

Dear 2024 Ohio District Champions,

Congratulations on winning your District Baseball Tournament. Bellevue Little League would like to welcome you to our community and facilities located in Bellevue, OH for the Ohio State Championship Baseball Tournament. Bellevue Little League and Ohio District 7 salute you on your achievement and are looking forward to hosting your team as you represent your League and your District in the State Tournament.

The Tournament begins Saturday, July 13, 2024 and will run through Saturday, July 20, if needed. The games will begin Saturday at 11AM as listed on the double elimination tournament bracket. Managers and coaches will be required to be at the MANDATORY 8AM meeting Saturday, July 13 to review all necessary documents, affidavits and to meet with tournament staff and review the way the Tournament will be ran. Tournament brackets will be drawn at THIS MEETING per Ohio State Little League Board of Directors. All teams will play day #1.

On the opening day for the tournament, we will be announcing each team, players, managers, and coaches as well as district represented before the start of each game. During your teams' announcement, you may display your District Championship Banner and Home League Banner if you have one. Please forward me your Rosters as soon as possible so that we may review them for pronunciation. A form is attached. Please complete as much of the information as possible.

We are planning an outdoor picnic for all the teams, weather permitting on that opening day. At the completion of the last game, we will be serving all the players and coaches a meal. We will also be working with local establishments so that we can provide each team with discounts for dining. Ohio District 7 has also made arrangements with local hotels to assist with lodging. About our facility, the state tournament will be completed on one field and it is an all-dirt infield.

On behalf of our tournament committee, Ohio District 7 Little League and the Bellevue community, we look forward to being your host for this memorable tournament experience. Sincerely,

Jason Nichols Vice President, Bellevue Little League Jason.Nichols@abctech.com 419-217-2840



9-11 Division Baseball State Tournament Welcome Packet

On behalf of the Ohio Little League District 7, The Bellevue Little League and our entire community: We are extremely excited to be hosting the 2024 Ohio State Tournament. We hope to provide you and your team with a safe and enjoyable experience during your time at our facilities. The following information is provided to assist with your tournament experience:

Tournament Director: Matt Lewis Email- ashley.mattlewis@gmail.com Cell-567-267-0800

Assistant Tournament Directors: Jason Nichols Email- Jason. Nichols@abctech.com

Cell- 419-217-2840

Official Scorer: Tory Woodard Official Scorer/Public Address: Umpire in Chief: Matt Lewis Field Director: Jason Nichols Concessions: Ashlea Weiker Safety Officer: Jason Nichols

Field Location: Robert Peters Athletic Field 400 Greenwood Heights, Bellevue, Ohio 44811

Dates: July 13 - July 20, 2024

Eligibility: District Champions from the Ohio Little League Districts will be participating in

the tournament.

Format: Double Elimination Bracket

Game Times: See Attached Bracket and Schedule.

Staff: Tournament Director and Assistant Tournament Director; (Umpires; Official Scorekeepers per Game); Staff Tournament Committee Volunteers (Hospitality, Field Maintenance, Protest, etc.)

Equipment: Participating teams will be required to provide their own Little League Approved equipment. Catcher's masks must have "dangle" style throat guard.

Awards: 2024 Ohio State Champion will receive a State Championship Banner. State Runner Up will also receive a banner. Each player will receive a Little League State Tournament Participation Pin.



ASAP Plan: Bellevue Little League has an approved A Safety and Awareness Plan for the 2024 season. AED and first aid will be on site for the duration of the tournament. We also have The Bellevue Hospital located approximately 2 miles from Robert Peters Field.

Rosters: Player Eligibility – Each team shall provide the completed Player Affidavit, with relevant player.

Birth & Residency verification paperwork: Each team's Manager must check in with the Tournament Director prior to their first tournament game with paperwork. Use Little Leagues Standard Residency Eligibility and Birth Verification requirements for this paperwork. This affidavit must be signed by your league president and district administrator. Each team must further have a Medical Release Form for each player in their possession. This is a Little League State tournament, and we will follow all rules per Tournament Section in the 2024 LL Rulebook.

Game Times: TBD. Each team will be allowed 10 minutes to take infield. This will commence 30 minutes prior to game time Pre-game practice schedule TBD. We pride ourselves in providing the players a top- notch field for the games. We will have a field crew to prep ball fields. Please allow 20 minutes from conclusion of game before commencing pregame infield.

Home/Visitor: Home/Visitor will be determined by a coin flip. The team traveling the furthest may call the flip. Winner of the coin flip may choose home/visitor and loser of the coin flip may choose dugout. Please report to scorer's table 30 minutes prior to game time for coin flip. This will provide sufficient time for each team to enter their dugout prior to pregame infield.

Weather Delays: Prompt communication between all Managers and Tournament Director will be required to minimize unnecessary travel in the event of weather delays. We will communicate via email/text and phone to update weather.

Sportsmanship: Bellevue Little League promotes good sportsmanship at all times. All Rules will be strictly enforced. Throughout the tournament any conduct that is meant to demean or incite opposing teams, spectators or officials will not be tolerated. We encourage comments to be positive and supportive.

NO TOLERANCE POLICY: Violators will be removed from the field for the duration of the Tournament. Any Players or Coaches ejected or remove from the field will not be allowed to participate in their teams' next game per Little League rules. All rules will be strictly enforced by tournament staff and umpires.

All Safety Rules will be strictly enforced at all times.



CONTACT LIST

Bellevue Little League:

Robert Peters Athletic Field 400 Greenwood Heights, Bellevue, Ohio 44811

League President:

Name: Dusty Gore Phone: 419-217-0833

Tournament Director

Name: Matt Lewis 567-267-0800

Player Agent:

Name: Jacob Bibb Phone: 419-357-2524

District Administrator:

Name: Matt Lewis Phone: 567-267-0800

Umpire-In-Chief: Name: Matt Lewis

Phone: 567-267-0800

Field Scheduling Coordinator

Name: Jason Nichols Phone: 419-217-2840

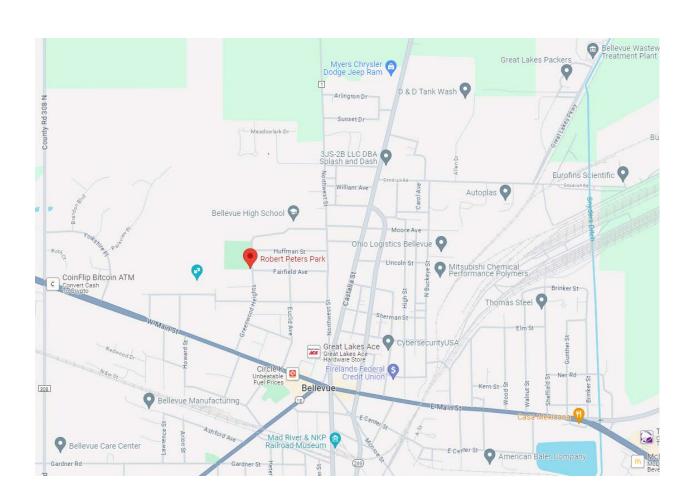
Safety Officer:

Name: Jason Nichols Phone: 419-217-2840



Directions and Map

Robert Peters Athletic Field 400 Greenwood Heights, Bellevue, Oh 44811





LODGING



Address: 540 E Co Rd 89, Fremont, OH 43420

Phone: (419) 332-7650





Address: 1501 Hospitality Ct, Fremont, OH 43420 Phone: (419) 332-7700





Address: 78 Shaffer Park Dr, Tiffin, OH 44883 Phone: (419) 443-5100





Address: 11608 US-250, Milan, OH 44846 Phone: (419) 499-8000



We have tried to reach out to several hotels to get a discount but unfortunately with our close proximity to Cedar Point we were unable to get any deals for the teams traveling in.

My guess would be that Tiffin, Ohio would be cheaper than Fremont, Milan, or Sandusky since it is a little further away from Cedar Point.



HOSPITALS/MEDICAL URGENT CARE CENTERS



The Bellevue Hospital

Address: 1400 W Main St, Bellevue, OH 44811

Hours:

Open 24 hours

Emergency room: Open 24 hours

· More hours

Phone: (419) 483-4040





Hours of Operation

 Monday - Friday
 9:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.

 Saturday
 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

 Sunday
 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Contact Information

419.547.0700

Clyde Urgent Care 1470 W. McPherson Highway Clyde, OH 43410





Address: 5420 Milan Rd, Sandusky, OH 44870 Hours:
Open · Closes 7 PM
Phone: (419) 557-6490



DINING

Rayz Route 20

4.4 ★★★★★ (299) · \$10-20 · American 106 E Main St

Dine-in · Takeout · No delivery



Benchwarmers Restaurant and ...

4.4 ★★★★★ (211) · \$10-20 · Restaurant 137 E Main St

Dine-in · Takeout · No-contact delivery



Casa Mexicana

4.5 ★★★★★ (698) · \$10-20 · Mexican 1120 E Main St Dine-in · Takeout · Delivery



Tracks End Restaurant

3.9 ★★★★ (325) · \$1–10 · Restaurant 1112-1398 Castalia St

 ${\sf Dine\text{-}in} \cdot {\sf Curbside\ pickup} \cdot {\sf No\ delivery}$



Amsden House Restaurant

4.5 ★★★★★ (394) · \$10-20 · American 116 E Main St

Closes soon · 1 PM

Dine-in · Takeout · Delivery





Gilberts Place

4.5 ★★★★★ (163) · \$1–10 · Coffee shop 130 E Main St

"They have vegan options at this homie/clean restaurant!"



East of Chicago

3.7 ★★★★ (18) · \$10-20 · Restaurant 102 Yorkshire Pl Chicago-style deep-dish pizza chain



Twin Lakes Golf Course & Resta...

4.3 ★★★★ (426) · \$10-20 · American 100 Decker St Dine-in · Takeout



Miller's Drive-In

4.7 ★★★★ (584) · \$1–10 · Fast Food 1345 E Main St Dine-in · Drive-through · No delivery



Happy Garden

4.0 ★★★★★ (130) · \$10-20 · Chinese 118 E Main St Takeout · Delivery





Balance Nutrition

4.6 ★★★★★ (13) · \$1–10 · Restaurant 108 E Main St

Dine-in · Curbside pickup · No delivery



Pizza Wheel

4.7 ★★★★★ (200) · \$10-20 · Pizza

103 N Buckeye St

Closed · Opens 4PM

Dine-in · Curbside pickup ·

No-contact delivery



Emielios Little Italy

4.4 ★★★★ (67) · \$10-20 · Italian

325 E Center St

Closed · Opens 4PM

Takeout · Delivery



Cold Rush Dairy Bar

4.6 ★★★★ (331) · \$1-10 · Ice Cream

1196 W Main St

Drive-through · No delivery



Walt's Tavern - Bellevue

4.5 ★★★★ (227) · \$10-20 · Grill

2747 N County Rd 27

Closed · Opens 4PM

Dine-in · Takeout · No delivery





Copper Top Bake Shop

4.8 ★★★★★ (301) · \$1-10 · Bakery

114 N Sandusky St

Closes soon · 1 PM

In-store pickup



Marco's Pizza

3.8 ★★★★ (93) · \$ · Pizza

219 W Main St

Counter-serve/delivery pizzeria chain



Pizza Hut

4.0 ★★★★ (174) · \$10-20 · Pizza Deli... 240 W Main St

"... given that it is an attached restaurant that you can't sit and eat in, ..."



Arby's

3.9 ★★★★ (390) · \$1-10 · Fast Food 625 W Main St

Fast-food chain with deli sandwiches





General Information / Helpful Hints

- 1. There will be a MANDATORY Team Manager Meeting on 07/13/24 at 8:00 AM At the Robert Peters Athletic Field. At this meeting the tournament format, schedule, and rules will be discussed. If you have any questions about this tournament, get them asked and answered at this meeting.
- 2. The following will be reviewed at the above meeting.
 - Team Affidavits and supporting paperwork.
 - School Enrollment Forms
 - Proof of Residency
 - Tournament Player Verification
 - Boundary Map Verification
 - Heads Up Concussion Training
 - Little League Diamond Leader Certificate
- 3. Games will be played in accordance with Little League Tournament Rules
- 4. Umpires will check all equipment prior to each game faulty equipment will be removed and will not be allowed to be used.
- 5. Pitching Affidavits will be filled out completely following each game. The Manager is responsible to assure the Affidavits are accurate.
- 6. Teams should arrive at least one (1) hour prior to the scheduled game start time.
- 7. Warm up areas will be provided. No hitting balls against the fences.
- 8. Teams must pick up trash in dugout before vacating.
- 9. **NO COOLERS** are allowed inside the park (with the exception that the team may have a cooler in the dugout with drinks, wet towels, etc.).
- 10. The use of tobacco and alcohol are strictly prohibited.

NO TOLERANCE POLICY: Obscene language or harassment by anyone will not be tolerated. Offenders will be immediately ejected from the park and the tournament



Manager Contact Sheet

Please complete this sheet and give it to the Tournament Director. We need the following information so that we will be able to reach you during the Tournament with any changes.

| Section #: | District #: | |
|--------------------|-------------|---|
| Local League Name: | | |
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| Division: | | - |
| Managers Name: | | |
| Cell Phone #: | | |
| Coaches Name: | | |
| Cell Phone #: | | |
| Coaches Name: | | |
| Cell Phone #: | | |



Bellevue Little League Planned Events

- 1) Pre-Order State Shirts for your team- \$20.00 each (Need orders sent in by 7/1/24 in order to secure them) Order Form attached to email. Send all order to (Jason.Nichols@abctech.com)
- 2) Friday Night 7/12/24- 6:30pm- optional meet and greet/ visit Robert Peters Athletic Field to come and tour the ball park and get familiar with everything.
- 3) Saturday 7/13/24 @ 7pm- All players and coached will be fed a hot meal, we encourage all teams to come back to the park for this. This will give your teams time to interact with the other kids and enjoy I nice meal on the Bellevue Little League.
- 4) We will also feed every team after their game starting on Sunday.
- 5) Sunday 7/14/24 @6:30pm we will have a skills competition for all teams. All players can sign up to be in the Home Run Derby & Speed Pitch competition for \$5.00 per player. (Top 3 finishers will win a prize)



Practice Fields Locations

- 1) Bellevue Rec Center Fields 1 & 2 (110 Cherry Blvd, Bellevue, Oh 44811)
- 2) Robert Peters Park Batting Cages (400 Greenwood Heights, Bellevue, Oh 44811)
- 3) Bellevue High School Softball Field (located behind High School, 200 Oakland Ave, Bellevue, Ohio)
- 4) Ridge Park Field 1 (126 Ridge Dr, Bellevue, Oh 44811)
- 5) City Center (3000 Seneca Industrial Pkwy, Bellevue, Oh 44811)
- 6) Groton Township Field (9414 Portland Rd, Castalia, Oh 44824)

To schedule a practice please contact Jason Nichols (419-217-2840)



Local Tourist Attractions

- 1) Mad River & NKP Railroad Museum (253 Southwest St, Bellevue, Oh)
- 2) Seneca Caverns (15248 E Township Rd 178, Bellevue, Oh)
- 3) Jungle-Junction Indoor Playground & Outdoor Swimming Pool (110 Cherry Blvd, Bellevue, Oh)
- 4) Ghostly Manor Thrill Center (3319 Milan Rd, Sandusky Oh)
- 5) Cedar Point Amusement Park (1 Cedar Point Dr, Sandusky, Oh)
- 6) Goofy Golf (3020 Milan Rd, Sandusky, Oh)