers to help it run smoothly. This year we are having a boys tournament one weekend and a girls tournament another weekend. We would like all parents to come out and enjoy the experience while helping out for a few hours.
2. If I have 2 kids participating, do I have to volunteer for both children?
  - Yes, we ask that you volunteer 2 hours per child. This can be done all at one time (4 hours) or it can be split up (2 hours one night and 2 hours another night).
3. Do both parents have to volunteer?
  - No, we ask just the 2 hours per child...one volunteer per family unless you would like to help out more.

Tournament time is an exciting time for all that is a part of it. Helping out is greatly appreciated and sometimes quite fun. Having a tournament run smoothly only reflects upon its community and all those involved in volunteering. So come on down and enjoy some baseball and softball. The kids of Greenville love the fans.