

2021 Lenape Valley Baseball COVID-19 Refund Policy

As always, Lenape Valley Baseball Association (LVBA) is committed to provide a safe and rewarding 2021 season of baseball for our players. LVBA is dedicated to starting and completing as much of the planned season as possible within any constraints established as a result of the pandemic.

LVBA recognizes that the 2021 season may be impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic and the potential exists that the season may be suspended for some period of time or cancelled by order of state and/or local authorities. In order to address this particular event, this refund policy will apply.

The 2021 LVBA refund policy will be structured as follows. Refunds will be processed if the LVBA Executive Board is compelled or elects to cancel the season or in the event a parent or guardian requests a refund by sending an email to covidrefund@lvbaseball.org:

- Up until the Uniform Order Date for the specific program (i.e., In-house, Travel, or Connie Mack), a full refund of the 2021 registration fees minus a \$10 processing fee will be available. The “Uniform Order Date” will be a date after the registration date closes for that Program and all teams are assigned/formed or drafted. For the In-house Program, while the Uniform Order Date typically occurs about March 15th each year, the exact 2021 Uniform Order Date will be communicated no less than one (1) week in advance by: (1) email to all registered players using the email used to register the player; and (2) post on this page in the table below.
- After the Uniform Order Date and until Opening Day of the season for each Program (which for In-house is targeted for Saturday, April 3, 2021), a refund of the 2021 registration fees will be available minus (1) a \$10 processing fee, AND (2) LVBA’s cost of the uniforms for the players (the “Uniform Cost”). Such Uniform Cost will be determined solely by LVBA and communicated upon receipt of the refund request.
- After Opening Day of the season and until the Midpoint of the season (defined below), a refund of the 2021 registration fees will be available minus: (1) a \$10 processing fee, (2) the Uniform Cost, (3) the \$50 mandatory fee for the annual LVBA Fundraising Raffle (if applicable), AND any prorated expenses accrued for the season by LVBA. Such prorated expenses accrued will be determined solely by LVBA and communicated upon receipt of the refund request. (Note: The LVBA Fundraising Raffle will be held at the end of the inhouse season and shown on our Facebook page at what would have been the end of our season.)
- After Midpoint of the season, there will be no refunds. The “Midpoint” of the season will be determined by LVBA by the number of schedule games as set at the beginning of the season for each applicable baseball program (e.g., In-house, Travel, or Connie Mack). As such, rainouts or games postponed or cancelled due to a team being quarantined does not factor into determining the Midpoint of the season. Playoffs are not counted as part of the season schedule. The Midpoint of the season date will be posted on this page in the table below.

As with LVBA’s 2020 COVID refund policy, several options are available for refunds:

- Full or partial donation to LVBA (very much appreciated!);
- Credit towards the next season (Fall 2021 or Spring 2022) – (Note: If this option is selected, the \$10 processing fee will be waived); or

- Check. Unless a specific address is provided with the refund request, the check will be made out to the parent or guardian on the registration and mailed to the address provided during the registration process.

For clarity, in the event that a 2020 Spring Baseball credit was applied to 2021 registration fees, and a refund is requested for the 2021 season, the 2021 refund structure above will apply.

It is LVBA's intent to provide a fair and up-front refund policy while covering the costs associated with operating LVBA. The LVBA Executive Board reserves the right to determine a refund amount for the league should a situation not fall into the policy set forth above.

If you have any concerns, please reach out to Matt Benscoter, LV Baseball President, at president@lvbaseball.org.

LVBA Program	Uniform Order Date	Midpoint of Season Date
Spring Inhouse Baseball	3/7/21	5/8/21
Fall Inhouse Baseball	TBD	TBD
Spring Travel Baseball	1/31/21	TBD
ITL Baseball	3/7/21	5/8/21
Connie Mack Summer	TBD	TBD
Connie Mack Fall	TBD	TBD