

GHMV Lions Baseball 2024

Hello and welcome to Baseball season 2024. Baseball is a unique sport at Great Hearts Monte Vista because it brings together many different types of athletes from the Middle into one team. The team will bring varying skills level in the different positions to combine towards one cohesive team. While I cannot guarantee that every athlete will get to play every position they desire, we will allow every player and opportunity to try out and compete for any position on the team. At this time there is no plans to cut any player that try's out for the team.

Coaching Staff:

Head Coach- Steven McCoy (Steven.McCoy@greatheartstxschools.org)

Assistant Coach-

Practice Schedule:

This year we will practice at Rusty Lyons Baseball Field on the corner of McCallough and Basse. Practice will be Monday, Tuesday and Thursday from 4:15 – 5:30 pm. Below is a list of the exact dates we will be using the baseball field.

The first day of practice for the team will be Monday, Feb 6th.

2/6, 2/8, 2/12, 2/13, 2/15, 2/19, 2/22, (4:15 – 5:30pm), 2/20 and 2/26 (5:00 – 6:15pm)

3/4, 3/5, 3/8, 3/18, 3/19, 3/21, 3/22, 3/25, 3/26, 4/1, 4/2, (rest of dates will be posted later)

Equipment Needed:

Athletic clothes for both hot and cold weather. Students will be required to provide their own pants and Navy Blue Socks. Also, students will need to have their own mitts and bats. If there is a concern about obtaining the equipment, please contact the coach. We will practice rain or shine, hot or cold within reason. Please make sure you check the weather and are prepared for the elements of the day. A good water bottle with your name on it is also required, athletes need to stay hydrated, especially on hot days. Correct shoes/cleats are essential for baseball. If a student would consider catching and has their own catching equipment, please bring it to practice, we are in the process of acquiring catching equipment for the school.

Communication:

I will send out an email at the end of each week with the upcoming week's schedule. To receive emails, you must sign up and register on Big Team!

Athletes must get in the habit of communicating with their coaches. This includes injuries, minor pains, aches, and illness, as well as missing practices/meets, and being late to practice.

In the case of missing practices or games, unless we have set up a regularly scheduled approved absence (such as weekly piano practice, youth group etc.) the athlete must communicate with the coach. For middle school athletes, I would ask that parents email me ahead of time as well. .

Game Schedule: Subject to games possibly being added.

Monday	3/4	5:00 PM	GHNO	GHNO	non-district
Thursday	3/7	4:30 PM	Winston	Winston	ISAL
	SPRING	BREAK			
Thursday	3/21	5:00 PM	Atonement	GHMV	ISAL
Tuesday	3/26	5:00 PM	Cornerstone B	Cornerstone	ISAL
Thursday	3/28	5:00 PM	Bracken	GHMV	ISAL
Tuesday	4/2	5:00 PM	GHINV	GHINV	nondistrict
Thursday	4/4/2024	5:00 PM	NBCA	GHMV	ISAL
Friday	4/12/2024	5:00 PM	Cornerstone B	GHMV	ISAL

Thursday	4/18/2024	4:30 PM	Concordia	Concordia	ISAL
Monday	4/22/2024	5:00 PM	GHINV	GHMV	non-distinct
	4/24-26	Make Up	Dates		
	ISAL Tournament		April 30th	May 2	

Parents, thank you in advance so all of the work you do setting up carpools and ensuring our athletes get to the practices and games. Students must maintain their grades to compete in games and are responsible for any missed work.