



Weekly Update

21th Anniversary Season- May 2, 2009

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H1N1 (SWINE FLU)

We know that there may be some anxiety amongst our families regarding the flu outbreak here in New York and around the country. According to the NYS Office of Children and Family Services, 51 cases of the H1N1 virus has been confirmed by lab tests and two schools have been closed; St. Francis Prep and P.S. 177 in Queens. Both state and local health departments confirm that these cases have been mild and that all patients are recovering. Your child should continue to play baseball as long as he or she is not sick and you do not think they have flu symptoms. Flu symptoms include: a fever over 100 degrees Fahrenheit, cough, sore throat, and a runny or stuff nose. Additional symptoms can be muscle pain, fatigue and sometimes vomiting or diarrhea. If your child exhibits any of these symptoms, keep him or her at home and contact your doctor for medical advice.

Basic precautions should be exercised to protect your child, yourself and others from infection.

- Wash your hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds. If soap and water are not readily available, use hand sanitizer. Gels, rubs, and hand wipes work well
- Keep hands away from your face and avoid touching your mouth, nose or eyes.
- Cover cough and sneezes with tissues or by coughing into the inside of your elbow. If you do not have a tissue, cough or sneeze into your sleeve not your hands.

If we practice good hygiene, the health officials believe that we can limit the spread of the H1N1 virus.

DIVISION COORDINATORS (additions, corrections)

The following persons have volunteered to serve as Division Coordinators this season. **T-Ball / Rookie:** Stacy Crawford, Elizabeth Zambrano – **AAA:** Danielle Russ

PICTURE DAY

Harlem Little League's Picture Day is scheduled for next **Saturday, May 9**. Today, you will be receiving information from your team manager regarding packages offered, pricing and team schedules. All sponsors are welcome to join us on May 9 for pictures with their team. The picture day schedule is on the back of this update.

FIELD EQUIPMENT AT SHEA FIELD

We ask those volunteers who come out to prep the field for the first game, to please safe guard the field equipment. Field equipment such as rakes, brooms, liners and drag should be kept inside the gate or placed in the shed after use. Thank you.

PLAYER EQUIPMENT:

On Sunday, May 3, Tony Spencer, Equipment Manager, will be at the Extra Space Storage facility on 142nd Street between Lenox and Fifth Avenues. He will be collecting Catcher's Mitts that are in need of repair. Managers or coaches may drop off mitts between 1pm and 2pm.

NOTABLES:

Softball: Our Senior Girls team, Glenn's Prodigy played Greenwich Village on April 25, winning the game with a score of 27 to 6. Glenny Camacho, Kamisha Salley and Shaquana Sheppard all hit home runs in that game.

AAA: Stringers Swingers- Devon Johnson hit a solo homerun & a 3 run homer on Saturday, April 25 against the Black Stars. His teammate, Kaleb Thompson had 3 hits and 5RBIs. Rangel Raiders - Skylar Ulichny hit a solo homerun on Saturday, April 18 and a solo homerun on April 25 against the Diamonds.

Little League Pledge

I trust in God
I love my country and will respect its laws
I will play fair and strive to win
But win or lose I will always do my best

Parent/Volunteer Pledge

I will teach all children to play fair and do their best
I will positively support all managers, coaches and players
I will respect the decisions of the umpires
I will praise good effort despite the outcome of the game

May 9 2009: Picture Day Harlem Little League

Pix Time	Team	Game	Division	Sponsor Name
8:45a	Angels	12:30p	Softball	Kai Bramble & Anthony Bramble
9a	Post 398	11a	Tee	Colonel Young Post Legionnaires
9:10a	Yellow Jackets	11a	Tee	Krystal Crane and Garrett Thompson
9:20a	Harlem Lions	11a	Rookie	JP GST Desk
9:30a	Vantage Vipers	11a	Rookie	Vantage Management Services
9:40a	Rangel Raiders	11:30a	AAA	Congressman Charles B. Rangel
9:50a	Free Tempo	11:30a	AAA	Harlem Marshalls
10a	The Spirit	11:30a	Major	Tau Omega Chapter Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority
10:10a	The Knights	11:30a	Major	Jared Crane
10:20a	Bulldogs	12pm	Jrs	Tucker Diggs Foundation
10:30a	Eagles	12pm	Jrs	Mr. Jim Crane
10:40a	Challenger	1p	Rookie	Friends of Inez Dickens
10:50a	Lenox Grays	1p	Rookie	Olnick Organization
11a	Lenox Barons	2p	AAA	Olnick Organization
11:10a	Black Stars	2p	AAA	Black Star Music & Video
11:20a	New Renaissance	2p	Major	The Amsterdam News
11:30a	Fairways Finest	2p	Major	Fairway Markets
11:40a	Glen's Prodigy	1:30p	Softball	Claudia Shacter-deChabert
11:50a	Monarchs	9a	Major	Toni & Sidney Hardee
12n	Traders	9a	Major	Malcolm DeCastro
12:10p	Crusaders	1p	Challenger	Reverend Calvin O. Butts, III
12:10p	X-Men	1p	Challenger	Jim & AC Hudgins
12:20p	Panoramic Slugger	9a	Tee	William Hazen
12:30p	Harlem Vipers	9a	Tee	Allison Corn & Rob Murray
12:40p	Lightening	9a	Rookie	St.Lukes-Roosevelt Hospital
12:50p	Surgeons	9a	Rookie	Lexington Plastic Surgeons Carver Federal Savings Bank
1p	Mets	9a	AAA	
1:10p	Stringer Swingers	9a	AAA	Manhattan Borough President Scott M. Stri
1:20p	Fliers	3p	Tee	Phoenix Realty Group LLC Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. Delta House
1:30p	Delta's	3p	Tee	Manhattan Alumnae Chapter
1:40p	Associates	3p	Jr	Hogan-Morgenthau Assoc
1:50p	Stars	3p	Jr	Footlocker
2p	Diamonds	430p	AAA	Urban Home Ownership
2:10p	Princeton Tigers	4:30p	AAA	Princeton Club of NY
2:20p	Marshalls	4:30p	Major	Harlem Marshalls
2:40p	Wolverines	4:30p	Major	Laurence Polatsch Memorial Fund