

# **2026 Travel Baseball Tryouts**

Once Registered on-line, players should attend <u>ONE</u> of the following tryout dates:

### **Cougars Baseball Tryout Time/Dates:**

9U (Must be 9 or younger as of May 1, 2026)		12U (Must be 12 or younger as of May 1, 2026		
July 14 6pm - 7:30pm	McCaslin 1	July 14 7:30pm - 8:45 McCaslin 2		
July 16 6pm - 7pm	McCaslin 1	July 16 9pm - 10pm McCaslin 1		
July 17 6pm - 7pm	McCaslin 1	July 17 9pm - 10pm McCaslin 1		

10U (Must be 10 or younger as of May 1, 2026)		13U (Must be 13 or younger as of May 1, 2026)		
July 14 6pm - 7:30pm	McCaslin 2	July 8	6pm - 8pm	McCaslin 2
July 16 7pm - 8pm	McCaslin 1	July 9	6pm - 8pm	McCaslin 1
July 17 7pm - 8pm	McCaslin 1			

11U (Must be 11 or younger as of May 1, 2026)		14U (Must be 14 or younger as of May 1, 2026)		
July 14 7:30pm - 8:45pm	McCaslin 1	July 14 8:45pm - 10pr <b>McCaslin 1</b>		
July 16 8pm - 9pm	McCaslin 1			
July 17 8pm - 9pm	McCaslin 1			

Players should arrive 15 minutes before scheduled start time to check in and warm up. If these dates don't work, we'll do our best to accommodate individual tryouts on July 22 or July 23. Contact Eric Reneau @ 630-209-6485 or via email ereneau1979@gmail.com with accommodation requests.



Register: QR Code or





Tryout Address: McCaslin Park - 27W650 North Ave, West Chicago IL 60185

## **About Us**



The Carol Stream Travel Softball Baseball Association (CSTSBA) is a non-profit organization established in 2001. CSTSBA partners with the Carol Stream Park District to provide the opportunity for area youth to learn and play competitive baseball and softball.

We are a competitive travel softball (Storm) and baseball (Cougars) organization that emphasizes player development and believes in preparation, dedication, and teamwork.

Our mission is to create a fun, challenging, and competitive environment in order to teach the youth of Carol Stream the sports of softball and baseball. We are also a place where new friendships are formed, and lasting memories are made. We take great pride arming players with life skills including leadership, sportsmanship, and teamwork, which will contribute to their success both on and off the field!

#### Myths about Travel Baseball and Softball:

#### Myth: Travel Softball or Baseball is EXPENSIVE

**Fact:** The Cougars Association and individual teams do a great job fundraising to limit families out of pocket expense. More often the out-of-pocket expense is less than \$500.

#### Myth: Travel means FAR

**Fact:** 90% of games are played within 20 minutes of Carol Stream. The Cougar and Storm teams participate in local league play against surrounding suburbs. Each team may elect to do one out of state tournament at the end of the season.

#### Myth: Travel is TOO Competitive

**Fact:** CSTSBA focuses on player development. We strive to stake a healthy balance between skill development and competitive play. Our organizational goal is to develop skills which will help players succeed on and off the field.

Thank you for considering the CSTSBA to help your child develop a love for the game of baseball or softball.

We look forward to seeing you at tryouts.



