

Mail form to  
525 N. Main Street,  
FV 27526 or fax form  
to 919-552-8968

# Fuquay-Varina Athletic Association

## Official Registration Form

# Fall Baseball

Write special request here

REGISTRATION DEADLINE: **July 18, 2008**  
REGISTRATION FEE: **\$65.00** (Make check payable to FVAA)  
There will be a **\$20.00** service charge for any returned check  
A **\$15.00** Service Charge will be applied to all refunds.  
A **\$10.00** late fee for all applications received after the deadline.

- New Player - never played baseball
- New to FVAA - has played elsewhere
- Returning player to FVAA

**Player's age as of April 30, 2008** \_\_\_\_\_  
(6 to 14 yr olds only)

Player's Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ First \_\_\_\_\_ MI \_\_\_\_\_ Nickname \_\_\_\_\_

Parents Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ First \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

**FOR OFFICE USE ONLY**

FVAA Membership No. \_\_\_\_\_

Fee Paid:  Yes Check No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Receipt No. \_\_\_\_\_

Credit Card Auth. \_\_\_\_\_

Batch \_\_\_\_\_

League \_\_\_\_\_

Player's **Date of Birth** \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Father's Business or Cell Mother's Business or Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Family E-Mail Address \_\_\_\_\_ (Optional)

**Player's Shirt Size - PLEASE CIRCLE ONE!!**

Youth Sizes YM YL

Adult Sizes AS AM AL AXL AXXL

**if in doubt on shirt size PLEASE order one size larger!!**

**Visa or Mastercard** Amt. \_\_\_\_\_

Credit Card Number \_\_\_\_\_

Expiration Date Month \_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

### VOLUNTEER AND PARTICIPANT WAIVER

#### RELEASE AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY, ASSUMPTION OF RISK, AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT

1. IN CONSIDERATION of being permitted to participate in any Fuquay Varina Athletic Association activity, I and/or my minor child, our personal representatives, assigns, heirs and next of kin:
2. ACKNOWLEDGE, agree, and represent that I and/or my minor understand the nature of Fuquay-Varina Athletic Association and that I and/or my minor child are qualified, in good health, and in proper physical condition to participate in such Activity. I further agree that if at any time I believe conditions or equipment to be unsafe, I and /or my minor child will immediately discontinue further participation in the Activity.
3. FULLY UNDERSTAND that: (a) FUQUAY VARINA ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION ACTIVITIES INVOLVE RISKS AND DANGERS OF SERIOUS BODILY INJURY, INCLUDING PERMANENT DISABILITY, PARALYSIS AND DEATH ("RISKS"); (b) these Risks and dangers may be caused by me and/or my child's own actions, or inactions, the actions or inactions of others participating in the Activity, the condition in which the Activity takes place, or THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE "RELEASEES" NAMED BELOW; there may be OTHER RISKS AND SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC LOSSES either not known to me or not readily foreseeable at this time; and I FULLY ACCEPT AND ASSUME ALL SUCH RISKS AND RESPONSIBILITY FOR LOSSES, COSTS, AND DAMAGES I and/or my minor child incur as a result of my participation in the Activity.
4. HEREBY ACCEPT AND ASSUME ALL SUCH RISKS, KNOWN AND UNKNOWN, AND ASSUME ALL RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE LOSSES, COSTS, AND/OR DAMAGES FOLLOWING SUCH INJURY, DISABILITY, PARALYSIS, OR DEATH, EVEN IF CAUSED, IN WHOLE OR IN PART, BY THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE "RELEASEES" NAMED BELOW;
5. HEREBY RELEASE, DISCHARGE, AND COVENANT NOT TO SUE FUQUAY-VARINA ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION, their respective member teams and leagues, their administrators, directors, agents, officers, volunteers, team members and employees, other participants, any sponsors, advertisers, and if applicable, owners and lessors of premises on which the Activity takes place, (each considered one of the "RELEASEES" herein) FROM ALL LIABILITY, CLAIMS, DEMANDS, LOSSES, OR DAMAGES ON MY ACCOUNT CAUSED OR ALLEGED TO BE CAUSED IN WHOLE OR IN PART BY THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE "RELEASEES" OR OTHERWISE, INCLUDING NEGLIGENCE RESCUE OPERATIONS; AND I FURTHER AGREE that if, despite this RELEASE AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY, ASSUMPTION OF RISK, AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT I and/or my minor child, or anyone on my and/or my minor child's behalf, makes a claim against any of the Releasees, I WILL INDEMNIFY, SAVE AND HOLD HARMLESS EACH OF THE RELEASEES from any litigation expenses, attorney fees, loss, liability, damage, or cost which any may incur as the result of such claim.
6. I HAVE READ THIS AGREEMENT, FULLY UNDERSTAND ITS TERMS, UNDERSTAND THAT I HAVE GIVEN UP SUBSTANTIAL RIGHTS BY SIGNING IT, AND HAVE SIGNED IT FREELY AND WITHOUT ANY INDUCEMENT OR ASSURANCE OF ANY NATURE AND INTEND IT TO BE A COMPLETE AND UNCONDITIONAL RELEASE OF ALL LIABILITY TO THE GREATEST EXTENT ALLOWED BY LAW AND AGREE THAT IF ANY PORTION OF THIS AGREEMENT IS HELD TO BE INVALID THE BALANCE, NOTWITHSTANDING, SHALL CONTINUE IN FULL FORCE AND EFFECT.

By my/our signature, I/we certify that I/we have read points 1 thru 6.

X \_\_\_\_\_  
Parent(s) / Guardian(s) Signature Date

X \_\_\_\_\_  
Witness Date

X \_\_\_\_\_  
Parent(s) / Guardian(s) Signature Date

**\*Parents are to read, then sign and date the agreement on the reverse side of this form\***

**PARENTS ARE REQUIRED TO READ, THEN SIGN AND DATE THIS AGREEMENT.**

1. I understand that the FVAA is organized to promote youth athletics and good sportsmanship.
2. I understand that my conduct as a parent will have a definite impact on the youth for whom it is intended, the program, and byself.
3. I pledge to support, cooperate, and work in every way to promote youth athletics in the best interest of the programs and youths involved.
4. I pledge to be respectful to all officials, even in an expression of disagreement.
5. I do agree to adhere to the principles of good sportsmanship and to the rules and regulations defined by the FVAA & all other sport affiliations.
6. I understand that if I display poor sportsmanship, whether during or following a game, I will be subject to partial or permanent program suspension. Unsportsmanlike conduct is defined as, but not limited to the following:
  - a. harassment of participants or officials
  - b. use of profane language and / or gestures
  - c. public threats or physical violence
7. Regulations regarding adult's ejection or suspension will follow the guidelines listed below:
  - a. I understand that if I am asked to leave a game, I will be suspended from attending the next game to be played by my son's / daughter's team.
  - b. I understand that if I am asked to leave a second game during any one season, I will not be allowed to attend all the remaining regular season games and the end of season tournament activities.
  - c. I understand that if I am found under the influence of alcohol or drugs while at a FVAA function, I will not be allowed to attend any preseason activities, all regular season activities, and all end-of-season activities that my son's / daughter's team may be involved in. Alcoholic beverages are not allowed on FVAA facilities.
  - d. I understand that the FVAA Board will review all adult ejections or suspensions and may extend any suspension beyond what is stated above as deemed appropriate for the offense.
8. I agree that I will support the FVAA regular and post-season All Tournament team coaches' selection process, and I will not participate in, nor encourage any All Tournament player to play on an alternative team unless given prior approval by the FVAA Board. This item does not apply to travel tournament teams.
9. I will not participate in the purchase of uniforms or parts thereof and accept the uniform issued and used by the FVAA. I may, however, purchase white baseball pants, gray softball pants, gray softball shorts, striped baseball socks, cheerleading kick pants, cheerleading competition shoes, soccer shorts and soccer socks. Players names are not to be added to the back of the game jerseys before or during the playing season. **This item does not apply to travel tournament teams.**
10. I understand that **any** suspension may be appealed by using the following process. The suspended individual (parents, guardians of a player) should submit in writing a detailed account of the incident to the appropriate league commissioner within 48 hours of the incident. The statement should give names of any witnesses that observed the incident. The league commissioner then will perform a preliminary investigation and make a recommendation to the appropriate athletic commission.

**I UNDERSTAND THAT FAILURE TO ABIDE BY ALL ITEMS ABOVE COULD RESULT IN SUSPENSION OR DISMISSAL FROM THE FVAA.**

Parent or Guardian \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Parent or Guardian \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

*Please contact me, I am interested in being a: **Head Coach / Assistant Coach / League Commissioner.**  
Circle the one that applies*



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## 2008 FVAA Fall Recreational Baseball

### REGISTRATION

Registration for all recreational divisions of the FVAA's 2008 Fall Baseball League will begin on Monday, June 9, 2008, and continue through the **deadline of Friday, July 18, 2008**. All new FVAA participants **must** furnish a copy of their birth certificate at the time of registration.

To register, participants need to complete the 2008 Fall Registration form, have one of their parents or guardians sign the liability waiver on the form, and submit by the deadline with the \$65.00 registration fee (please make check or money order payable to the FVAA or indicate credit card information on registration form). **Remember: All registrants and coaches must be current members of the FVAA, please be sure to renew your membership, or join the FVAA when registering.**

Any player not registered by the **July 18, 2008 deadline** will be ineligible for the league drafts. Late registrations, **including returning players**, will be assigned to a waiting list and unless an opening is available, will not be allowed to participate this season. A \$10.00 late fee will apply for all applications received after the deadline.

**Anyone submitting a registration form who owes membership fees and/or any previous sports fees, and/or has unreturned uniforms (including all other members of the same family) will not be placed on the draft list until the situation is rectified.**

### IMPORTANT INSURANCE INFORMATION

FVAA member participants, coaches, officials, and volunteers are covered by general liability and accident insurance during each sport season at all practices and games scheduled by the FVAA.

### LEAGUES / AGES

The 2008 Fall Baseball League is composed of four leagues or age divisions. The age cut-off date to determine league eligibility is **April 30, 2008**. Check the player's age as of **April 30, 2008**, charted below, to determine the appropriate league he/she will participate in this season. YES, April 30 is a new age cutoff date.

<b>League</b>	<b>Age</b>
Rookie	Players must be SIX and no older than SEVEN years old on April 30, 2008.
Minor	Players must be EIGHT and no older than NINE years old on April 30, 2008.
Major	Players must be TEN and no older than ELEVEN years old on April 30, 2008.
Prep	Players must be TWELVE, THIRTEEN and no older than FOURTEEN years old on April 30, 2008.

### **ATTENDANCE AT PRE- SEASON EVALUATIONS WILL BE MANDATORY FOR ALL PLAYERS.**

If a parent wishes a participant to play in a league, above the league stipulated by the birth dates, a request **must** be made with the registration form stating the reason. NO player will be allowed to play down in a lower league per the Baseball Committee. The Baseball Committee will make the determination on the requests to play up, and you will be notified of their decision prior to the evaluations.

### **WEATHER INFORMATION HOTLINE**

In case of inclement weather, please check the field condition hotline: 552-5465 x21 or check the website- [fvaa.org](http://fvaa.org) for cancellation of practices or games. The information on the phone and the web is usually updated by 4:00 p.m. on weekdays or 7:00 a.m. on weekends.

**EVALUATION CLINICS**

Attendance at the evaluation clinics is mandatory! Players not attending one of the following evaluation times **MUST** attach a note to the registration form or notify the office in writing no later than August 4<sup>th</sup>. Registration will not be taken at the evaluation clinics; you **MUST** be registered at the FVAA by Friday, July 18, 2008.

<b><u>LEAGUE</u></b>	<b><u>DAY / DATE / TIME</u></b>	<b><u>LOCATION</u></b>
<b>Rookie 6&amp;7 year olds</b>		
7 yr. olds	Saturday, 8/9/08 players whose last name begins A-L	9:00 a.m. Falcon Park
7 yr. olds	Saturday, 8/9/08 players whose last name begins M-Z	10:00 a.m. Falcon Park
6 yr. olds	Saturday, 8/9/08 players whose last name begins A-L	11:00 a.m. Falcon Park
6 yr. olds	Saturday, 8/9/08 players whose last name begins M-Z	12:00 p.m. Falcon Park
makeup for 6 & 7 yr olds	Thursday, 8-14-08	6:30 p.m. Falcon Park
<b>Minor 8&amp;9 year olds</b>		
9 yr. olds	Saturday, 8/9/08 players whose last name begins A-L	9:00 a.m. Action Park #1
9 yr. olds	Saturday, 8/9/08 players whose last name begins M-Z	10:00 a.m. Action Park #1
8 yr. olds	Saturday, 8/9/08 players whose last name begins A-L	11:00 a.m. Action Park #1
8 yr. olds	Saturday, 8/9/08 players whose last name begins M-Z	12:00 p.m. Action Park #1
makeup for 8 & 9 yr olds	Thursday, 8-14-08	6:30 p.m. Action Park #1
<b>Major 10&amp;11 year olds</b>		
11 yr. olds	Saturday, 8/9/08 players whose last name begins A-L	9:00 a.m. Action Park #2
11 yr. olds	Saturday, 8/9/08 players whose last name begins M-Z	10:00 a.m. Action Park #2
10 yr. olds	Saturday, 8/9/08 players whose last name begins A-L	11:00 a.m. Action Park #2
10 yr. olds	Saturday, 8/9/08 players whose last name begins M-Z	12:00 p.m. Action Park #2
makeup for 10 & 11 yr olds	Thursday, 8-14-08	6:30 p.m. Action Park #2
Prep 14 yr. olds	Saturday, 8/9/08 9:00 a.m.	South Park #3
Prep 13 yr. olds	Saturday, 8/9/08 10:00 a.m.	South Park #3
Prep 12 yr. olds	Saturday, 8/9/08 11:00 a.m.	South Park #3
makeup for Prep players	Thursday, 8-14-08 6:30 p.m.	South Park #3

**PRACTICE / GAMES**

Practice is scheduled to begin around the 23<sup>rd</sup> of August. Practice will be held in Fuquay-Varina in the evenings and weekends. Games will start the week after Labor Day and will be played in the evenings until late October. We will try to play games during the week and we will try to only use weekends for rain makeup dates.

**UNIFORMS / EQUIPMENT**

The \$65.00 registration fee per participant helps to cover the cost of equipment, uniforms, and paying the umpires for the games. All players must furnish their own **baseball glove, white baseball pants and shoes**. Players' names are not to be added to the back of the game jerseys before or during the season. The FVAA will provide necessary equipment, such as bats, balls, catchers' equipment, etc. A game jersey and cap will be issued for each participant and will be kept by the players at the conclusion of the season.

**REFUND POLICY**

The \$65.00 registration fee less the \$15.00 service charge is refundable only by written request received at the FVAA Office on or before Monday, August 4, 2008.

**TROPHY POLICY**

Under its current policy, the FVAA will purchase and award individual championship trophies to each player on the team winning the regular season and/or tournament for Minor league and older. Each Rookie League participant will be awarded one trophy participation or championship. If a team wins both the regular season and tournament championships, a player for that team will receive only one trophy reflecting both championships on the engraved plate of the trophy.