



2024
10/11/12 Division
Major Baseball
Pennsylvania Section 1 Championship
Tournament
Dates: Sunday July 14th - Thursday July 18th

Host: St. Marys Little League
PA Section1
PA District 10

[St. Marys Little League > Home \(stmarysll.com\)](http://stmarysll.com)

Memorial Park
Wolfel Ave
St. Marys, PA 15857

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Dear District Champions:

Congratulations to managers, coaches, and players on winning your District Championships. District 10 and St. Marys Little League look forward to hosting all of you in the 2024 Pennsylvania Section 1 Championship Tournament. St. Marys Little League is in St. Marys, PA. All games will be played at Memorial Park located on Wolfel Avenue. Our staff has prepared the attached information as a guide for the tournament. Please read it carefully and contact me with any questions you may have.

We look forward to hosting this year's tournament and making it fun and exciting for everyone. St. Marys Little League and tournament staff welcome you and wish you the best of luck!

Sincerely,

Josh Geitner

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St. Marys Little League
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PA Section 1 Tournament Rules and Procedures Highlights

1. The Tournament Rules and Regulations as published by Little League Baseball shall be binding, abided by and strictly enforced.
2. All teams will submit their eligibility affidavits to the Tournament Director prior to each game. These affidavits must be verified immediately (and signed) after each game and returned to the respective teams.
3. Each manager is encouraged to have, in his or her possession, a medical release signed by the parent/legal guardian for each player listed on the eligibility affidavits.
4. Players, manager, and coaches that become involved in any misconduct, on or off the field, or at their lodging, may be dismissed from the tournament. The activity and person will be reported to the Little League Headquarters Tournament Committee, the parent league District Administrator and the League President.
5. The team manager is responsible for uniforms and equipment. All players must be in uniform, with the Little League approved patch.
6. Only Manager, Coaches, and Players listed on the official tournament eligibility affidavit are permitted in the dugout or playing field.
7. All batting helmets must be NOCSAE approved with the warning labels. C-Flaps must be accompanied by a letter from the manufacturer, which must be provided to the tournament director prior to the start of the game.
8. Helmets are required by all player base coaches and players warming up outfielders between innings (D-14 Rule).
9. Catchers must wear a mask with approved helmet (skullcap type not permitted) and throat guard.
10. Shoes with metal cleats or spikes shall not be worn by players, manager, coaches, or umpires. (Exception: Metal cleats or spikes permitted in Intermediate, JR, SR Baseball ONLY).

11. No Jewelry will be allowed on the playing field regardless of the material. This includes earrings, necklaces, rings, and watches. Medical alert items ARE PERMITTED.
12. Tobacco/Tobacco products shall not be allowed in the dugouts or playing field.
13. Game balls will be supplied by the Host District.
14. All pregame practices will be on your home field. A short infield/outfield warm-up may be allowed on the game field prior to the game if conditions permit. This warm-up may or may not be on the game field.
15. Dugout Assignment: The schedules distributed show two teams for each game. The team traveling the least will occupy the First Base Dugout. The team traveling the farthest will occupy the Third Base Dugout.
16. Home Team Selection: The game field is neutral for each game. A coin-flip will determine home/visiting teams. One hour prior to game time, or as soon as both team managers and tournament site coordinator are present they will meet for the coin toss. The team traveling the longest distance will call the coin-flip, and have their selection of home or visitor.
17. The visiting team may take the field for 15 minutes, 45 minutes prior to the start of the game. The home team may take the field for 15 minutes, 30 minutes prior to the scheduled start of the game. The final 15 minutes will be allowed for final field preparation.
18. In the event the host site has batting cages. The home team may use the batting cage for 15 minutes, 45 minutes prior to the game, while the visiting team has the field. The visiting team may use the batting cage for 15 minutes, 30 minutes prior to the game, while the home team has the field.
19. This warm up may be shortened or forfeited as determined by the tournament coordinator, where concerns for adequate time (these concerns caused by delay) warrant adjustment to the warm up pattern.
20. 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.
21. 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.
22. Both teams will meet at the home plate area immediately at the conclusion of the game and shake hands.
23. At the conclusion of the tournament, the Section 1 Winning Team will be awarded a championship banner. Section medallions will be awarded to each participant of the Champion and runner-up teams.



Section 1 Little League Tournament rules quick reference guide

Pitching rules for - 8-10 yr. old (Minor), 9-11 yr. old, 10-12 yr. old (Major), 13-14 yr. old (Junior)

Maximum pitches per day: Rest required for pitchers 14yrs. and under
8 yrs. – 50 pitches per day 1-20 pitches = 0 days rest

9-10 yrs. – 75 pitches per day 21-35 pitches = 1 day rest

11-12 yrs.– 85 pitches per day 36-50 pitches = 2 days rest

13-14 yrs. – 95 pitches per day 51-65 pitches = 3 days rest

66-up pitches = 4 days rest

Catchers: Any player who has played the position of catcher in 4 or more innings in a game is NOT eligible to pitch on that calendar day. Catching 1 pitch in an inning equals 1 inning.

Any player who has played catcher for 3 innings or less, moves to pitcher and delivers 21 or more

pitches in the same day, may NOT return to the catcher position that calendar day.

- The only exception is if the pitcher crossed the 20-pitch threshold while facing a batter and

was removed before facing another batter.

Any pitcher who has delivered 41 or more pitches may NOT play the position of catcher for the

remainder of that calendar day.

- The only exception is if the pitcher crosses the 41-pitch threshold while facing a batter as long

as he is removed before facing another batter.

Continuous Batting Order: - All divisions, other than Senior Baseball and Softball must use a continuous batting order with unlimited defensive substitutions. A courtesy runner may be used for the pitcher and catcher of record with 2 outs in an inning.



ZERO TOLERANCE POLICY

Pa District 10 Little League promotes good sportsmanship at all times and at all levels of play. Throughout this tournament any conduct that is meant to demean or incite opposing teams, spectators or officials will not be tolerated. All verbal comments must be positive and encouraging. Any offenders will, if spectators, be removed from the complex for the remainder of the tournament and if coaches or players will be ejected from that game and per Little League tournament rules and will not be permitted to participate in the next scheduled game.

Thank you for your cooperation.

REMEMBER: GOOD SPORTSMANSHIP AT ALL TIMES—GOOD LUCK



Tournament Contacts

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10-12 Year Old PA Section 1 Little League Tournament

Game	Team	Team	Date	Day	Time	Field
1	D3	D25	July 14	Sunday	3:30	PFL
2	D10	D1	July 14	Sunday	6:00	PFL
3	LG1	LG2	July 15	Monday	3:30	PFL
4	WG1	WG2	July 15	Monday	6:00	PFL
5	LG4	WG3	July 16	Tuesday	6:00	PFL
6	WG5	WG4	July 17	Wednesday	6:00	PFL
*7	WG6	LG6	July 18	Thursday	6:00	PFL

* If Necessary

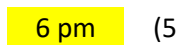
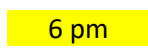
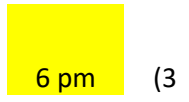
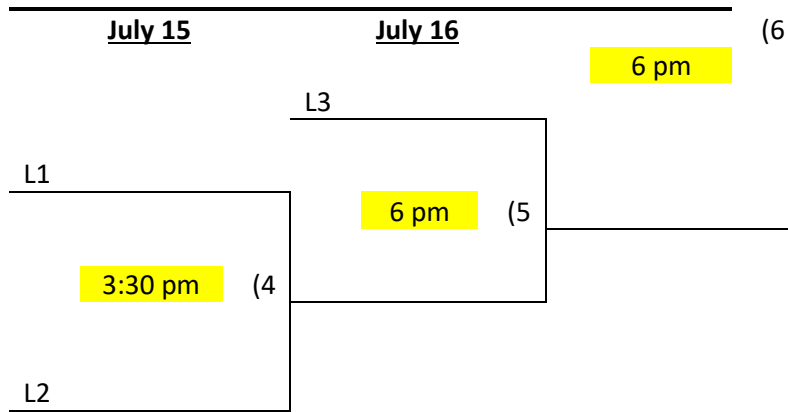
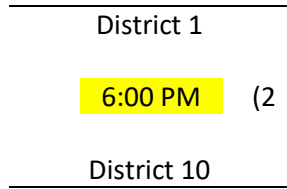
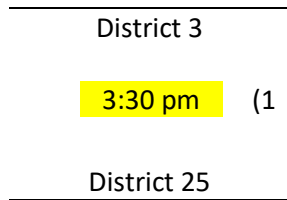
TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR RESERVES THE RIGHT TO CHANGE SCHEDULE

July 14

July 15

July 17

July 18



District 3

3:30 pm (1)

District 25

District 1

6:00 PM (2)

District 10

July 15

July 16

L1

3:30 pm (4)

L2

L3

6 pm (5)

6 pm (6)



**2024 Section 1
Major Baseball
St. Marys Little
League**

**July 18
If Necessary
6
pm**

States
Newville LL
July 23-29

**TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR RESERVES THE RIGHT TO CHANGE
SCHEDULE**

Local Lodging

Best Western

Hotel

1002 Earth Road,
St. Marys PA 15857
814-834-0000 [View website](#)

Cozy Afghan Bed & Breakfast

Bed & Breakfast

152 Center Street,
St. Marys, PA 15857
814-834-2699 [View website](#)

Holiday Inn Express & Suites

Hotel

195 Comfort Lane,
St. Marys PA 15857
814-834-2030 [View website](#)

Cobblestone Inn & Suites

Hotel

328 Depot Street,
St. Marys, PA 15857
814-245-2020 <https://www.staycobblestone.com/pa/st-marys/>

Wapiti Woods

Cabin Rentals

5186 River Rd., SR 555,
Weedville, PA 15868
814-787-7525 [View website](#)

There are also beautiful cabin and home rentals throughout Elk County, listed through Airbnb.

Local Restaurants

<https://stmaryschamber.org/area-information/food-drink-lodging/#restaurants>

Areas of Interest

Beimel Softball -315 Bruxelles St., St. Marys Phone:814-603-1484

Apollo Theatre of St. Marys- 19 North Michael Street Phone:814-834-7434

Jireh Lanes (Bowling)- 103 Sheeley Road, Kersey Phone:814-885-8017

Olympic Lanes (Bowling)-Million Dollar Highway, St. Marys Phone:814-781-1444

Historical Society of St. Marys & Benzinger Township Phone:814-834-6525 Elk

Country Visitor Center Phone: 814-787-5167

St Marys Disc Golf Assn. - St Marys Area High School

Additional information on the area can be found on the St. Mary's Chamber of Commerce website at <http://www.stmaryschamber.org/site/>

RADIO BROADCASTING

Any Radio Station wishing to broadcast during the Tournament must contact St Marys Little League Tournament President, Josh Geitner to make arrangements. Each station is responsible for hook-ups. A fee must be paid to Fairchance Little League prior to the start of the Tournament.

Medical Facilities

Penn Highlands Elk
763 Johnsonburg Road
St. Marys, PA 15857
814-788-8000

Penn Highland DuBois
100 Hospital Drive
DuBois, PA 15801
814-371-2200

Emergency Assistance

9-1-1

St. Marys City Police 814-781-1315

Crystal VFD 814-781-1717

St. Marys Ambulance 814-781-1571