

14U BASEBALL MEETING

SEPTEMBER 28, 2026

14U Omaha / Field of Dreams Tournament



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- Agenda:
 - Review Omaha / IA Tournament Presentation
 - Vote on where each team will go
 - Need to designate a person to coordinate fundraising and manage the fundraising money (Dibs will be earned)
 - If interested, contact the Travel Directors (Blake Grefe or Jason Lenz)
 - Fundraising Committee - Will include Fundraising Coordinator and Travel Directors

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- Slumpbuster Tournament Dates: June 16th-20th, 2026 (Games start on the 17th)
- www.omahaslumpbuster.com
- Location: Omaha, NE
- Tournament format for SlumpBuster: 4-game guarantee option: Thursday, June 17th - Sunday, June 20th (4 Days)
- Pricing - \$3,145 (Minus \$400 SYBA contribution / Approx. \$230 per player)
- Game times will be made available: Summer 2027
- Drive note: All teams may play up to 1 hour away from Omaha (Ft. Calhoun, Syracuse, Council Bluffs etc)
 - Majority of the games will be in the Greater Omaha/Council Bluffs with possible overflow fields (depending on final team numbers).

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- Hotel Rates (estimates require a 4 night stay):

- Tru by Hilton Omaha: \$330/night
- Embassy Suites Downtown: \$350/night

- Additional Estimated Expenses:

- College World Series Tickets -
 - Approximately \$40 per ticket
- Registration fee covers gate fee



for all spectators as well as entry into the SlumpBuster festival

- Food, travel, entertainment and other expenses vary per family

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College World Series Experience:

- By playing in the SlumpBuster Tournament, youth teams will have an opportunity to attend a College World Series game. Tournament schedules are created so that teams can make their way to Charles Schwab Stadium and watch the best Division 1 programs in the NCAA compete for a national title.
- While at the CWS you will be able to immerse your kids in the excitement of the College World series, check out the activities downtown and see baseball how it was meant to be played!



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- Field of Dreams Tournament Dates: July, 2026
- www.fieldofdreamsmoviesite.com/youth-baseball
- Location: Dyersville, IA
- Tournament format for Field of Dreams: 3-game guarantee option:
Dates TBD (2-3 Days)
- Pricing - \$849 (Minus \$400 SYBA contribution / Approx. \$40 per player)
- Have 2 day and 3 day tournaments available
- Game times will be made available: Summer 2027
- Includes Team Skills Competition at movie site (HR Derby, Speedster, Quick Hands)

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- Hotel Rates (estimates require a 2 night stay):
 - Country Inn & Suites - Dubuque - \$225 / night
- Additional Estimated Expenses:
 - Registration fee covers gate fee for all spectators
 - Food, travel, entertainment and other expenses vary per family



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- FUNDRAISING
 - All players planning on trying out for a 14-year-old travel team will have the opportunity to fundraise until teams are announced after tryouts in March
 - Players selected to a travel team
 - Are allowed to continue to fundraise until the end of the season to offset their Omaha / IA tournament expenses
 - Players not selected to a travel team
 - Will no longer be required to fundraise

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- Conditions/ Commitments:
 - **You (a parent) must sign a Fundraising Commitment acknowledging all fundraising rules to receive a share of the raised funds**
 - You and/or your player must participate in fundraising to receive a share of the raised funds
 - All funds raised are commingled together for both teams
 - Teams can not fundraise and allocate funds to separate teams
 - If your player does not make a 14U travel team, or if you do not tryout for a team, you do not get a share of the funds raised
 - Funds raised will be split evenly between all 14U travel players
 - Any silent auction items or gift cards provided by families will be considered donations for the fundraising efforts (not tracked or tallied)
 - Any funds raised beyond a team's trip costs (Tournament fees, uniforms, hotels, gas / travel, WS tickets, player food allotment) will roll forward to next year's teams (Not towards the other team's trip) (SPEND THE \$\$ RAISED)

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- Possible Fundraising Opportunities:
 - Travel teams generally have raised \$7,000-\$17,000 per season
 - Advertising banner / Corporate Sponsorship (\$4,800)- Coordinate date with Travel Directors
 - Cub weekend bagging (\$2,700) - Coordinate date with Travel Directors
 - Superbowl boards (\$2,500)
 - Beer bash with 50/50 Raffle Tickets (\$1,500)
 - Hockey concessions (\$1,900)
 - Restaurant nights (Bravi's, Culvers, etc.)
 - Others (Bingo night at Brewhall or O'Briens, silent auction, Heggies pizza sales, bowling, meat raffle)



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- Corporate Sponsorship Form:



Shakopee 14U

Tournament Sponsorship Banner

In June 2025, **Shakopee Youth Baseball** will be represented at the **Omaha Slumpbuster Tournament** in Omaha, Nebraska by our 14U teams.

These teams are made up of a **group of young men, going into 9th grade**. We will have an opportunity to play against teams all-across the United States, represent Shakopee and make lasting memories.

To make this trip possible, we are **asking for your help by sponsoring these teams**. Money raised will be used to offset tournament fees, travel, food and lodging for these young men.

A banner will be made to be displayed at all the local and games played throughout the metro and will be brought to Omaha to be displayed.

SPONSORSHIP LEVELS

World Series MVP: \$1,000

- Featured logo and name prominently displayed denoting MVP status
- 2 social media posts highlighting your business

Grand Slam: \$500 Logo and larger name prominently displayed
1 social media post

Home Run: \$250 Larger name displayed on banner

Base Hit: \$100 Name displayed on banner



Business/Family Name: _____

Sponsorship level: _____

Contact name: _____ Tele #: _____

Contact email: _____

Fundraising contacts: David Brinkman 651.253.8218 and Mike Novak 612.709.0549. Make checks payable to Shakopee Youth Baseball Association (SYBA) and mail to David Brinkman 1805 Wyndam Drive, Shakopee, MN 55379 or Venmo David @David-Brinkman-2 (last 4 – 8218). Donations are tax deductible (Tax ID 56-2445059). Checks must be received no later than April 30th. You will receive a photo of the banner with the teams to display at your place of business. For MVP and Grand Slam sponsorship levels, we will contact you to obtain a copy of your company logo.



THANK YOU for supporting the 14U Shakopee Baseball Teams!

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- Setup team FB/ Instagram account to advertise corporate sponsors and team events throughout the summer
- Share events on your personal FB page



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- Out state tournament uniform option:
 - 2025 & 2026 travel teams purchased additional tournament hats and jerseys
 - (Ordered through Innovative Graphics)



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What questions do you have?