



BASEBALL U18'S INFO PACKAGE

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U18'S OVERVIEW

Introduction

The Manly Warringah District Baseball Association's State League club provides an environment for all levels of playing baseball, men's & women's. It is a club rich in history, continually seeing members furthering their skills whilst playing for the club. It has seen many graduates move onto playing for Australian, US College and US Pro teams in both men's and women's baseball. Manly State League has a huge wealth of dedicated staff, coaches and volunteers that run the day to day tasks that keep the great tradition of baseball going on in Manly. State League is a winning organisation that expects the very best from its players and coaches whilst playing in its colours. Its aim is to continually develop the game of baseball competitively through knowledge and fitness gained by playing for Manly.

Mission Statement

To provide our players with the most professional baseball experience possible.

Vision

Baseball demands the very best from an individual within a teamed environment. It takes great fitness and belief in one's ability to act quickly and precisely to play this game. It also takes patience, dedication and teamwork. As a club, we expect players to train to improve their skills, fitness and disciplines of the game whilst recognizing that they need to make extraordinary sacrifices in their work and family commitments to do so. From those sacrifices we expect to win all the time and players will be found out by coaches and team mates when they are not doing the work to better themselves and the club they commit to.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

With the lack of opportunity to not present in person the relevant information about this seasons u18's competition, we hope that this u18's package answers a few of the questions you might have had.

The transition from organised junior baseball can be daunting if not having options, which is why we would normally invite you to an u18's information night to present the Manly State League club to you and give you our options for senior baseball with us.

Manly State League runs competitive teams in 5 competitions; 1st grade 2nd grade, 3rd grade, u18's and Women's. Trials for new players are aimed to be held once we have the go ahead from the NSW State Gov and NB Council.

NSW Baseball hopes that it's 2021/22 State League season will start on Sept 4/5, which is what our board is working to. NSW Baseball have planned an expanded a 27 round competition, but reality could see it remain an 18 round competition.

We ask that you register your interest in playing with Manly Eagles, that way we can keep you up to date on trials, start date and any other relevant information that may come through pertaining to this season.



Mike O'Neill
President Manly State League Baseball



SEASON 2021-22

The u18's play in the NSW State League Championship which sees a regular season of 27 rounds. The comp is scheduled to start the weekend of Sept 4/5 and runs through to Mar 26/27 with finals in April depending on the current covid lockdowns.



U18'S COACHING STAFF

Head Coach - Mark Spinks
Assistant Coach - Grant Anderson



TRAININGS

Tuesday and Thursday nights
6.30PM - 8.30PM at Aquatic Reserve Baseball Park



CONTACT

For further information on any of our organised teams please contact our secretary,

Viv Hughes -
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GAMES

Manly u18's home games are on Saturdays at 10am.

Away games can vary depending on the opposing teams start times. Either Saturdays at 11am or Sundays at 2pm. Presently there are three clubs that play u18's on Sundays, the rest play u18's Saturdays.

The competition comprises of clubs from Blacktown, Baulkham Hills, Canterbury, Cronulla, Central Coast, Macarthur, Ryde, Greater Western & Your Manly Eagles.

Manly State League also runs teams in 1st, 2nd and 3rd grade and Women's



U18'S FEES

\$425.00 - includes the BNSW capitation fee and a free club undershirt.

A club playing jersey is provided on loan and returnable at seasons end. New caps are \$40.00 each

A background image of a baseball game, overlaid with a semi-transparent red filter. In the foreground, a catcher in full protective gear is crouched, facing a batter who is in a ready stance. A baseball bat is visible in the batter's hands. In the background, other players are visible on the field, and a baseball is in the air. The text is centered over the image.

**JOIN UP
and see where
the GAME
TAKES YOU**

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