



IMPORTANT UPDATE

2020 TOURNAMENT

CANCELLED 6.01.20

We are extremely sad to announce that the McHenry County Youth Sports Association has decided to cancel our 2020 Summer International Tournament.

Our annual MCYSA tournament is based on bringing teams from around the world and across the United States together to compete and to share their cultures and their mutual love for baseball. When travel restrictions and exposure risks made it impossible for international teams to come to McHenry County to participate, we considered holding a smaller, streamlined tournament for clubs within driving distance. As we studied this option more closely and got feedback from registered teams, it was apparent that the Illinois Phase 4 restrictions (such as having a total of fewer than 50 people at any site) would prevent us from having the type of tournament we wish to host and would not allow teams to have the experience we wish to provide. We decided that it would be better to cancel our event and allow registered teams time to find out-of-state tournaments before they fill.

Canceling is particularly disappointing because we had assembled a very competitive tournament field, especially at the 15U level. We look forward to building on the momentum we created this year and hosting a great event in 2021.

Thanks to all of our volunteers and community members for your hard work and commitment to this event and to all of the teams who have been so patient and considerate as we worked through this situation. Above all, please stay safe and healthy.