

**KANSAS BABE RUTH LEAGUES, INC.      YEAR 20 \_\_\_\_**  
**STATE TOURNAMENT AGREEMENT**

\_\_\_\_ **13 Year-Olds;** \_\_\_\_ **14 Year-Olds;** \_\_\_\_ **13-15 Year-Olds;**  
\_\_\_\_ **16-18 Year-Olds**

This agreement is entered into between the Kansas Babe Ruth Leagues, Inc. and

\_\_\_\_\_ herein to be known as the sponsor; subject to the following conditions:

1. Kansas Babe Ruth Leagues, Inc. to receive \$900.00 to be paid by the sponsor immediately upon the completion of said tournament.
2. The sponsor agrees to furnish ONE (1) motel room in the designated tourney motel headquarters to be used by the State Commissioner (or his assistant) for his lodging. This room will be at no cost to the KBRL or its official.
3. The sponsor agrees to pay all tournament expenses such as, but not limited to: rent on the ball park, lights, baseballs, umpires, tickets, scorekeepers, picnic expenses and all state taxes if applicable.
4. The sponsor agrees to provide a picnic at a time agreed upon by the sponsor and the KBRL. Said picnic will be attended by state officials, District Commissioners, managers, coaches, and players of the tournament teams. After the picnic, the host will sponsor a "skills contest" or other appropriate substitute activity for the teams.
5. A minimum of **three (3)** umpires will be used for each tournament game. Said umpires will come under the direct jurisdiction of the KBRL Inc. who reserves the right to approve and/or replace any umpire for any game. **The umpire-in-chief shall be a Babe Ruth certified umpire** and it is desired that all umpires will be Babe Ruth certified.
6. Sponsor agrees to provide Host Family Housing with **THREE (3)** meals per day. The team coming from the district the tournament is played in, and, any team living within 60 miles will commute daily. Therefore the tournament hosts **MUST** prepare to house six teams. **Most homes should house two or three players with four being the maximum without special permission from Kansas Babe Ruth Leagues.**
7. The sponsor agrees to aggressively publicize said tournament. The sponsor also agrees to display the Babe Ruth emblem and/or the words "Babe Ruth Baseball" prominently at the tournament location.
8. The sponsor will retain all income such as, but not limited to: program sales, tournament ticket sales, concessions, advertising, etc.
9. KBRL Inc. has the final authority and responsibility on all major decisions. Such decisions will be after consultations with the sponsor.
10. The sponsor will furnish individual player awards to the members of the winning team. These awards should be of appropriate size. KBRL Inc. will provide 1st, 2nd, 3rd and team sportsmanship awards. Any additional awards may be awarded by the sponsor with the approval of the Kansas Babe Ruth Leagues.
11. The tournament bracket, including game times, will be drawn by the State Commissioner. **ANY CHANGES MUST** be presented to the proper state official for approval.
12. Mail "Player-Information" booklet inserts (180 copies, (200 copies for 16-18)) to the State Commissioner **before May 1**. These are to include the cover page for the specific tournament, schedule of events page, host town map, team check-in schedule, information on where to send team pictures and other information pertinent to your tournament such as name of Tournament Headquarters, league information, Tournament Director's contact information, playing field information with location and practice facilities. The booklets are 8-1/2' X 5-1/2" so one or two pages folded in half should be adequate to list all information

