



Club Beisbol Barcelona

Welcome

Season 2015



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PRESIDENT'S LETTER

First of all, I would like to welcome you and your family to the club.

Whether you are totally new to our sport or you already have some experience, our goal is to develop your skills as a baseball player, but without forgetting basic qualities such as companionship and respect for others: coaches, players of your team and others, referees, etc.

My advice is that, before deciding whether to register in our club, you make sure that you really like baseball. The best way to do so is to participate in some practices. If you can also come to watch a game, so much better.

The aim of this dossier is to clarify any doubts you could have about schedules, organization and the sport itself, which usually arise in people that, like you, come to our club. If you need further information, do not hesitate to ask your team's delegate.

I hope you enjoy the experience and become a member of one of our teams soon.

Best regards

JOSEP JUANEDA
President
Club Beisbol Barcelona

DISTRIBUTION OF CATEGORIES

Our club has teams in the following categories:

<i>Benjamín</i>	Players born in 2004 or later
<i>Alevín</i>	Players born in 2004 or later
<i>Infantil</i>	Players born in 2002 or 2003
<i>Cadete</i>	Players born in 2000 or 2001
<i>Juvenil</i>	Players born in 1997, 1998 or 1999
<i>Sénior 1ª Catalana</i>	Players born in 1996 or before
<i>Sénior Divisió de Honor</i>	Players born in 1996 or before

TIME SCHEDULE AND PRACTICE LOCATION

All categories practice in the Pérez de Rozas municipal stadium in Montjuïc (very close to Palau Sant Jordi).

<i>Benjamín</i>	Mondays and Wednesdays from 7 pm to 9 pm
<i>Alevín</i>	Mondays and Wednesdays from 7 pm to 9 pm
<i>Infantil</i>	Tuesdays and Thursdays from 7pm to 9pm
<i>Cadete</i>	Mondays and Wednesdays from 7 pm to 9 pm
<i>Juvenil</i>	Tuesdays and Thursdays from 7pm to 9pm
<i>Sénior 1ª Catalana</i>	Wednesdays and Fridays from 8:30 pm to 10:30 pm
<i>Sénior Divisió de Honor</i>	Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays 8:30 pm to 10:30 pm

The practice season approximately follows the school calendar.

GAMES SCHEDULE

It depends on the weekend, but typically games are played as follows:

<i>Benjamín</i>	Saturdays at 10 am
<i>Alevín</i>	Saturdays at 12:30 pm
<i>Infantil</i>	Saturdays at 10 am
<i>Cadete</i>	Saturdays at 12:30 pm
<i>Juvenil</i>	Fridays at 7 pm or Saturdays at 4 pm
<i>Sénior 1ª Catalana</i>	Sundays at 11 am
<i>Sénior Divisió de Honor</i>	Saturdays at 6 pm and Sundays at 11 am

All categories play the home games in the Pérez de Rozas stadium in Montjuïc.

In Catalonia, the practice of baseball is concentrated geographically in the Baix Llobregat region, and most of our away games are played near Barcelona, for example in L'Hospitalet, Sant Boi, Viladecans and Gavà. Exceptionally, there might be trips to farther places such as Manresa or Vic.

The competition season usually goes from mid February until the end of June and from the end of September to the end of November.

CLUB'S ORGANIZATION

Name	Position
Josep Juaneda Barber	President
Jorge Miqueleiz	Technical director
José Luis Riera	Technical coordinator
Manuel Cuevas	Administration / Treasurer
Natàlia Foguet	Logistic coordinator
Ferran Guillen	Coordinator and webmaster
Eric Segura	<i>Benjamín</i> manager
Mireia Pertegas	<i>Benjamín</i> delegate
Pedro Bonilla	<i>Alevín</i> manager
María Valle Hernández	<i>Alevín</i> delegate
Oscar Román	<i>Infantil</i> manager
Manuel Cuevas	<i>Infantil</i> delegate
Ángel Aguado	<i>Cadete</i> manager
Lula Villalva	<i>Cadete</i> delegate
José Luis Riera	<i>Juvenil</i> manager
Carina Villagrassa	<i>Juvenil</i> delegate
Marc Juaneda	Senior manager
Juan Carlos Cadenas	Senior delegate
Oscar Jiménez	Senior Baseball School
Abel Jiménez	Senior Softball School
Neila Adillon	Softball team

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WHAT DO YOU NEED TO WEAR TO PRACTICE?

To practice you need to bring sportswear and footwear:

- Long pants (track-suit or thicker). In baseball it is very usual to slide and long pants protect your legs.
- Sports T-shirt, short or long sleeved depending on the time of the year.
- In winter it is necessary to wear something warmer (hoodie, sweater, raincoat...)
- Cap. Mandatory in baseball.
- Sport shoes. It would be preferable if you wore cleats (turf and soccer cleats are fine). If not, trainers are okay.
- Baseball glove. We can lend you a glove for your first practice days, but the glove is something personal and every player must have his or her own. Very important: the glove must be worn on the non-throwing hand (that is, you wear the glove on your left hand if you are right-handed and on the right hand if you are left-handed). If you do not know what glove is best for you (size, type, etc.) talk to your coach and he or she will advise you.
- Genital protector. Mandatory once you start your activity in the club, Talk to your coach for advise.

The club provides the rest of the material needed: bats, helmets, catcher gear, etc., so you do not need to purchase it.

COST OF THE ACTIVITY

If you and your family decide to become members of the club, you have to pay the following fees:

- Annual membership fee. To participate in the activities of the club you have to become a member or be the child of a member (for minors). The annual fee is 50 euro, which has to be paid every year in January. For members who join during the year, this fee is charged at the moment of admission.
- There is no enrollment fee, but you have to buy the training equipment (T-shirt 8 euros and hoodie 20 euros) and the cap (20 euros).
- You will get game pants, belt and jersey. The price of the pants is 20 euros. For the jersey and the belt there is a 40 euro deposit.*
* Since jerseys are expensive and very sturdy, the 40 euros are considered a deposit. If you leave the activity and give back the jersey in good condition, you will get your money back. Similarly, if you outgrow the jersey and return it in good condition, we will give you a larger one at no additional cost.
- Monthly fees. There are nine monthly fees, charged from February to July and from September to November. The monthly fee amounts to 30 euro for players who are 14 years old or younger the 1st of January, and 37 euro otherwise.

The participation in tournaments outside Catalonia might require additional contributions to cover the cost of transportation and hotels.

DOCUMENTATION NEEDED TO BECOME A MEMBER

To process your application we need the following documentation:

- Application form (included at the end of this document).
- Personal data form (included at the end of this document).
- Medical certificate of fitness to practice sports. We do not require it to be on an official form.
- Photocopy of DNI / Passport / Resident's card.
- Photocopy of Social Security Health card (for players born in 1998 and afterwards).

FEDERATIVE REGISTRATION

Once you become a member of the club you will start practicing with your team. When your coach decides that you are ready, we will process your federative registration and, from then on, you will be eligible to play official games.

To process the federative registration, we only need a photocopy of your DNI / Passport / Resident's card and that you, your parent or guardian sign the corresponding application form.

HEALTH COVERAGE

Before you have your federative registration you will not have any special sports health coverage, so in case of injury you will have to use your public or private health insurance.

Once we have your federative registration you will benefit from health coverage from the sports medical insurer. If you need medical assistance, let your delegate know beforehand.

Since baseball is not a contact sport, usually there are few serious injuries. Small bruises and scratches from sliding are the most common injuries.

IS BASEBALL A GOOD SPORT FOR MY CHILD?

Baseball's lack of familiarity in this country makes many parents pose themselves this question, or to ask us directly.

We really believe baseball is a great sport for the personal development of children. The arguments to support this statement are the following:

It is a team sport, but personal performance is clearly identifiable

The practice of team sports helps in the socialization of the children (coordination, team work, mutual understanding, etc.) but has a drawback: individual actions inside the group might be hidden (e.g. in soccer the player that scores the goal is visible, but another player has passed the ball, another one has dribbled the defender, etc.)

In baseball it is easier to appreciate individual actions. For example, when it's the player's turn at bat, he or she is alone.

It is a strategically rich sport and therefore requires intelligence

Children must be not only able to physically play correctly, but also to understand which is the correct play at every moment. A defender who fields the ball and throws it perfectly to the wrong base... is not playing correctly, and he or she realizes immediately.

Baseball helps to develop quick thinking.

It is a sport that requires patience

Many parents complain about their children acting too fast without thinking.

In baseball, when it's your turn at bat, if you try to swing at all the pitches regardless of whether they are bad or good, you will rarely reach first base.

Children quickly learn the virtue of being able to wait.

It is a sport where there is great companionship

Given the few baseball teams in Catalonia, it is very rare to see a rough game, with insults, fights, etc. Of course every team wants to win, but the relationship with the players of the other teams is usually excellent.

It is a boys and girls sport

Until the age of fourteen, teams include both boys and girls.



BEISBOL BARCELONA

FICHA DATOS JUGADOR

Nombre y apellidos	
Fecha Nacimiento	
DNI/Pasaporte/Tarjeta Residencia	
Nacionalidad	
Dirección	
Código postal	
Población – Provincia	
Teléfono fijo	
Teléfono móvil	
Correo Electrónico*	
Cuenta bancaria (20 dígitos)	
Titular Cuenta bancaria	
Nombre Socio Béisbol Barcelona (cumplimentar sólo hijos menores de edad de socios)	
Número Tarjeta Sanitaria (solo menores 16 años)	
Los siguientes datos sólo es necesario que los cumplimenten los menores de edad, son datos para poder contactar en casos de emergencia, etc	
Nombre padre	
Teléfono padre	
Nombre madre	
Teléfono madre	

* El correo electrónico es la forma principal de comunicación del club con sus jugadores, por lo que rogamos cumplimenten este campo con un correo electrónico válido.

Autorizo a que giren con cargo a la cuenta bancaria indicada los recibos correspondientes con la actividad deportiva que practico.

Firma del jugador:	En caso de menores de edad, firma del representante legal:
Fecha:	Nombre: DNI/Pasaporte/T Residencia:



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SOLICITUD ALTA SOCIO

Nombre y Apellidos	
DNI/Pasaporte/Tarjeta Residencia	
Fecha nacimiento	
Teléfono fijo	
Teléfono movil	
Dirección e-mail*	
Dirección Postal	
Código Postal	
Población - Provincia	
Cuenta Bancaria (20 dígitos)	
Titular Cuenta bancaria	

* El correo electrónico es la vía principal de comunicación del club con los socios, por lo que se recomienda rellenar este campo con una dirección de e-mail valida.

Solicito el alta como socio en el Club BEISBOL BARCELONA, aceptando sus estatutos y autorizando a que se carguen en la cuenta bancaria indicada los recibos correspondientes

Firma del socio:	En el caso de menores de edad, firma del representante legal:
Fecha:	Nombre: DNI/Pasaporte/Tarjeta Residencia:

No rellenar este apartado

Fecha Alta	
Clave Socio	