

Southington Northern Baseball, Inc.

Southington Northern Little League

Southington Northern Babe Ruth

Registration

THE SOUTHINGTON GEMS

Challenger Division of Southington Northern Little League

The Southington Gems is registering new and veteran players on January 22, 2011 and January 29, 2011 at South End School from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. and March 10, 2011 at DePaolo Middle School from 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. All Southington residents between the ages of 5 and 18 (or still attending High School) who attend Special Education or have any physical or mental “challenge” may register to play baseball.

Our league is a very special one. We teach our boys and girls the fundamentals of baseball playing, but our main goal is to have fun together every week. We meet on Saturday mornings from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. at Memorial Field. We “host” teams from out of town, and we have “away” games. Some of our “away” games are during the week, but we try to keep that to a minimum.

Our players all have “buddies” to help them on the field. The job of the buddy is to be just that on the field: be the player's buddy or friend. The buddy might help a blind child catch the ball or a wheelchair-bound child “run” the bases. The buddy may just direct a child where to throw the ball.

Our disabilities/abilities are vast in appearance, but the song of our laughter is all the same. We encourage all residents of Southington with a child aged 5 - 18 (or still attending High School) who has any disability or “challenge” in their life to call George Casner at 628-2798 for more information.

Our season begins in mid-April and ends mid-June with a wonderful “FUN DAY” at the Giamatti Little League Center in Bristol.

More information is available on our league’s web site at www.southingtonnorthbaseball.org or by contacting any Board of Director member.