



# East Nepean EAGLE EDITION

Spring Edition

February 2006

## **Play Little League Baseball 2006 Registration Dates**

**Saturday March 4, Walter Baker 2nd floor, 10:00 am-noon.**

**Saturday March 18, Nepean Sportsplex, 10:00am-noon.**

**Saturday March 25, Walter Baker 2nd floor, 1:00 pm – 3:00 pm.**

### **REGISTRATION MADE EASY**

1. Complete the registration form.
2. Attach a cheque payable to ENLL.

3. Mail to: East Nepean Little League,  
R.P.O. Merivale, P.O. Box 65010,  
Nepean K2G 5Y3

**Avoid the line-ups and register now!**

### **Registration Fees Held to 2005 Levels**

The City of Ottawa has again raised field fees for the 2006 season by 10%. East Nepean now pays the city close to \$20,000 in field fees. The board of East Nepean has decided to hold registration fees to 2005 levels and look for savings through better managing of field usage and increased participants.

### **Changes to Rookie Division**

Two changes are being made to the Rookie Division for the upcoming 2006 spring season. Rookie ball will now be open for 6, 7 and 8 year olds. The division will still be split into two tiers. The Canadian Division will continue to play Coach Pitch as in previous years. The National Division will play T-Ball. This will allow for more balls in play and more excitement for our National players.

### **Age Boundaries Change for Divisions**

Effective starting the 2006 season, a player's Little League age is the age of the player as of April 30. This is a change from previous years where the cut off was July 31. Please check the registration form carefully to sign up for the proper division.

### **Summer All Star Coaches**

Deadline for applications for summer All Star coaches is February 28, 2006. Contact Bruce at 226-3835 for more details. Decisions will be published mid-March.

### **Find any East Nepean Uniforms?**

Contact Peter Hansen at 228-9239 to arrange their return.

### **Team Sponsors Needed**

In order to help offset the 10% field fee increase, East Nepean Little League is looking for companies to become Team Sponsors. The company name will be proudly worn on the team's uniforms and displayed on the league website. Contact Bruce at 226-3835 for more details.

## VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

- **UMPIRES:** The game needs umpires. Earn \$20 a game. If you are at least 14 years old, you can umpire. Adults can also sign up. The league will provide you with a clinic to learn the rules and guidelines, at no cost. Contact our Umpire Chief Tom Kowalik at 421-0428.
- **COACHES:** All teams need coaches and if you want to help out, register with Mike Crepin 825-8573 for coaching clinics.
- **BLASTBALL CONVENORS:** Convenors are needed for our Blastball division. Contact Bruce 226-3835 if you want to help out.
- **BINGO:** Bingo workers needed for our time slot, Tuesday evenings at 9:30 pm (arrival at 8:40). Your honorariums can be put towards your son/daughter's registration fees or ENLL clothing. Bingo funds help to offset the cost of field user fees and help to keep our registration costs down. Contact Joan 825-2251.

## Eagles Decal Fundraiser

Keep a lookout for the "Proud Supporter" Eagles decal on display in store windows throughout Nepean. The decals identify those individuals and businesses who responded to our fall fundraiser. Anyone who donates \$25.00 or more receives a window decal which they can display with pride. So far we've raised over \$2200 which is earmarked for the purchase of a batting cage and pitching machine for East Nepean Little League.

Window decals are still available so if you're interested in this project, please contact Kathy Fraser at 825-5597.

## AWARD SELECTION

The league has awards to highlight the contributions that players bring to East Nepean Little League. The executive of the league selected the recipients of these awards after the directors obtained information from their many sources. We are proud to present these awards and look forward to do so each year.

**You're Safe Umpire Award** is presented to a youth umpire to recognize their contribution in making the game an event for the players of East Nepean Little League  
Recipient – **Jason McGee**.

**The Campbell Award** is presented to a player in each age division who best exhibits the spirit that Jason Campbell showed in his battle in fighting cancer. This player shows continuous hustle, eagerness to do their best and be supportive of his/her teammates.

Blastball Division	-	<b>Daniel Lecour</b>
Rookie Division	-	<b>Lochlen Farquharson</b>
Minor Division	-	<b>Matt Roberts</b>
Major Division	-	<b>Riley McGee</b>
Junior Division	-	<b>Daniel Philippe</b>
Senior Division	-	<b>John Kohnen</b>

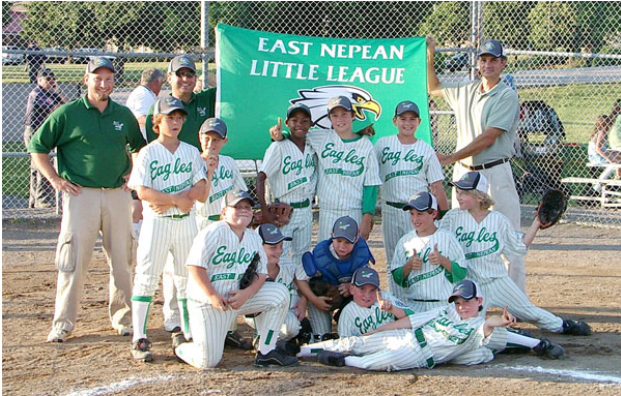
**The SAM Award:** The SAM Group owner Steve Maher is sponsoring the Most Improved SAM Award. This goes to the player that is committed to practicing and shows the determination to improve.

Blastball Division	-	<b>William Riopelle</b>
Rookie Division	-	<b>Clay Surret</b>
Minor Division	-	<b>Zachary Walton</b>
Major Division	-	<b>Jeff Droogh</b>
Junior Division	-	<b>Nick Hepburn</b>
Senior Division	-	<b>Ross Hughes</b>

## CLOTHING AND SOUVENIERS

League clothing, jackets, tracksuits, t-shirts and golf shirts are now on sale. Inventory of all sizes is available. Contact Louise at 226-3835.

## East Nepean All Star Teams Sweep 2005 District 2 Playdowns!



The **Minor Eagles** fought back in the District 2 playdowns, beating Kanata two games in row to win the Districts. The Eagles played in the Provincial Minor Tournament hosted in Toronto by the High Park Little League.



The **Major Eagles** won all their games in the District 2 playdowns, capping off their victory with a 2-0 win over Pinecrest. The Eagles played in the Provincial Little League Tournament hosted by Orleans Little League.



The **Junior Eagles** won all their games in the District 2 playdowns, capping off their victory with a 4-3 win in 8 innings over Kanata. The Eagles played in the Provincial Junior Little League Tournament hosted by Arnprior Little League. The Eagles won all their games in the round robin part of the tournament and defeated Pembroke in the semifinals. The Eagles lost a close game, 8-6 to the Orleans Little League who eventually went on to win the Canadian Championships.



The **Senior Eagles** defeated Pinecrest in the finals of the District 2 playdowns 5-2. In the 2005 Senior Canadian Little League Tournament, the Eagles soared, beating Quebec to make it into the semifinals and defeating B.C. 13-3 to advance to the finals. The Eagles then came up on the undefeated Ontario Westfort Internationals. The Ontario pitcher pitched a 1 hit game which kept our Eagles off the scoreboard but what a great tournament!

**2006 EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE AND DIRECTORS OF EAST NEPEAN BASEBALL**

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## 2005 Canadian Senior Little League Championships

August 4 – 11, 2006 was an exciting time for East Nepean and baseball fans in the area. The 2005 Canadian Senior Little League Championships were hosted at Hamilton Yards at the Nepean Sportsplex. East Nepean joined teams that came from the 5 regions of Canada: British Columbia, Prairies, Ontario, Quebec and Atlantic. The visiting athletes were billeted by many current and past East Nepean families and the league would like to thank all the billeting families for opening up your homes to these young men. The East Nepean Eagles made the city proud by defeating the strong Prince George Canfor Knights from British Columbia in the semi final game to make it to the finals of the Canadian Championships. The Ontario Westfort Internationals won the championships and represented Canada at the Senior Little League World Series.

Thank You to All the Sponsors of the 2005 Canadian Senior Little League Championships. East Nepean was able to put on this prestigious tournament to showcase Little League talent from across the province with the help of the following sponsors:

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