



Paris Teen League Baseball Association

Investing in the Future of Paris Baseball

Dear Friends, Neighbors, and Local Business Leaders,

At the Paris Teen League Baseball Association (PTLB), we believe that the crack of a bat and the camaraderie of a dugout shouldn't be limited by a price tag. For years, our mission has been simple but vital: to provide a high-quality summer of baseball and competitive tournaments for our local high school players while keeping the financial burden on their families as low as possible.

Our Commitment to Excellence

Despite rising costs, we have worked tirelessly to maintain professional standards, including providing two certified umpires for every game to ensure a fair and high-level environment for our athletes. For the past several years, we have managed these expenses internally without reaching out to the community for help. However, to continue providing this experience **free of charge** to our high school players, we are opening our doors for community support.

A Vital Partnership for Our Status

As a registered non-profit organization, public support is the lifeblood of our operation. In fact, to maintain our active non-profit status and continue our mission, we rely on receiving community donations. Your support quite literally keeps our organization alive.

Giving Back to Our Players and Schools

The PTLB isn't just about summer games; we are deeply invested in the long-term success of our county's baseball programs. Because of the support we've received in the past, we've been able to provide:

- **Essential Equipment:** Donating at least five dozen baseballs to local coaches annually to kickstart their seasons.
- **Technological Support:** Providing iPads to coaching staffs to assist with game film and player development.
- **Facility Enhancements:** Purchasing movable pitching mounds for Paris High School as a thank-you for the continued use of their facilities.
- **Future Foundations:** Awarding scholarships to several graduating seniors from across the county to help them pursue their higher education goals.

How You Can Help

We are asking for your support to help us sustain these programs. Whether you are a local business looking for a meaningful way to give back or a fan of the game who wants to see these young men succeed, **any amount will help**. Your contribution is a tax-deductible investment in the youth of Paris, and every dollar goes directly toward umpire fees, equipment, and scholarships that keep our kids on the field.

If you have any questions or would like to learn more about how your donation will be used, please don't hesitate to reach out to me directly.

Thank you for your time, your generosity, and for being a part of our baseball family.

Warmly,

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