

2009 Crystal Lake Babe Ruth
15 Year Old Tournament Team Tryouts

This year's tryout is Sunday, April 19 at Veteran Acres from 12:30-4:00PM

The tryouts for the Crystal Lake Babe Ruth 15 year old Tournament Team will be held on Sunday, April 19 at Veteran Acres. All players registered in the Crystal Lake Babe Ruth who will be 15 or younger on May 1, 2009 are eligible to tryout.

Players who wish to tryout must pre-register. Please send an e-mail to Tournament_Team@clbr.org . Leave your NAME, AGE, PHONE NUMBER, BABE RUTH TEAM, and SCHOOL TEAM (if on a high school team.) Players should plan to arrive before the tryout begins to check in and properly warm-up.

HIGH SCHOOL PLAYERS: All High School players are eligible to tryout for this team. Under IHSA rules, high school players may attend tryouts for summer teams. Trying Out will not affect you or your team's eligibility. For those players that make the team, our team activities will not begin until after the high school spring season.

The 15 Year Old Tournament Team will play approximately 30 games beyond their normal Babe Ruth team. They will also play in a few local tournaments. Past teams have participated in tournaments or games in Chicago, Milwaukee, Michigan, Indianapolis, Dyersville, and Orlando. They will be a host team in the 15 Year Old USSSA International Championship held in Crystal Lake from July 25 –August 3. There will be approximately 50 teams attending this year including teams from Japan, Canada, Puerto Rico, Dominican Republic, Sri Lanka, Brazil, Panama, California, Florida, Texas, and the rest of the USA.

This year's tryout will include fielding (infield and outfield), hitting, and running. Pitchers and catchers will also have a short tryout session.

In case of bad weather, call the 815-356-7884 for any updates.

If you have any questions, call Marc Sabo at 815-353-0376.

Good Luck to all players.