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## PUTNAM VALLEY PARKS & RECREATION

### Dear Softball Captains:

1/3/18

Those of you who have had softball teams in the league in recent years will be given first crack, but you **MUST** notify me at [rgallagher@putnamvalley.com](mailto:rgallagher@putnamvalley.com) ASAP to verify that you will be back in the PVPR men's softball league in 2018, as it has grown exponentially since the 2017 fall season.

If I don't hear from you by the end of the month, we will assume you are moving on from our league. After that, all teams will be selected on a first-come first-served basis for entrance into the league (the league has a 20-team max so please act fast). The league fees for the 2018 season are \$550 per team, to be paid in full to ensure your position in the league on or before Friday, March 16<sup>th</sup> (all checks made out to PVPR). Contact Ray at [rgallagher@putnamvalley.com](mailto:rgallagher@putnamvalley.com) or Jim Magrone at [yanks2858@yahoo.com](mailto:yanks2858@yahoo.com) with any questions or concerns you might have regarding one of the three leagues (A, B-North & B-South) we will attempt to run this season:

1. A League (Competitive level, league-issued aluminum bat league – *DeMarini White Steel single wall, A-League-level pitchers can only pitch in the A-League*)
2. B-North League (moderate competition, league-issued DeMarini White Steel single wall)
3. B-South (50% of roster MUST be PV res.; league-issued DeMarini White Steel single wall)

### **IMPORTANT FACTS FOR 2018**

1. Ray Gallagher will serve as the PVPR department's primary connection for the men's softball league, the collector of all fees and make all determinations on cancellations. Jim Magrone will assume his normal day-to-day duties as the department's League Coordinator, including all scheduling. He will contact you shortly regarding that.
2. **The base league fee will be \$550 for the men's league. This is due on or before March 16<sup>th</sup>. NO EXCEPTIONS! Payment is accepted over phone via credit card by contacting Theresa Orlando at 845-526-3292; checks – made out to PVPR – or cash can be mailed to: PVPR Dept., 265 Oscawana Lk. Rd., Putnam Valley, NY, 10579.**
3. Umpires will be paid \$50 per game this season. Paid before the start of each game.
4. Games played at the PV Town Park at **6:20 pm & 7:50 pm** sharp with the league slated to begin in mid-April. Contact Jim Mags if you're primarily a college-aged team and need a later start date.
5. Unlike previous seasons, rosters will be checked and strictly enforced. Preliminary rosters must be submitted one week prior to opening day. Final rosters are due one week after play begins and will be frozen at that time.
6. Please have a decision as to which league your team is prepared to compete in and let us know ASAP, **THOUGH PVPR RESERVES THE RIGHT TO PLACE TEAMS TO THEIR BEST FIT IN THE BEST INTEREST OF THE LEAGUE.**
7. Feel free to contact the recreation department with any questions at 845-526-3292.
8. Visit [www.leaguelineup.com/welcome.asp?url=pvsb](http://www.leaguelineup.com/welcome.asp?url=pvsb) for cancellation info.

Yours in sport,

Ray Gallagher, PVPR Athletics Coordinator  
& Jim Magrone, PVPR Men's Softball Coordinator