## ASAP - A Safety Awareness Program New DA Training



# The ASAP Mission

To increase awareness of the opportunities to provide a safer environment for children, volunteers and all Little League participants.



# History

Long the pacesetter in youth sports safety programs, ASAP was introduced in 1995 as a grass roots program based on the communication of ideas. Leagues are encouraged to create and implement a safety plan containing 15 basic requirements with the idea that this basic safety plan can be expanded.



# Voluntary Program

In 2018, **91%** of all leagues voluntarily operated a safety program.



# ASAP Requirements for DA's

- District Administrators must match national participation percentage to be considered for the Little League Board of Directors (91% in 2018).
- Districts must have a District Safety Officer on staff.
- District Administrators must maintain 50% or higher league participation to be eligible for re-election.



### How to Drive League Participation in your District

- Communicate to your leagues your ASAP Goals (100%! Participation)
- Require leagues to have an approved safety plan before they can host District All-Star Games or Special Games.
- Remind leagues that they must have an approved ASAP plan to host tournaments above the district level.

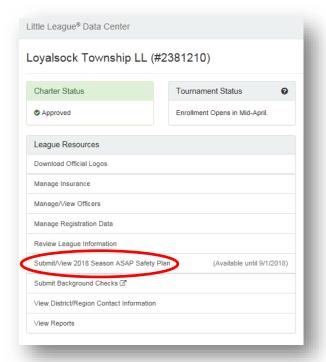


### How do Districts & Leagues Benefit from ASAP?

- Children and volunteers are safer
- Injuries have been reduced by 80% since ASAP begin
- Reduces insurance costs
- Cash incentives awarded to districts and leagues for ASAP participation (\$485,000 awarded in 2018)



## How do Leagues submit a Safety Plan?



Submit an ASAP Safety Plan online in 3 easy steps:

- Upload completed Safety Plan document.
- Confirm/update that Safety Plan meets the 15 ASAP requirements.
- Sign and Submit Safety Plan submission.



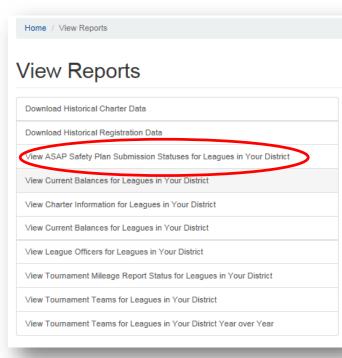
#### Easy Step-By-Step Process

Safety Plan Submission Progress Overview Ø II. Upload Safety Plan III. III. Safety Plan Requirements O 1. Verify Officers 📀 Distribute Safety Manual O Distribute Emergency Numbers O 4. Volunteer Application Form 🛇 5. Fundamentals Training 🥥 6. First Aid Training 🕏 Field Inspections I Complete Facility Survey Concession Stand Safety Image Stand Safety 10. Equipment Inspections 📀 11. Accident Reporting 🛇 12. First Aid Kits 😋 Enforce Little League Rules I 14. Provide Registration Data O Share Ideas and Experiences Image 2 IV. Sign and Submit O

- All requirements are mandatory, but can be completed in any order.
- Requirements may ask for a page number in your Safety Plan and/or confirmation of an activity by your league.
- Safety Plan can be submitted before Registration Data is uploaded.
- Plan will not be approved until Registration Data requirement is completed.



#### District Administrator ASAP Status Report in Data Center



#### 2018 Season ASAP Safety Plan Submission Statuses

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League Name	League ID	Status
CLINTON LL	02381202	Started, Incomplete
EAST LYCOMING LL	02381201	Started, Incomplete
HEPBURN-LYCOMING LL	02381215	Not Started
HOMETOWN LL	02380106	Started, Incomplete
JERSEY SHORE AREA SOFTBALL LL	00252991	Not Started
JERSEY SHORE GSV LITTLE LEAGUE	02381204	Not Started
KEYSTONE LL	00111990	Not Started
LOYALSOCK TOWNSHIP LL	02381210	Not Started
MONTGOMERY LL	02381206	Not Started
MONTOURSVILLE LL	02381207	Not Started
MUNCY LL	02381205	Started, Incomplete
NEWBERRY LL	02381214	Not Started
NIPPENOSE VALLEY LL	02381208	Not Started
RENOVO AREA LL	00127196	Not Started
SOUTH LL	02381209	Started, Incomplete
WILLIAMSPORT AREA LL	02381211	Started, Incomplete
WOOLRICH LL	00304993	Not Started



# Reminders for 2019

- April 1, 2019 Early Submission Deadline (District Incentive)
- April 15, 2019 League Deadline (League Incentive/Best-Safety-Plan Award)
- Safety Plans must be submitted through the LL Data Center. Paper plans mailed/emailed to LL International will no longer be accepted.

