THE BRITISH AMATEUR BASEBALL CHAMPIONSHIPS

JUNIOR AND SENIOR 1979
SENIOR CHAMPIONS TO RECEIVE
THE WILKINSON SWORD TROPHY.

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THE HARVEY HADDEN STADIUM,
BILBOROUGH PARK,
WIGMAN ROAD, NOTTM.
SUNDAY, 23rd SEPTEMBER 1979



mentary: Graham Richards.

e Time 1.00.pm.

Admission by Programme available at ground 40p.

JUNIOR FINAL

HULL RED SOX V SOUTHGLADE BENEVICES

SENIOR FINAL

GOLDERS GREEN SOX V HULL ACES

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TEAM	# N	TEAM
	Pitcher	
	Catcher	
	1st Base	
	2nd Base	
	3rd Base	
	Short Stop	5°
	Left Field	
	Centre Field	
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DOX SCORESHEET

MNINGS	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	RESULT
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Innings are played if scores are level.

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Teams will be announced prior to the game.

TEAM SHEET

TEAM	8.5	TEAM
	Pitcher	
	Catcher	
1 N N	1st Base	
	2nd Base	
	3rd Base	<u> </u>
	Short Stop	
	Left Field	
	Centre Field	10.7 ×
	Right Field	
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BOX SCORESHEET

INNINGS		2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	RESULT
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'Player of the Day' Awards have very kindly been donated by Majestic Trophies, David Lane, Basford, Nottingham.

Ray Yeomans, Sports Reporter, Nottingham Evening Post, will make the presentations.

A BRIEF EXPLANATION OF BASEBALL

A game consists of nine innings for each team.

An innings terminates when three men of the batting side are out.

A Strike is a ball that passes over the home plate between the batter's knees and armpits.

A Ball is called when a pitched ball is outside the former described area.

After Three Strikes the batter is out, but if the pitcher throws four balls, the batter walks to first base.

A fair hit is one that settles or flies over fair ground, i.e. inside the foul lines. Outside these lines is a Foul Ball.

A batter becomes a baserunner when a fair hit is made or when given a walk.

A baserunner is out, if the ball is held on first base before he reaches it. At second and third and home plate, the runner must be touched with the ball held by the fielder, except when the runner is forced to advance.

On a catch, the baserunner cannot advance from the base he occupies, until after the catch is made.

You will find baseball easy to follow and we are sure you will enjoy our sport. The whole point of the game is to make a circuit of the bases before three men are out.

Substitutes are allowed but once taken out of the game a player cannot be brought back on. The pitching distance is 60 feet 6 ins., distance between bases is 90 feet. The weight of the ball is 5½ ozs., made from yarn, wound very tightly and covered with horsehide.

In JUNIOR BASEBALL the game is modified slightly, the main differences being:-

- 1. A game consists of six innings.
- 2. The distance between bases is eighty feet.
- 3. Pitching distance is fifty-three feet.
- 4. Runners cannot leave the base until the pitcher releases the ball.
- 5. On a third strike the batter is out, even when the catcher drops the ball.
- 6. All Junior Players must be fifteen years or under on the 30th April of the present season.