



**2024 PENNSYLVANIA**

**JUNIOR BASEBALL**

**STATE TOURNAMENT**

**Hosted By**

**ATHENS LITTLE LEAGUE**

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**PENNSYLVANIA DISTRICT 15**

**July 10<sup>th</sup> thru July 15<sup>th</sup>**

**LITTLE LEAGUE  
JUNIOR BASEBALL STATE TOURNAMENT**

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**Tournament Site**

Athens Little League  
411 Third Street  
Athens, PA 18810

**Tournament Game Dates**

July 10<sup>th</sup> to July 15<sup>th</sup>

**District Website**

<https://clubs.bluesombrero.com/padist15ll>

**Team check in Tuesday July 9<sup>th</sup> from 4pm to the picnic at 5:00 pm.**

**Managers meeting at 6:30 PM**

Congratulations to managers, coaches and players on winning your District and Section Championships. District 15 and Athens Little League look forward to hosting all of you in the 2024 Pennsylvania Junior Baseball State Tournament. All games will be played on the Athens High School Baseball Field located at 411 Third Street, Athens, PA 18810. As soon as you win your sectional title, email serfass@epix.net with appropriate information.

Enclosed are:

1. Team registration form – please complete and hand in when you sign for the tournament.
2. General Information and Tournament Schedule
3. Tournament Rules and Guidelines.

Before being permitted to compete, all teams must first submit all documentation (properly completed affidavit, documentation map, residency documentation and any necessary waivers) to the Tournament Staff for review and approval. Please see your District Administrator immediately if you are unclear on any matter relating to the required documentation.

Athens Little League and District 15 believe strongly that all games are to be decided on the field by the players according to the Little League Official Regulations and Playing Rules. In particular, rule XIV(a) – Field Decorum will be strictly enforced:

- (a) The actions of players, manager, coaches, umpires and league officials must be above reproach. Any player, manager, coach, umpire or league representative who is involved in a verbal or physical altercation, or an incident of unsportsmanlike conduct at the game site is subject to disciplinary action by Tournament Directors.)

Any unsportsmanlike action by players, managers, coaches or fans intended to disrupt the play of any player, especially the pitcher, will be dealt with immediately. Athens Little League and District 15 expect the manager and coaches to control their fans.

We are looking forward to watching some outstanding games and anticipate an enjoyable and rewarding tournament experience for all. Thank you and welcome to Athens Little League.

# REGISTRATION FORM

Please fill out this form and have ready for registration:

Section \_\_\_\_\_ District \_\_\_\_\_

League \_\_\_\_\_

Manager Name \_\_\_\_\_

Hotel \_\_\_\_\_ Room # \_\_\_\_\_

Coach Name \_\_\_\_\_

Hotel \_\_\_\_\_ Room # \_\_\_\_\_

President \_\_\_\_\_

Hotel \_\_\_\_\_ Room # \_\_\_\_\_

Number of players on the team \_\_\_\_\_

Your local press and contact numbers

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Do you have your Medical Release Forms? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have any rule questions? \_\_\_\_\_ What? \_\_\_\_\_

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## TOURNAMENT GENERAL RULES AND GUIDELINES

1. The Tournament Rules and Regulations as published by Little League Baseball shall be binding and strictly enforced.
2. Each manager must submit their eligibility affidavit, medical releases and all Tournament eligibility information to the Tournament Director.
3. The team manager is responsible for uniforms and equipment (equipment will be checked by the Umpire-in-Chief prior to each game). Players must be in uniform with the Little League approved patch. Managers and coaches shall dress neatly.
4. Only the manager, coaches and players listed on the official tournament eligibility affidavit are permitted in the dugout or on the playing field.
5. All batting helmets must be NOCSAE approved with warning labels.
6. Catchers must wear a mask with approved helmet and throat guard.
7. No jewelry will be allowed on the playing field regardless of the material. This includes earrings, necklaces, rings and watches. Medical Alert items and hard items to control hair ARE PERMITTED.
8. NO TOBACCO OF ANY KIND is permitted at the complex.
9. No pets allowed at the complex.
10. Game balls will be supplied by the host league.
11. All pre-game practices will be assigned by the host league. A short infield/outfield warm-up may be allowed if conditions permit. This warm-up may or may not be on the game field.
12. Dugout Assignment: The team listed at the top of the bracket will occupy the First Base Dugout. The other team will occupy the Third Base dugout.
13. Home Team Selection: The game field is neutral for each game. A coin flip will determine home/visiting teams with the team occupying the first base dugout calling the flip. Prior to pre-game warm-ups, the Game Director will flip the coin for home team.
14. Fifteen minutes prior to the game start, managers, coaches, umpires and the game director will meet at home plate to review the ground rules and answer any pre-game questions.
15. Both teams will line up as directed by the Tournament Director when introduced and remain there for the National Anthem and the Little League Pledge.
16. Both teams will meet at home plate immediately at the conclusion of the game and shake hands.

17. At the conclusion of the State Championship Tournament, each team will receive a PA State pin. The State Winning Team will be awarded a Championship Flag.

The tournament committee reserves the right to adjust times as needed to keep the tournament moving. We will do everything in our power to complete the tournament in the time allowed. All decisions of the tournament committee will be final. We will follow and abide by all Little League rules and regulations with no exceptions. The tournament commit asks that you dress appropriately, that is no short shorts, no tank tops, just presentable clothing.

## **JUNIOR TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE**

Wednesday, July 10<sup>th</sup>

Game 1 at 9:00 a.m.

Game 2 at Noon

Game 3 at 3:00 p.m.

Game 4 at 6:00 p.m.

Thursday, July 11<sup>th</sup>

Game 5 at 9:00 a.m.

Game 6 at Noon

Game 7 at 3:00 p.m.

Game 8 at 6:00 p.m.

Friday, July 12<sup>th</sup>

Game 9 at 2:00 p.m.

Game 10 at 5:00 p.m.

Saturday, July 13<sup>th</sup>

Game 11 at 2:00 p.m.

Game 12 at 5:00 p.m.

Sunday, July 14<sup>th</sup>

Game 13 at 5:00 p.m.

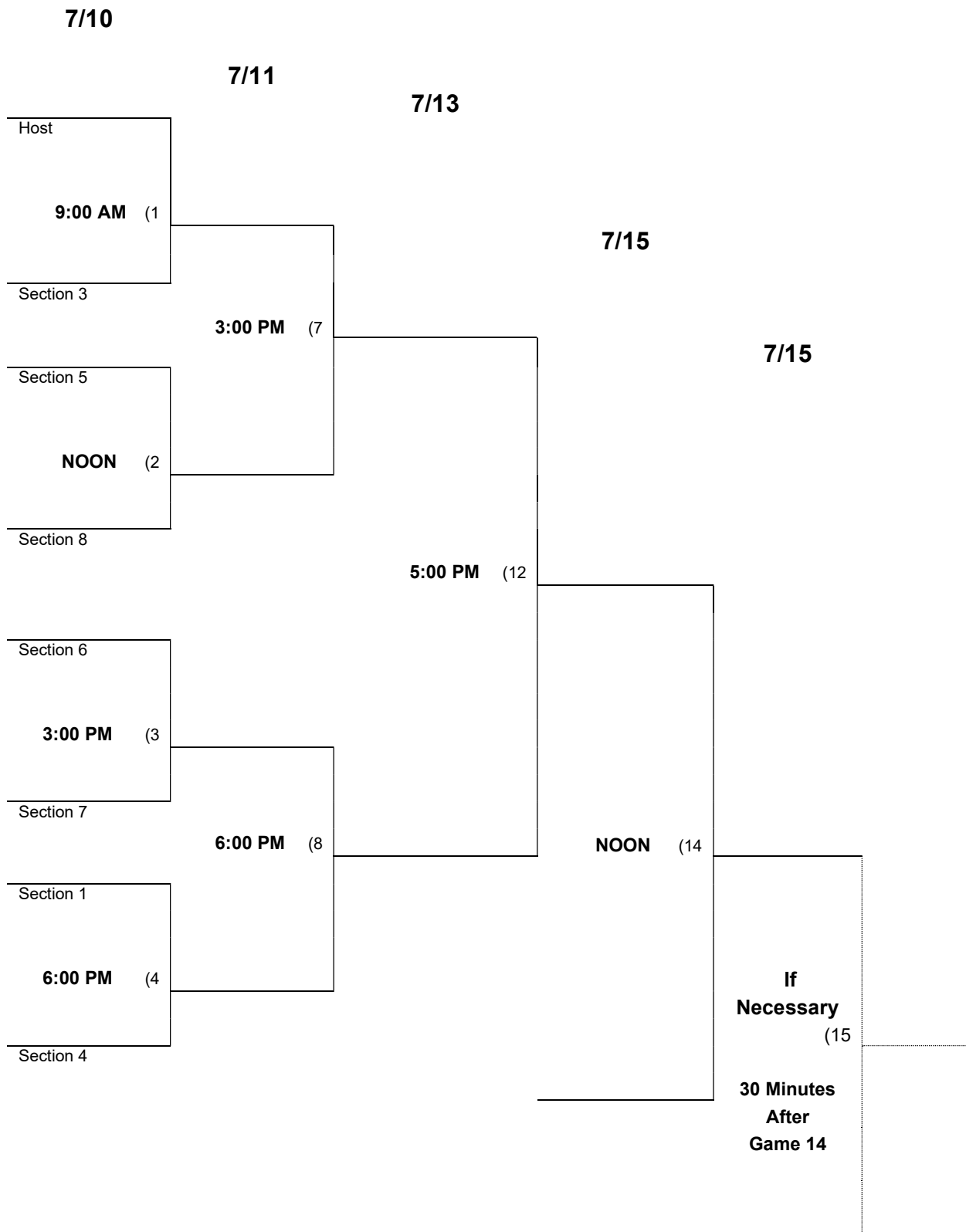
Monday, July 15<sup>th</sup>

Game 14 at Noon

Monday, July 15<sup>th</sup>

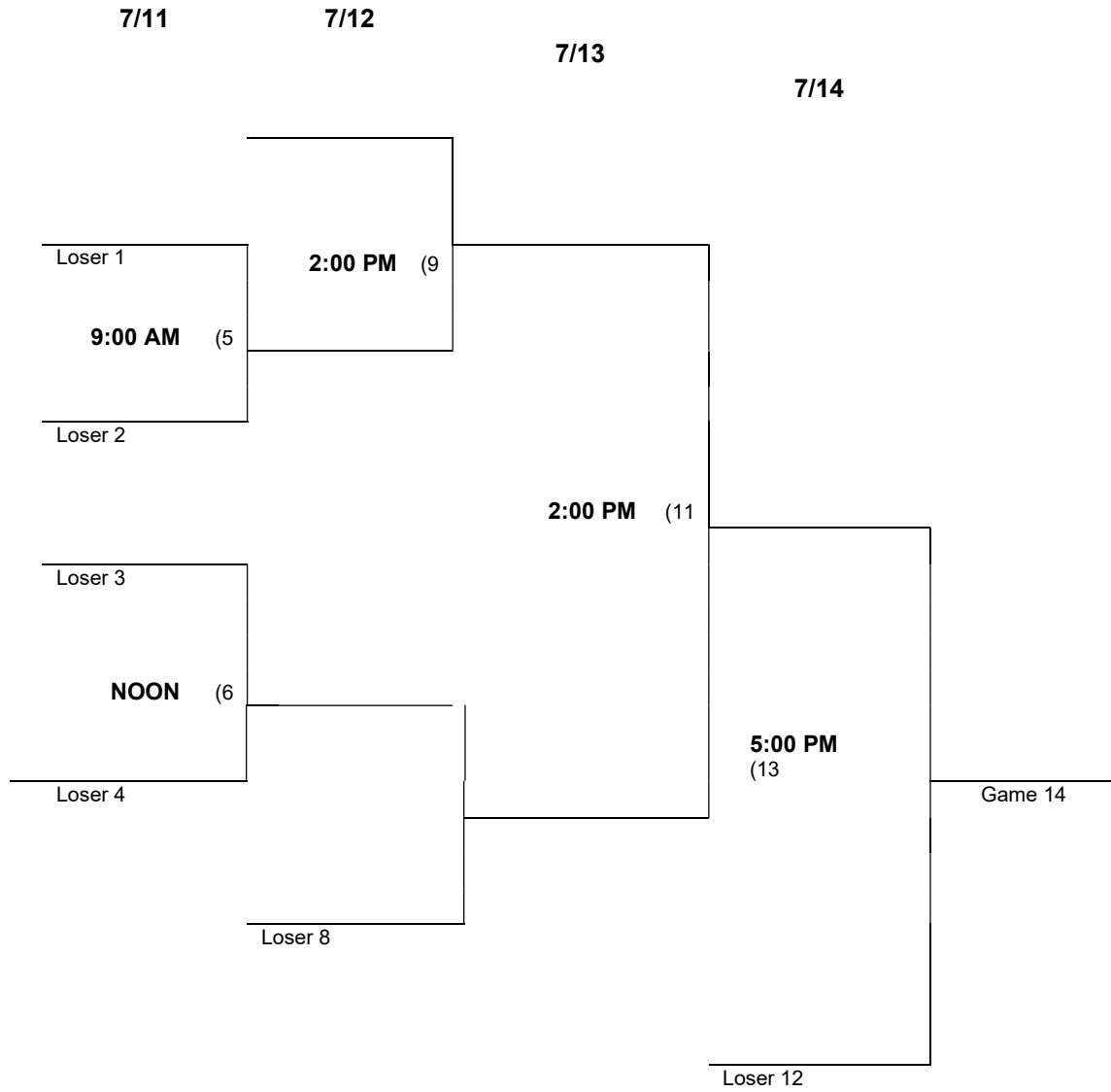
Game 15 - 30 minutes after Game 14 - If Necessary

# 2024 JUNIOR BASEBALL STATE CHAMPIONSHIP BRACKET





# JUNIOR BASEBALL ELIMINATION BRACKET



## **Lodging Information**

### **Best Western – Grand Victorian**

255 Spring Street

Sayre, PA 18840

Phone: (570) 888-7711

### **Candlewood Suites**

2775 Elmira Street

Sayre, PA 18840

Phone: (570) 888-0700

### **Comfort Inn**

2160 Elmira Street

Sayre, PA 18840

Phone: (570) 888-1100

### **Hampton Inn**

3080 Elmira Street

Sayre, PA 18840

Phone: (570) 888-1166

### **Microtel Inn & Suites by Wyndham**

1775 Elmira Street

Sayre, PA 18840

Phone: (570) 731-3772

# Restaurants in the Valley Area

## Athens

**Sam's Restaurant** (open 6-2)  
401 S Main Street  
Athens, PA 18810  
Phone: (570) 888-9920

**Mad Hatters Café** (9-5 Mon-Fri)  
400 N Main Street  
Athens, PA 18810  
Phone: (570-731-7183

**Sweet Sharlenes** (open 12-8)  
402 S Main Street  
Athens, PA 18810  
Phone: (570) 888-5891  
Ice Cream

**Mooneys Restaurant** (open 11-9)  
506 S Elmira Street  
Athens, PA 18810  
Phone: (570-890-9199

**Valley Snow Co**  
420 S Main Street  
Athens, PA 18810  
Phone: (570) 423-5639

## Sayre

**Celebrations Black Diamond Café**  
100 S Elmer Avenue  
Sayre, PA 18840  
Phone: (607) 767-7038  
7-2 Tues-Fri 9-12 Saturday  
Menu changes each day – Check Website

**Angry Burrito** (Open 11-11)  
105 N Lehigh Avenue  
Sayre, PA  
Phone: (570) 890-9149

**Chaconas** (open 8-2)  
120 West Lockhart Street  
Sayre, PA  
Phone: (570) 888-8889  
Closed Sunday & Monday

**The Grill at the Train Station**  
718 N Lehigh Avenue  
Sayre, PA  
Phone: (570) 888-3100  
11-9 Mon-Sat  
11-4 Sunday

**Blackburn 1897** (Hours Vary)  
130 W Lehigh Street  
Sayre, PA  
Phone: (570-888-8889

**OIP** (Open 11-10)  
205 S Keystone Avenue  
Sayre, PA  
Phone: (570) 888-9167

**Sayre** (continued)

**Pudgies Pizza** (Open 10-10)

141 S Keystone Avenue  
Sayre, PA  
Phone: (570) 888-6659

**Parrishes Subs & Pizza** (Open 8am-6pm)

501 S Keystone Ave  
Sayre, PA  
Phone: (570) 888-4974 Closed Sunday

**Dunkin**

101 S Keystone Avenue  
Sayre, PA

**Grace Chinese Buffet**

1318 Elmira Street  
Sayre, PA  
Phone: (570) 882-8668

**Beemans Family Restaurant** (7am-9pm)

1356 Elmira Street  
Sayre, PA  
Phone: (570) 888-2345

**Burger King**

1557 Elmira Street  
Sayre, PA

**Wendy's**

1753 Elmira Street  
Sayre, PA

**Arby's**

2303 Elmira Street  
Sayre, PA

**Fortune Chinese Buffet**

1645 Elmira Street  
Sayre, PA  
Phone: (570) 888-7666

**Callears BBQe** (11am-8pm)

2081 Elmira Street  
Sayre, PA  
Phone: (570) 888-1088

**Bluestone Brewing** (11am-9pm)

18 Pitney Street  
Sayre, PA  
Phone: (570) 731-0222

**McDonalds**

461 N Keystone Avenue  
Sayre, PA

**KFC**

462 N Keystone Avenue  
Sayre, PA

**Sam's Bar & Grill**

912 N Wilbur Avenue  
Sayre, PA  
Phone: (570) 888-8747

**Yanuzzi's** (Italian)

235 Desmond Street  
Sayre, PA  
Phone: (570) 731-4793

**Chumpy's Pizza** (open 4am-8pm)

245 Desmond Street  
Sayre, PA  
Phone: (570) 890-9103

**Applebee's Grill & Bar** (Open 11-11)

1860 Elmira Street  
Sayre, PA  
Phone: (570) 888-3300

## **Waverly**

### **Bethie's Place/DJ Golf Center**

273 County Road 60

Waverly, NY

Phone: (607)-565-2618

Open 11am – 9pm

Ice Cream, Food, Mini Golf, Driving Range

### **Becky's Diner (Open 6am-2pm)**

310 Broad Street

Waverly, NY

Phone: (607) 565-7668

### **Town Diner (Open 6am-1:30pm)**

601 Cayuta Avenue

Waverly, NY

Phone: (607) 565-9031

### **Salt-N-Light Café (Open 7am-2pm)**

119 West Packer Avenue

Waverly, NY

Phone: (570) 886-1049

### **Grumpy Grizzley**

241 Broad Street

Waverly, NY

Phone: (607) 249-6083

Open 6am-2pm; Sat open 8am

Coffee, Bagels, Sandwiches

### **Railhouse**

366 Broad Street

Waverly, NY

Phone: (607) 565-8830

Open 11am-9pm

Closed Sunday

### **Coaches Pizza (Open 8am-9pm)**

227 Broad Street

Waverly, NY

Phone: (607) 565-2111

### **Lisa's Place**

367 Broad Street

Waverly, NY

Phone: (607) 249-6500

Open 11am – 8pm

Closed Saturday & Sunday

### **Soprano's (take out food)**

607 Cayuta Avenue

Waverly, NY

Phone: (607) 565-2662

Open 7am – 8pm

### **Jolly Farmer (Convenience Store)**

7 Elizabeth Street

Waverly, NY

Donuts, Ice Cream

Store open 7am – 11pm

Ice Cream 3-9pm

### **Reese's Hideaway Diner & Pub**

579 Broad Street

Waverly, NY

Open 6am – 2 pm

Breakfast & Lunch