

All-Star Voting:

As the Board has said previously, if your comment is inappropriate we will remove it. The guestbook is a place for people to give praise and congratulate our children on their achievements, not a place for people to complain. If you have a complaint or concern about the decisions or policies of the league, please feel free to contact us. Our e-mail addresses are all on the website. Better yet, you can attend a monthly meeting to voice your concerns and make suggestions to improve the process.

The process goes like this:

- Each manager in the division selects 13 players from the entire division that he feels will be represent Auburn Little League. These names are submitted in a sealed envelope to the president or player agent.
- There is a meeting with the approved all-star manger, player agent and president. The envelopes are unsealed and the manager reads off each vote to the player agent and president. They mark down each vote on an eligible player list to track the number of votes for each player.
- The president and player agent verifies each other's tabulation of the vote. The player with the most votes gets the first position and so on until you get to the tenth pick. If there is a tie with players on the ninth pick then the manager has the choice between the two players. The next four picks are the manager's choice. These players must have at least one vote by the managers in order to be eligible for the last three positions on the team.
- **New 2008 only** Major division of baseball will have 12 players selected and the manger will have the last 3 choices. All selection processes will be the same as above with the exception of only 12 players.

I would like to say that if anyone were interested in working on the process, we would like to have input on this during the fall when all league issues are set for the upcoming year. As far as publishing the votes for the players, I do not see any value in that for the player's, parents, coaches or the league. The league policy is those votes are read and kept locked up. No other access to that information is given without board approval.

I would personally like to congratulate the players that have been selected for the 9-10, 11 yr old and Majors baseball teams. I am proud to have them as representatives of our league.

Thank you for your time,

Jeff Barsaloux

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