



PONY BASEBALL AND SOFTBALL INTERNATIONAL HEADQUARTERS AND MUSEUM
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Tournament Name: 2019 Pinto 8U & 9U Coach Pitch International Baseball Classic.

Dates: July 11-13; Report date: July 10; Sunday, July 14 will be used as a rain day.

Location: Cusumano Sports Complex (11807, County Rd 1160 N, Mt. Vernon, Illinois 62864)

The tournament will accept the first 16 teams to register and then will have a waiting list if needed. The size of the tournament may change depending on the number of teams that request to play.

Game Schedule: Each team will be guaranteed a minimum of five games. Once pool play is concluded, teams will be seeded and placed in a single elimination round that will result in eight teams being placed in the Championship Bracket and eight teams being placed in the Consolation Bracket. A Champion and Consolation Champion will be determined following the results of those single elimination rounds. [Click here to access the game schedule.](#)

First, second, third and fourth place banners for both the Championship round and the Consolation Championship round will be awarded. All players in the tournament will receive a participation pin.

Rules: [Click here to access the tournament rules and regulations.](#)

Tournament Cost: \$225 for all teams.

Airport: Teams are advised to fly into and out of St. Louis Lambert International Airport.

Transportation: Teams are advised to rent 12 or 15 passenger vans through [Budget](#) or [Avis](#) at St. Louis Lambert International Airport for travel to and from Mt. Vernon July 10-14.

Hotel Information:

- 1) *Fairfield Inn & Suites by Marriott Mount Vernon Rend Lake* (217 Potomac Blvd, Mount Vernon, IL 62864; Phone: 618-244-2300; Price: \$124.00 plus tax, 2 Queen Beds, Breakfast, Free Wi-Fi, TV, Microwave, Fridge)
- 2) *Super 8 Motel* (401 S 44th St, Mount Vernon, IL 62864; Phone: 618-242-8800; \$76.15 plus tax, 2 Queen Beds, Continental Breakfast, Free Wi-Fi, TV, Microwave, Fridge)

Each team may only have ONE hotel contact to prevent miscommunication. The team's hotel contact will gather the rooming list information ([click here for document](#)) and email it to hotels@pony.org. In the subject line please indicate North Zone – International Baseball Classic. Each parent will call in a credit card number to guarantee their assigned confirmation number / room. Direct all inquiries to hotels@pony.org.

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