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<u>Little League Baseball Canada</u>
<u>Alberta District 2 / Edmonton</u>

"Over 59 Years of Little League in Edmonton"

Road to the 2012 Canadian Little League Championships

Host Team Mill Woods White Sox to be introduced at the Blue Jays Honda Super Camp

In addition to representing Edmonton at the Canadian Little League Championships, the winning Host Team Mill Woods White Sox are also attending the Toronto Blue Jays Honda Super Camp being held at Telus Field from July 2-4.

The Blue Jays sent a release last week in which they have invited local media to attend the camp to watch Blue Jays Alumni instruct these and other young players, followed by a photo & interview opportunity immediately following the camp on Tuesday July 3rd.

Players at the Edmonton camp will learn skills and techniques from former Major League All-Stars such as Lloyd Moseby, Duane Ward, Sandy Alomar Sr., Homer Bush and Rance Mulliniks. Also attending the camp as guest instructors are Edmonton Capitals Manager Orv Franchuk and Coach Gord Gerlach. Orv is also the Honourary Chair of the Canadian Little League Championships.

Immediately following the Blue Jays Alumni portion of the press conference, Blue Jays Coordinator of Amateur Development, T.J. Burnett, will introduce the Mill Woods White Sox as the Host Team for the upcoming 2012 Canadian Little League Championships. The Mill Woods team won the Host Tournament last week which qualified them for the Canadian Championship. The media is then invited to a photo and interview opportunity with the Host Team players and coaches, along with any of the Blue Jays Alumni.

Who: Sandy Alomar Sr., Homer Bush, Lloyd Moseby, Rance Mulliniks & Duane WardWhat: Photo/interview opportunity with the Blue Jays Alumni and the participants

When: July 3, 2012 (due to the holiday on July 2) 9:00 am to 1:00 pm - duration of clinic

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1:00 p.m. - interview availability with the Blue Jays Alumni, followed by the introduction of the Host Team for

the 2012 Canadian Little League Championships, the Mill Woods White Sox.

Where: Telus Field

10233-96 Avenue NW

Edmonton, AB

How: Media are required to check with the Blue Jays staff in at the stadium

The 2012 Canadian Little League Championship Tournament will begin on Saturday August 4th and will conclude with the Championship Final on Saturday August 11th, with the winner moving on to the Little League World Series in Williamsport, PA beginning August 16th. The tournament will consist of six (6) teams from the five Little League regions in Canada plus a host team. The five regions are British Columbia, the Prairies, Ontario, Quebec and the Atlantic Region.

To obtain further information, please get in touch with the following contacts, or access the Championship web page.

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