

San Francisco Associates Baseball 2015 Application Registration Form

Please fill out and return the application registration form for Associates Baseball in 2015

Annual membership fees requirements:

1. Associates membership fee
2. AAU membership fee

Associates membership fees for the 2015 baseball season:

- \$70.00 for returning players
- \$90.00 for new players at all levels
- The difference in the fees is primarily the cost of the baseball cap, which will be provided to all new players.
- Returning players who need a new cap, will be charged \$20.00 for a replacement.
- Include check payable to '**SF Associates**' with the application.

AAU membership fee - in addition to the Associates baseball membership, each player is required to be an AAU member to play in the Golden Gate Baseball League and the SF Summerball League.

- The basic AAU youth athlete membership is \$14.00/ year (from September 1 – August 31)
- The AAU membership fee is paid directly to AAU at the time of registering for membership via <http://aausports.org/> (Click on Membership / Join AAU)
- After registering with AAU, provide the player's membership number on the application.
- If you are an existing AAU members, provide the player's membership number on the application.

Divisions - Three divisions/levels of play are offered:

- **'B' Division:** 3rd-4th grade is instructional and parent/adult toss pitched.
Younger participants are eligible once screened.
- **'A' Division:** 5th-6th grade introduces pitching, formal scorings and officiating of the game.
- **'Intermediate' Division:** 7th-8th grade allows for a more accomplished sense to the game.

The SF Associates Baseball Club will be offering play Spring and Summer Leagues on weekends.

- Spring season runs March to mid-June
- Summer season begins in late June and runs to mid-August. It is open to 5th-8th graders who are willing to accept the challenges of playing "pro".

New and returning applicants, please mail your application form and fee to:

Tony Flores
Associates Baseball Commissioner
284-23rd Avenue, SF CA 94121

The SF Associates is a volunteer organization, and membership in the SF Associates requires full participation by families and players. Membership commitments, along with the SF Associates Goals, Code of Ethics, and Rules of Conduct, are described in the guidelines. It is critical that all applicants understand and agree to fulfill these responsibilities.

Key responsibilities for participants in the baseball program are:

- Participation in all practices and games. If you cannot participate, you must inform your coach well in advance of any game.
- Participation in the annual Cherry Blossom Festival fundraiser on the weekend of April 18-19, 2015.
- Proper care and return of the team jersey.

If there are any questions, please contact baseball_commissioner@sffassociates.org

Thank you!

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() Returning Associates Player \$70.00

() New Associates Player \$90.00

() Replacement Cap \$20.00

() I am willing to Manage or Coach

Last Name First Name MI Height Weight

Address City State Zip Code

Home Phone (with area code) Birth Date (Month/Day/Year)

Parent or Guardian Name Relationship

Work Phone Cell Phone E-mail

School: _____ Grade: _____

AAU Membership # _____ (need to register separately on <http://aasports.org/>)

EMERGENCY MEDICAL INFORMATION AND PERMISSION FORM

Medical Insurance Name & Policy Number: _____

Physician Name & Phone Number: _____

Please list any foods or medicines your child is allergic to, any medication your child is taking, or any other special health considerations our volunteers should be aware of:

IN CASE OF EMERGENCY, PLEASE NOTIFY:

Name Relationship Home/Work/Cell
Phone

In case of emergency, I hereby give permission to the S.F. Associates leaders and/or volunteers to use their best judgment in seeking professional medical care if deemed necessary for the participant named on this form. It is distinctly understood by the undersigned applicant and his/her family or guardian that the S.F. Associates, the sponsoring organization, its officials and members shall not be liable for any accidental injury sustained by the applicant while playing, traveling, or participating in any activity sponsored by the Associates. The signing of this application shall be considered as a waiver of any claims for such injury.

My child has my permission to be filmed or photographed as a participant of the Associates for publicity / program purposes. I understand that no compensation will be provided.

Signature of Applicant/Player: _____ Date: _____

Signature of Parent/Guardian: _____ Date: _____

**San Francisco Associates Baseball
Player / Member / Participant Guidelines**

The San Francisco Associates Baseball Club promotes philosophies that allow for healthy, nurturing, organized sports environments enabling of a high quality participation in competitive, team sport athletics. We hope to see our players adopt a wide variety of traditions and aspects of the game while fostering a love for the game through play and the appreciation of the opportunity to play. Toward that end, the San Francisco Associates Baseball Club will strive to develop good natured sportsmanship; promote self-discipline; foster that the sense of healthy competition is equated to fair play, grow one's own pride in being a part of their team, overall organization and community.

It becomes the duty of all in concern with San Francisco Associates that we recognize the purpose of any game is to promote the physical, mental, moral, social, and emotional well-being of the athletes. Participation becomes paramount as the draw pool for coaches, managers, and support comes from the players' parents/families.

Apart from the league play, the San Francisco Associates are committed to fundraising at Japan Town's Cherry Blossom Festival in April. In addition, the San Francisco Associates will be involved in the Golden Gate Baseball League Jamboree in June. Both are weekend long events that are member manned.

Practices and games should carry a near mandatory attendance attitude as there is no substitute for play, or familiarity of play by playing with your team. Adult responsibilities include, but are not limited to, coach(es), manager(s), and scorekeeper(s). There will be league standards set for eligibility to play within the divisions and playoff/jamboree in these areas.

Food, water, drinks, snacks are adult participant generated and are typically scheduled out by team managers.

Spring and summer play may require separate fee payment for participation in each player once registered for either spring, or summer, or both. Invitations to play on more impromptu dates may be offered through the 2015 year.

Inappropriate conduct, profanity, bullying, or discourteousness, to players, guests, officials, participants at San Francisco Associates attended/sponsored events are subject to review and determination by the San Francisco Associates Baseball Commissioner.