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Parents of Mohawk Baseball Players,

2020 Mohawk Baseball is almost here!



Welcome to another exciting season of Mohawk Baseball!

The Mohawk Baseball program has two major fundraisers this year. The first one is our outfield sign sponsorship program. Businesses that have banners in the outfield have given funds toward the baseball program in support of the upcoming season. Letters and phone calls were made by the boosters in January and February to secure returning sponsors and obtain new sponsors. If you know of any potential sponsors, please contact Mark Mellman.

The second fundraiser is our Fundraiser Card Derby:

- Each player will be given 10 fundraiser cards to sell at our Player/Parent Sign-up meeting. Players will be given a couple of weeks to sell their cards.
- We will also have a day at Hy-Vee East where varsity players will be selling cards in the entry way.
- In addition, we will also do a blitz night with all players grades 8-12.

Below are important dates and reminders. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact a coach or baseball booster!

March

23 Parent/Player Meeting at Lincoln Intermediate 6:30

April

1 Service Project for all Baseball players – MCYBA Complex 4:30 – 7:30
7 MCYBA Baseball Camp 5:30-7:30 PM (all varsity players must work this camp)
8 Roosevelt Stadium Clean Up Night 5:00 PM
Fundraiser Card and Money Turn-In at Roosevelt Field during Clean-Up
15 Fundraiser Card Derby Night grades 8-12.
29 Varsity Poster Night 6:30 PM

May

4 **Baseball Season Starts!** 8th-12th Practice

A detailed practice schedule is on www.mohawkbaseball.com

15 All levels scrimmage at home vs. Central Springs
C2W Night
16 All levels scrimmage at home vs. Waverly-Shell Rock
22 Open House Scrimmage, Program, and HR Derby at Roosevelt Field
26 Varsity Home Opener vs. Des Moines East

June

9 Sponsor Appreciation Night
27 Mohawk Baseball Alumni Classic at Roosevelt Field

July

3 Red Team Potluck at the New Hampton Tournament
3 Senior Pictures and Information due to Boosters for Senior Recognition Night
10 Senior Recognition Night
12 Mohawk Baseball Awards Night
17 Post Season Tournament Action Begins!!!!

Again, if you ever have questions, suggestions or comments, please feel free to contact any of the Mohawk Baseball Coaches or Boosters. Also, keep your eye on the Mohawk Baseball Website:

www.mohawkbaseball.com as it has lots of information and is updated regularly. If you are a Facebook user, please "Like" Mason City Mohawk Baseball. Our program Twitter handle is @P2Wbaseball_MC. We use Twitter a lot to promote our program.

CONTACTING THE COACHING STAFF:

All parents/guardians are encouraged to call the head coach of their son's team with any concerns they might have throughout the season. The coaching staff wants every player in our program to have a rewarding, educational experience playing Mohawk baseball. Healthy coach and parent communication can play a vital role in the quality of each student-athlete's experience. Please honor the following two requests when contacting a coach:

1. Please wait 24 hours after the concern to contact the coach unless it is an emergency. Following this procedure will help facilitate a more productive conversation.
2. If there is a need to meet with a coach, please plan to have your son present at this meeting.

Go Mohawks!

Head Varsity Baseball Coach: Troy Rood (641-430-6240)

Assistant Coaches: Beau Stringer, Adam Gold, Zach Hendrickson, Jake Rood, Brian Niesen, and Chris Deets

Booster Reps:

Mark & Staci Mellman, Shannon Gold, Clint & Holli Thomas, Gary & Brooke Wiemann, and Ryan/Allison Dannen