



BHC-MSS 0116
Records of Park City Little League
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Descriptive Summary

Creator: Park City Little League

Title: Records of Park City Little League

Dates: 1954-2020 [bulk 1995-2012]

Quantity: 1 manuscript box, 1 oversize folder

Abstract: Little League began in 1939 as a means to invite young boys (and some girls) to play baseball. The organization was formed in Williamsport, Pennsylvania, and experienced a rapid growth in the years after World War II. Bridgeport affiliated with the Williamsport organization in 1949, early adopters of the structure. A number of Little leagues formed, including Park City, East End, and Black Rock.

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Administrative History:

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Bridgeport affiliated with the Williamsport organization in 1949, early adopters of the structure. In the 1950s the league was both active and very successful, and Little League remained incredibly important in Bridgeport for decades to come. Additional little leagues within Bridgeport formed, including Park City, East End, and Black Rock among others.

Further research in cooperation with the Park City Little league is underway.

Bibliography

Piascik, Andy. Bridgeport's Original Little League <http://hdl.handle.net/11134/110002:19395>

Scope and Content note:

This collection represents an overview of the history of Park City Little League. The administrative material includes the continual registration with the greater Little League Baseball Inc. and certificates of chapter, along with some correspondence and recognition from the City of Bridgeport. Also included are extensive team photographs from 2005-2012. There are several photographs that appear to be from the 1980s or 1990s based on the quality of the image and the uniforms, but the material has been digitized and then printed out so an exact date is not possible.

Arrangement Note:

Series I represents documents relating to the operation of Park City Little League. Series II contains

team photographs, arranged alphabetically by team.

Administrative information:

Provenance: 2020. Donation of Lisa Gerard

Preferred Citation:

Records of Park City Little League (BHC-MSS 0116) Bridgeport History Center, Bridgeport Public Library.

Names and Subject Tracings

Corporate names

Subject tracings

Detailed box and folder listing

Series I – Administrative documents

Box 1

1. Query letter regarding donation, March 19, 2020
2. Yearly registration with Little League Baseball Inc., 1951-2002
3. Certificates of chapter, 1986-1995
4. Correspondence, 1987
5. Clippings, 1958-1974
6. Proclamation of Park City Little League Day, 2010

Series II - Photographs

7. Team photos, Athletics, 2006
8. Team photos, Braves, 2006
9. Team photos, Cardinals, 2005-2006, undated
10. Team photos, Cubs, undated
11. Team photos, Devil Rays, 2005-2008, undated
12. Giants, undated
13. Team photos, Mets, 2005-2008, undated
14. Team photos, Orioles, 2005-2008, undated
15. Team photos, Red Sox, 2005-2008, undated
16. Team photos, Yankees, 2005-2008, undated
17. Team photos, 2012
18. Event at Bridgeport Bluefish Stadium, undated

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10. Team photos, 2005-2007