

New Little League Meet Scheduled for Amherst

An organization meeting for those interested in forming the New Amherst Little League, which was scheduled for this afternoon, has been postponed until Tuesday at 8 o'clock in the Park School Library. Adults interested in helping to form the league, the third in Amherst, are invited to attend.

Third Amherst Little League to be Formed Sunday, Feb. 12

A third Amherst Little League will be formed Sunday, February 12, and interested adults are invited to attend. Herb Mols, athletic director of the Park School, has been named president.

The meeting will be held at 2:00 p. m. at the library of the Park School, Snyder. The Third Little League area will include everything north of Main St. and west of the Thruway extension. It is another step in providing better recreation for the youth of Amherst.

Third Amherst Little League Organizes

Last Sunday an organizational meeting was held at the Park School library to discuss plans for the adding of a third "Little League" to the Town of Amherst scene for summer recreation. This will be the third year of play and the town has been further subdivided so that the new league will operate within the boundaries as follows: From city line, all of that area north of Main Street and west of the thruway extension.

The older leagues, the Amherst Township and the Central Amherst will cover the rest of the Town.

Another meeting will be held on Sunday, Feb. 26, at 5 P. M. and anyone who is interested in the baseball program which is designed for boys from 8-12, is cordially invited to be present.

Connie Mack Little League of Amherst Draws 250 Candidates

The new Connie Mack Little League jumped off to a fast start Saturday, April 21, as 250 young hopefuls, 8 to 12 years old, attended the first try-outs at Park School Athletic Field. League President Herbert J. Mols of the Park School announced that efforts are progressing to permit every boy within the new league territory the opportunity of playing Little League baseball this summer. Plans are now underway to construct two new ball diamonds in the town for this purpose.

Further tryouts are scheduled for Park School Saturday, April 28, and May 4, starting at 8 a. m. Parents and interested adults are invited to attend meetings, the next of which is scheduled for Wednesday evening, May 2, at the Park School at 8 p. m.

Amherst "Connie Mack" Little League Elects Officers at Meeting

At a meeting last week at the Park School library, the new Connie Mack Little League of Amherst took further steps towards putting a new league on the field this summer when the following officers were elected: Herbert J. Mols, president; Loring Archer, vice president; Elmer Dauscher, treasurer; Jack Drexel, secretary. The following were appointed in charge of committees: Keith Farmer, Incorporation; Ed Lalor, insurance; Omar Lane, Try-outs; and Ray Barry, Team Sponsors.

The league is making arrangements to open a new field for little league this summer. The league boundaries are from the city line east to Park Club Lane and North Forest Road, and north of Main Street. All boys of the age of 8-12 will be eligible to try out for the major and minor league teams, tryouts to be held sometime in May.

The next meeting is scheduled for the Park School library on Tuesday, April 3, at 8 P. M., and any adult interested in any phase of little league is urged to attend. This is the third such league to be formed in the Town of Amherst in the last 3 years, and every effort is made to provide play for any interested youngster.

Connie Mack Little League Officers Lay Out Diamond



—Photo by Bee Staff

Herbert J. Mols, president and Omar Lane, player agent of the third and newest Little League of the Town of Amherst are shown staking out home plate on the newly acquired site on Burroughs Drive near Sheridan. The league completed tryouts at Park School last Saturday, and on Tuesday held the players auction and are now in the process of notifying boys who were selected for the major league teams of the Red Sox, Orioles, Senators and Indians. The remainder of the boys who desire to play will be divided among the minor league teams, so that every boy interested in playing baseball will be given this opportunity.

The managers of the four teams listed above will now begin practice and pending completion of the new playing site, erection of backstop and scoreboard, a tentative opening date has been set for Wednesday, May 23. Because of the delays due to weather, this may have to be postponed at least a week. The schedule now calls for play into August, at which time Little League begins its tournament play.

There is still room for interested adults to become a part of this program for the youth of our community, either in the area of coaches, umpires, scorekeepers or what-are-your-special-talents.

Action Marks Little League Opener



—Photo by Victor C. Gilbert

Action in the Connie Mack Little League opener as Tim Smith doubles to center. Ed Thie is the umpire. Mike Rebman, catcher, hit two home runs in the game.

Dale Guber's No-Hitter Winds Up Connie Mack Little League Season

Behind the no-hit pitching of Dale Guber, the Orioles defeated Ed Lalor's Indians in the final game of the Connie Mack Division. Bob Brosius matched Guber's hurling for 5 2/3 innings when Brandt singled in two runs. The final score was:

	Hits	Runs
Orioles	6	3
Senators	0	0

Final standings for the division put the Senators out in front by a wide margin.

	Won	Lost
Senators	14	4
Orioles	9	9
Indians	8	10
Red Sox	7	12