



League Player Contract

I, the parent and/or guardian of _____ (the "Player"), hereby agree that he will play (on a first priority basis) amateur baseball during the _____ league and tournament season for the _____ (the "Team"), including, without limitation, the Team's participation in the Baseball USA "The Yard" League (BUSA LEAGUE), in accordance with the regulations of that league, and all other baseball leagues or associations with which the BUSA LEAGUE is affiliated unless released in accordance with those regulations. I certify that the Player is not to receive any compensation, direct or indirect, for playing with the Team. This contract is good through the end of the season or the last game of a given teams post-season play, whichever comes last.

With regard to playing in other leagues, it is recognized and agreed that if the above mentioned player intends to play for and be associated with another league simultaneously while participating in the BUSA LEAGUE; he will not be allowed to pitch in both leagues. Declaration of intent to pitch in the BUSA LEAGUE will be stated within this contract.

Note to Parents of Potential BUSA LEAGUE Players:

The purpose of this contract is to:

- **Protect the player from being released by a coach for lack of performance.**
- **Protect the coach from player's leaving to go to other teams which they feel may be more competitive or because of friendships on other teams.**
- **To protect the integrity of the league and the season by not allowing teams to substantially change during the course of the year.**

All parents need to understand that this is a competitive league. Playing time is not required nor is it guaranteed for any particular player. We do recognize that we are dealing with kids and thus no player will be forced off a team against his will. Both the manager of the team and the player in question have to sign a BUSA LEAGUE player release form to have a player removed from the team. Consent by one or the other is not sufficient.

We are not in the business of holding kids hostage so as to not allow them to play, but in an effort to protect the integrity of the season at hand, we will require that any player who signs and is granted a release from any BUSA LEAGUE team must then sit out for three (3) weeks prior to joining another team within the league. The decision to play for a particular team and manager is a decision the parents of each player should take seriously. No one is forced to sign a contract with a particular team, but once signed that contract is taken seriously by the league. All due diligence should be used when making this decision. BUSA LEAGUE rules also prohibit any team from releasing more than two players from its original roster during the course of any one league season.

I certify that the Player named above has my permission to play for the stated Team and hereby expressly assume all of the risks and hazards of such participation. I hereby waive, release and agree to hold harmless the stated Team, Baseball USA "The Yard", all affiliated baseball leagues or associations, and their officers, directors, owners, commissioners, sponsors, managers, coaches, supervisors, participants, and other volunteers from any and all injuries or damages incurred by the Player in connection with games, practices,

travel, or other activities related to Player's participation with the Team, including but not limited to the sole or concurrent negligence on the part of party or parties to whom this release is directed.

I AUTHORIZE THE TEAM AND BUSA LEAGUE OFFICIALS TO ACT FOR ME IN MY ABSENCE ACCORDING TO THEIR BEST JUDGMENT IN ANY EMERGENCY REQUIRING MEDICAL ATTENTION.

The above mentioned player may possibly pitch in the BUSA LEAGUE regular season. By my initials, I certify that this player will not pitch for any other team outside of the BUSA LEAGUE for the duration of the BUSA LEAGUE season covered by this player contract. Initials: _____

Player's Date of Birth _____

Player's Place of Birth _____

Players Address _____

Medical Insurance _____

Policy Number _____

Parent and/or Guardian Contact Info

Home Phone _____

Business Phone _____

Cell Phone _____

Email Address _____

Place of Business _____

Printed Name _____

Relationship _____

Signed: _____ Dated _____

Witness _____

Address _____