



*Instilling ideals of honesty, loyalty, courage and sportsmanship through the sport of baseball since 1964.*

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## Challenger Parent/Adult Participation

Challenger Baseball is an adaptive program that provides an opportunity for youth with cognitive and/or physical disabilities to enjoy the full benefits of participating in an organized baseball at a level structure to their abilities.

### **Challenger Program Objectives**

- Provide opportunities for youth with disabilities to play organized baseball.
- Provide experiences that enhance the lives of youth with disabilities and their families.
- To empower youth with disability through baseball and physical activity.
- Teach core life skills inherent to baseball including teamwork, communication, determination, resiliency, independence, confidence, self-esteem, social skills and courage.
- Provide opportunities for youth with disabilities to make new friends, meet other children and families in the community and become part of a team.

Parent/Adult participation ensures every athlete has the opportunity to play in a fun and safe environment. In order to provide the best experience for our Challenger players, Parent/Adult participation on the field at each practice is required.

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