

2012 LITTLE LEAGUE WEBCAST CONTRACT
FOR REGULAR SEASON GAMES

INSTRUCTIONS

1. A copy of this contract is to be provided first to the DISTRICT ADMINISTRATOR or LOCAL LEAGUE PRESIDENT. It is never to be provided to the webcasting company without first being sent to the District Administrator.
2. The amount of the rights fee on page 1 of the contract is to be determined by the Little League International Vice President of Communications at Little League International in South Williamsport, Pa., in consultation with the District Administrator and League President.
3. The contract must be completed in part and signed by the District Administrator and the local league president.
4. The contract is then forwarded to the webcasting company, where it is completed in part, and signed. (Note: The contract is not yet valid at this point.)
5. The webcasting company returns the signed contract to Little League International. (Att: Communications, 539 U.S. Route 15 Hwy, P.O. Box 3485, Williamsport, PA 17701-0485.) A copy can also be emailed to Chris Downs at cdowns@LittleLeague.org or faxed to 570-601-0115.
6. If acceptable, Stephen D. Keener, President and Chief Executive Officer of Little League International, will sign it.
7. The Little League International Communications Department keeps the original, and *copies* are returned to the webcasting company, the District Administrator, and the local league president. (The contract is valid at this point.)
8. A file will be maintained by the Little League International Communications Department to ensure payment is made.
9. This contract is NON-EXCLUSIVE, with regard to the ability and right of the District Administrator or League President to extend the terms of this same contract to another interested party or parties for the same event(s).

NOTE: If exclusive rights are requested, such a request must be made separately by the District Administrator or League President and webcasting company to the Vice President of Communications at Little League International, Communications Department, South Williamsport, Pa. (address on page 3 of contract).

2012 WEBCASTING CONTRACT – REGULAR SEASON

(Please type in the designated fields below. Those fields requiring a signature must be signed on a printed version of this document and returned to Little League. Please send a copy of this contract to one of the options listed on page 3 of this contract)

TO: _____ (name and title of webcasting company contact)
of _____ (company)
Address _____
Phone Number _____ Fax _____
Email Address _____

RE: The _____ (league name) Regular Season games

The parties hereto, intending to be legally bound, hereby agree as follows --

Little League Baseball, Incorporated (aka Little League International), grants to you webcasting rights to the _____ (league name) Regular Season games to be held at _____ (location) on _____ (date[s]), in the _____ Division(s),

(hereinafter referred to as the "sports event"), subject to each of the following provisions:

Rights - Little League International has the exclusive right to authorize any and all webcasting (live or recorded) of Regular Season and Special Games. As a non-commercial webcast, or with sponsorship limited to those products or services which meet Little League International standards for advertisements (see below), Little League International grants you the rights to record for webcasting and/or to webcast live, the above mentioned sports event. Whether or not the Little League name and mark may be used to solicit advertising revenues, the rights fee is established at \$_____ per game for each game to be webcast. (Note: Twenty-five (25) percent of this fee will accrue to Little League International; Seventy-five (75) percent will accrue to the local Tournament Committee to offset expenses.) This grant of webcasting rights pertains only to the sports event at the time and place specified herein. This contract is non-exclusive. The exact fees noted above will be determined by the Little League Vice President of Communications.

Copies of Webcast – In no event will copies of the webcast be sold or distributed by anyone to any party in any form without the expressed written consent of Little League International.

Expenses – All expenses regarding the recording and webcasting by your company are the responsibility of your company, including, but not limited to, phone line installation and phone charges, installation of digital equipment, construction of camera platforms and press box construction or improvements, additional lighting, etc.

Camera/Microphone Placement – Cameras must not be placed in dugouts at any time, nor anywhere in fair territory. Camera operators must be confined to areas specifically set aside for such operations, and with the consent of the Tournament Director. Microphones (but not earphones or earpieces) may be attached to the person of the home plate umpire or managers with the consent of the local league president and of the individual to whom the microphone will be attached. Microphones, earphones or earpieces must not be attached to players.

Disclaimer – At least once during each game webcast, the following statement must be read and webcast aloud: “This game is presented by (station/network name) under the authority of Little League Baseball and Softball, and may not be re-broadcast or re-transmitted without the expressed written permission of Little League International, South Williamsport, Pennsylvania. Visit Little League online at www-dot-Little-League-dot-org.”

Interviews - The webcast may include interviews, subject to these conditions: 1. Interviews with players must only be conducted in the presence of, and with the explicit permission of, the player’s parent, guardian, manager or coach; 2. No interviews of players, managers or coaches will be conducted during games; 3. No interviews with players of the losing teams will be conducted until at least 30 minutes after the conclusion of the game.

Public Service Announcement – A 30-second public service announcement (PSA) to be provided by Little League International must be played at least three times during each game/webcast covered by this contract, with all costs involved to be borne by the webcasting company. The PSA will be delivered to the webcasting company on a DVD.

Miscellaneous - Any details or provisions made beyond this agreement in connection with the sports event must be approved by Little League International promptly before the event takes place.

Payment - Payments due to Little League International and the local league shall be made no later than ten (10) days following the conclusion of the sports event.

Cancellation or Postponement - If the sports event does not take place on the scheduled date or time for any reason whatsoever, Little League Baseball, Incorporated, its directors, officers and employees will be held harmless by you and your company.

Sponsors and Advertisers - Your company will provide Little League International with the names and products of sponsors of the webcast or publicity of the webcast. Commercial sponsorship must not include tobacco, alcoholic beverages or other products not consistent with the respectability of Little League International. Little League International reserves the right to deny the opportunity for any individual or company to advertise during or provide sponsorship for the webcast of this sports event.

Jurisdiction - This agreement and all collaterally related issues shall be governed by Pennsylvania law. Venue is in the Lycoming County Courts of Pennsylvania. You warrant that you will not grant to any third party any rights to this sports event. Any provision herein found by a court to be void or unenforceable shall not affect the validity or enforceability of any other provision.

Appearance of Participants – Any uniformed players appearing in the webcast must be wearing the Official Little League Shoulder Patch. All players appearing in the webcast must only use equipment that is in good working order, and that meets Little League standards for the correct division. All other aspects of the event, including all facilities, shall meet Little League standards and specifications for the correct division.

Non-Partnership - Nothing herein shall make the parties partners or joint venturers; both parties are independent contractors with respect to one another, and neither shall have any authority to represent or bind the other in any manner or to any extent whatsoever, except as provided herein.

District
Administrator’s _____
Initials

Web Company
Representative’s _____
Initials

Mailing Options

1. Little League Communications
539 U.S. Route 15 Hwy
PO Box 3485
Williamsport, PA 17701-0485

2. Fax to 570-601-0115

3. Email to Chris Downs at
cdowns@LittleLeague.org.

LITTLE LEAGUE BASEBALL, INCORPORATED

By _____

STEPHEN D. KEENER
President and Chief Executive Officer

Date _____

Accepted and agreed to:

By _____ Date _____

Webcasting Company Representative Signature

Printed or Typed Name _____

Title _____ Company Name _____

Address _____

Phone Number _____ Fax _____

Email Address _____

Web address at which game(s) will be webcast: _____

Make one check (25 percent of total fee) payable to Little League International, 539 Route 15 Hwy, P.O. Box 3485, Williamsport, PA 17701-0485. Make the other check (75 percent of total fee) payable to:

_____ (name of local Little League)

_____ (mailing address)

I, the President of the local Little League named on this contract, pledge that my league will abide by all provisions contained herein, that all players in the games(s) will be in proper uniform at all times (to include proper equipment and official shoulder patches), and that my league will strictly adhere to all rules, regulations and policies of Little League Baseball and Softball.

(Name of local Little League President)

(signature and date)

(Phone Number of Little League President)

District Administrator's Approval

I, the District Administrator for the league named on this contract, agree that the events named herein should be webcast, that the league named herein has clearly demonstrated strict adherence to Little League rules, regulations and policies, and that such webcasting of the events will reflect well upon the Little League name.

_____ (name) _____ (District No./State)

Address _____

Phone Number _____ Fax _____

Email Address _____

_____ (signature and date)

This contract is not valid unless and until all spaces are filled on all three pages.