



Welcome

2009 Silicon Valley  
All-Star Coaches

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# SV All-Star Tournament



## 1. Why Mandatory Coaches meeting?

- To resolve complaints by coaches that did not know about all of the specific requirements for certifying their All-Star team
- Some Chapters Boards take care of the certification and some place the certification on the coaches
- This meeting is to ensure all coaches that are assigned to complete their teams certification, have the info needed to certify their team
- Inform and drive home the importance of collecting and submitting correct documentation to certify your team
- We will have several certifiers on certification day to get you in and out. We want to express correctness and completeness with your teams certification
- The requirements are known now, don't wait until the last minute – bug your chapter
- Sample All-Star Certification docs are located on the Section website: [www.siliconvalleynjb.com](http://www.siliconvalleynjb.com)
- In your role as a coach and the referee's role as a game official, both should work more closely together nurturing our kids in our Silicon Valley NJB program

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2. Which teams qualify for the Nationals and which National Tournaments do they play in?

- There are three (3) tournaments for All-Star team certification
  1. Sectional "Regular" All-Star Tournament – March 13, 14, 15, 21, 22  
Top Sectional Tournament
    - 1<sup>st</sup> place team advances to National
    - 2<sup>nd</sup> place team advances to NationalLower Sectional Tournament
    - 1<sup>st</sup> place team advances to National
  2. National "Regular" All-Star Tournament – April 17, 18, 19
    - 1<sup>st</sup> place tournament – "And 1"
      - \* 1<sup>st</sup> place winner from Sectional top tournament
    - 2<sup>nd</sup> place tournament – "Evans"
      - \* 2<sup>nd</sup> place finisher from Sectional top tournament
      - \* 1<sup>st</sup> place winner from Sectional lower tournament
  3. Sectional "Non All-Net" All-Star Tournament – March 21, 22
    - Host tournaments when enough teams, otherwise teams will receive an at-large bid straight to the National Tournament
    - Will need to reserve hotel rooms for Nationals in advance
  4. National Tournament "Non All-Net All-Star" Teams – March 27, 28, 29
    - Play in the "Rawlings" Tournament (no All-Net teams)
  5. Review Sectional Tournament structure

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3. Certification for the Sectional Tournament consist of:
- No binders
  - No sleeves
  - Team Certification documents paper clipped in the following order:
    - NJB All-Star Team Worksheet/Roster - type Team data into the printable MSWord version doc located on the Silicon Valley Section website - no Excel or hand type Roster (located on Section website)
    - Birth Record - birth certificate, adoption papers, immigration papers or passports
      - NOT ACCEPTED - baptismal records, hospital records, school letters, medical cards
      - age meets grade level limits
    - Report Card current - latest progress report acceptable
      - no letters in lieu of report cards
      - 2.0 GPA (upper grades) and Satisfactory standing (lower grades) or required this season
      - proof of grade
    - Proof of Address - current utility bill
    - 1 individual picture - affixed to 11 x 8.5 sheet of paper - close-up shot

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## 4. Other All-Star information

- A full team picture required for advancement to the National tournament - uploaded to HQ website
- All players must have their uniform number readable in the picture for the Nationals
- All teams advancing to National must signup online
- Each All-Star player must have played 4 regular season games - will change to 5 games next year
- A Player cannot play up in a Division during the Regular Season and then play down in a Division for All-Stars even if the Player qualify grade wise
- 10 players maximum per team
- The Section will be paying attention to coaches who may be running up the score on a team- please apply good sportsmanship!

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## 5. All-Star Tournament Rules

2009 Area/Sectional All-Star rules  
versus  
2008-09 Rules & Regulation Booklet

- The Sectional All-Star Coaches Package is available to be printed on the Section website: [www.siliconvalleynjbl.com](http://www.siliconvalleynjbl.com) under "Documents, Forms & Reports"
- The National All-Star Coaches Package is available to be printed on the National website: [www.njbl.org](http://www.njbl.org)
- There are differences between the Sectional and Nationals such as, we here in the Section allow a scorekeeper on the bench but at the end of the bench. No scorekeeper is allow at Nationals unless it is a coach. National allows two (2) bench coaches
- The Player Advantage Rule as defined in the Rules Booklet distributed by HQ will be in effect during the Sectional and the National Tournaments  
\* We will post the HQ version of the rules on the Section's website

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## 6. All-Star Tournament Information

- Gym Management
- Game Items
- All-Star Team Process on Game Day

## 7. Coaches remind your parents that there will be an entry fee for the Sectional All-Star games. The entry fees are to cover:

- Gym/facility costs
- Referees
- Scorekeepers

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7. Open discussion
8. End meeting

Good luck and have a fun and competitive tournament!

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