## Carillon 13U High Performance Program

The Carillon Minor Baseball Association offers a Regional High Performance program for the 13U level that extends beyond league play and into the summer months. These programs ask for an increased level of dedication and the skill level of a player is taken into consideration. Teams are picked using tryouts and players not chosen will be informed by email. Players that are accepted into the program are eligible to be placed on one of the teams listed below.

**Carillon Regional AAA Provincial Team-** The Carillon AAA team has a fairly intense schedule with weekly practices from April-June and then two practices per week from July to early August. The team will play 10+ games against other AAA teams in the province from May-Mid July. Games will generally be held on weekends (finalized schedule to be released in April/May). The team will also participate in the St.James A's tournament in June and a Tournament in Brandon on July 1<sup>st</sup> weekend, the Provincial AAA Qualifier July 19-21 in Stonewall and the AAA Provincials on August long weekend in Iles Des Chenes. All AAA players must play with their local association league teams as well.

Carillon is one of the largest minor baseball organizations in the province and typically have over 50 players trying out for this team. <u>Minor aged players/parents should remember the transition from 11U</u> to 13U AAA is a very big step and generally, only 1-2 minor aged players make the AAA team. However, the 13u AA program has shown the ability to develop future AAA players. Parents/Players may also choose to not be considered for AAA, but only the AA program. Please email the address at the bottom of the page if that is your intentions.

**Carillon Regional AA Team-** Carillon will also offer a 13U AA team. The purpose of the program is to provide a development opportunity for the players that are not on the current AAA team. Baseball Manitoba will be offering a AA provincial that will consist of other AA regional teams (no AAA players) for the first time in 2023. Carillon has had multiple AA teams in past years, but will likely just have the one AA team this season due to the new format. One of the main goals of the 13U AA program is to develop the players that will be on the following years 13U AAA team. Therefore, the AA team will consist mainly of minor aged players with some major aged players joining the roster as well. The team(s) will have weekly practices, exhibition games and some tournaments from Late May until the Baseball Manitoba AA Provincials in Brandon on July 26-28 in Brandon. All 13U AA players must play with their local association team as well.

## **Registration Process**

Step 1- Registration must be completed online by March 24<sup>th</sup> . <u>All players must register and pay the \$50 fee online before attending the camps.</u> This is an important process as the number of interested players will have an effect on how we organize and run the workout sessions. Players will attend up to four identification workouts in Phase 1. After this phase players will be informed by email if they will be invited to continue in future phases of the roster identification process. Players will not receive an evaluation report, but can request feedback if they are not invited to the next stage of the identification process.

Step 2- The identification process will continue with rosters finalized by early to late May.

Step 3- Player fees will be paid online by June 1<sup>st</sup> for the remainder of the season. The estimated fees are as follows –

13U AAA- \$500 13U AA- \$250

If you have further questions on the program, please email info@carillonbaseball.ca