

## RYDE HAWKS BASEBALL LEAGUE LITTLE LEAGUE PLAYER DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM



## Little League Player Development Program:

The RHBL Rep Program is running a nine (9) week 'SPRING TRAINING' development program for players eligible to participate in the upcoming RHBL Little League club competition and 2015 Little League Tournaments.

The aim of the Little League - Player Development Program (PDP) is to help train, develop and prepare players for the new upcoming RHBL Little League Competition, Little League NSW State and National Championships in 2015. The high performance training and spring tournament competitions are designed to help you to develop further as a Little League baseball player.

Although we only have limited available spaces on the program, we strongly encourage all Little League eligible club players to come to the 'Grading Day' – Thurs 4<sup>th</sup> September, at ELS Hall Park.

Not only will you get the chance to tryout for a spot on the Little League PDP, but it's also a great opportunity to have your individual playing skills assessed and graded by our Rep coaching team. Your player 'grade' may help get you into a club team or division that matches your skill level.

Little League players that participate in the RHBL Little League Majors competition and PDP, are eligible for selection into the Ryde North & Ryde South – ALL STAR teams. A unique opportunity to represent your Association at the NSW State and possibly the Australian National championships. The National champs will go on to represent Australia at the Little League World Series in Williamsport (USA).

## **Program Details:**

Subject to the number of players that attend the grading day, and the final grading results – 26+ North players and 26+ South players will be offered spots in the Player Development Program.

North clubs: Stealers, Kissing Point, Rangers, Thornleigh, Greenway and Tigers. South clubs: Macquarie, North Ryde, Concord, Five Dock, Boomers and Red Sox.

Program Cost: \$150 per player - includes:

- Entry fees Greenies (October Long weekend 4<sup>th</sup> 6<sup>th</sup>) at Greenway Park, Cherrybrook
- Entry fees Warrior Shield (29<sup>th</sup>- 30<sup>th</sup> Nov) at Samuel Marsden Reserve, Orchard Hills
- Ryde Hawks Little League PDP training shirt and cap
- Seven Sunday morning training sessions (Locations to vary around RHBL grounds) 12<sup>th</sup> Oct, 19<sup>th</sup> Oct, 25<sup>th</sup> Oct, and 1<sup>st</sup> Nov, 8<sup>th</sup> Nov, 15<sup>th</sup> Nov, 22<sup>nd</sup> Nov

## Grading Day:

Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> September at ELS Hall park (Kent road, North Ryde). A second grading day, Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> September is also available, but only if required.

**Grading Times:** South Players at 5:30 pm – 7:15 pm North Players at 6:45 pm – 8:30pm

PLAYER REGISTRATION: <u>www.rhbl.com.au</u> FOR MORE INFORMATION: Contact Matt O'Neill – matt.oneill@live.com