

Coaches Letter

To: Grand Lake Fall League Coaches  
From: John Hendricks  
Date: August 10, 2020  
Subject: Grand Lake Fall League

Thank you for agreeing to be a coach in the Grand Lake Fastpitch Fall League. The following information is posted at [thundercamps.com](http://thundercamps.com)

1. Game Schedule (First game is August 23rd)
2. Your team's roster with players' name and number (Please call/text your players before the first game) I will email each coach contact information.
3. League Rules
4. Coaches Letter
5. All players must have a St. Marys Park Waiver and COVID-19 Waiver signed and turned in before they play. You will notice a column on the roster you received via email.

The game schedule will let you know what time you play on Sunday. This year we are having a coaches meeting at Buffalo Wild Wings in St. Marys. The meeting will be on August 22nd at 1:15 for MP, 2:30 for Jr. High and 3:45 for HS/Travel Coaches (limit 2 representatives per team). You are welcome to bring an assistant coach or significant other to the meeting. We will hand out uniforms at this meeting. The teams have been divided into 45 teams (10 High school, 7 Travel, 16 Jr. High, and 13 machine pitch) between 10 and 13 players.

Every attempt was made to make the teams as equal as possible. However, there are no guarantees due to several factors including trying to accommodate special requests for transportation and only being able to have four players from high school on a team (Indiana 5), it was not possible to honor all requests.

- **Please have players bring their own helmet, bat, and catcher's equipment. Helmets must have a facemask.**
- There will be fully stocked concession stands at the park. **All games are played at KC Geiger Park in St. Marys.**
- Stats and league updates will be posted at [thundercamps.com](http://thundercamps.com)
- If there is a cancellation due to bad weather, I will call or text you on Sunday morning. You will need to contact your players. The day that is missed will be made up at the conclusion of league play. We will also post on our Facebook page. It is likely that will not be able to make up games this year.
- You have been given a team roster with the positions that each player requested to work on. Please make sure that each player gets to work on desired position.

Be sure to visit our web site for updates and league leaders. [www.thundercamps.com](http://www.thundercamps.com)

PLEASE Encourage your players to HUSTLE ON AND OFF THE FIELD SO WE CAN PLAY 7 INNING GAMES!  
(6 inning MP)

**Please read the league rules:**

**Here are few that I need to emphasize.**

1. Please turn in your line-up card with first and last name and uniform number to your diamond official prior to the game.
2. Please report pitching changes to the diamond official.
3. Time limit. The game will end at 1:20 minutes, regardless of the game situation. Machine Pitch time limit, the game will end at 1 hour.
4. Please do not argue with the umpires or come to a league official about the umpires. They are all licensed.
5. You must rotate the batting order, whoever made the last out in the first game; the on-deck hitter will bat leadoff the 2<sup>nd</sup> game.

LEAGUE LEADERS AND PLAYER OF THE GAME WINNERS CAN BE FOUND at [www.thundercamps.com](http://www.thundercamps.com)

**PLEASE READ:**

**The first column of your roster is the uniform number. Please make sure each player gets the uniform number by her name. This will ensure that everyone will get the correct size shirt. We also use the uniform number for stats.**

*We will not be playing Labor Day Weekend!*

