# The Eastern A's Travelball Organization

#### **Our Story**

The story of The Eastern A's Travel Baseball Organization is one of passion, dedication, and a commitment to providing high-quality baseball opportunities for young athletes on the East End of Long Island. Founded with a vision to make baseball training accessible to everyone at an affordable cost. The Eastern A's began with a group of passionate coaches who wanted to create a positive impact on youth baseball development. Recognizing the financial barriers that often limit access to training programs, we were determined to build an organization that would prioritize affordability without compromising the quality of training.

Over the years, The Eastern A's has grown from just one team to many. A baseball organization that has positively impacted the lives of countless young athletes. With a commitment to affordability, excellence, and training, The Eastern A's have given aspiring baseball players the opportunity to chase their dreams and reach their full potential on and off the field. We preach a team culture philosophy, to become "we" players not "me" players.

We currently have teams from 8u-varsity level.

#### Why The Eastern A's?

**Coaching Staff**: Our organization is led by a team of experienced and dedicated coaches who are passionate about developing players both on and off the field. With their expertise, they guide players through skill development, strategy, and teamwork, fostering growth and success. We currently have 3 certified MLB Scouts on our staff who work with all the coaches to give them insight into training through a different lens. Paid coaches.

- 1. **Facility**: We provide our players with our own training facility, The Cage Sports Development Center in Riverhead. Our teams have access to the facility all year round as well as practice fields to ensure that our players have the resources necessary to reach their full potential.
- 2. **Tournament & League Play**: Our program competes in competitions in appropriate highlevel tournaments, providing players with valuable opportunities to showcase their skills against competition from across the northeast. These competitions not only challenge players but also offer exposure to college scouts and recruiters, opening doors for future opportunities in baseball.
- 3. **College Exposure Opportunities**: We understand the importance of college exposure for aspiring student-athletes. That's why we actively seek opportunities for our players to be seen by college coaches, whether it's through tournaments, showcases, or personalized recruiting assistance.
- 4. **Player Development Programs**: Player development is at the core of everything we do. We offer comprehensive development programs designed to enhance players' skills,

knowledge, and confidence on the field. Through personalized coaching, practice sessions, and feedback, we help our players grow into well-rounded athletes and individuals.

Overall, the combination of professional coaching, having our own training facility, competitive opportunities, college exposure, and player development programs, makes The Eastern A's Travel Baseball Organization a great choice for young athletes looking to take their game to the next level.

## The Eastern A's commitment is for a full year of baseball.

We do not make our players tryout again for the Fall Season. We believe in a simple philosophy.

Development of our players is our number one goal. Through development we will grow!

## What a year with The Eastern A's looks like.

## Winter Workouts - The Cage Sports Development Center

- Once a week team training
- Clinics for batting, catchers and pitchers available all winter long
- A's days We close our facility to the public for our players to get extra swings in

## Summer Season – Town of Brookhaven League

- 12-24 GAME REGULAR SEASON SCHEDULE (depending on age group)
- Fall season is weekend tournaments from end of August November

## MULTIPLE PRACTICES PER WEEK

- 1-2 PRACTICES PER WEEK
- WE UTILIZE OUR HOME FIELDS FOR PRACTICE
- TEAM PRACTICES INSIDE OUR FACILITY
- BATTING PRACTICE OFF JR HACK ATTACK MACHINES

### TOURNAMENTS

• AVERAGE OF 5 TOURNAMENTS THROUGHOUT THE YEAR. JV AND VARSITY WILL DO MORE ALONG WITH SHOWCASE TOURNAMENTS AND INDIVIDUAL SHOWCASES

### PRICING

- NO TEAM IS ABOVE \$2000 FOR THE YEAR
- High school players The season pricing depends on potential college showcase opportunities and / or tournament style season decided by the admin
- All players receive a membership to The Cage Sports Development Center for discounts on clinics, camps, cage rentals and private lessons. 3 free half-hour lessons are included in the membership. We are also sponsored by Wilson Sports. Players receive 20% discounts on all equipment from Wilson, Louisville Slugger, Demarini, Evo Shield and ATEC
- Payment plans available for all players

#### Things to Consider....

- The Eastern A's organization was created 11 years ago. Year after year we have remained a consistent competitive baseball program.
- Stop wasting your player's time being the 14th, 15th, 16th or 17th player on a roster. Stop wasting you weekends traveling out of state while your son doesn't play or only plays two innings. We do not allow guest players to fill in on our rosters.
- FOR PARENTS- If you truly want your child to develop, they need to play. Instead of trophy chasing and having cheap wins, join a program that dedicates time in building your player into the complete player! We have a process that is never ending. Follow the process and watch your child improve year after year. As your child gets older, the game gets faster and more difficult. We are committed to "The Process" for all ages.
- For the older players, we help all our players with the college recruitment process. We do not advertise or post on social media about our college commitments, as it is behind the scenes. It is not about us, it's about our players. We care about our players, and we will do everything possible to afford them the best opportunity to pursue their college ambitions.