

Press Release from Baseball Scotland

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ACE to support Coaching Development programme

Baseball Scotland is delighted to announce it has been in detailed discussion with the Amateur Coaches Education (ACE) organisation from the United States about developing a mutually beneficial partnership.

ACE works with a number of baseball organisations to provide development support for coaches. Program Director Neal Packanik has kindly offered his organisation's extensive experience and support network to assist Baseball Scotland in establishing such a programme for its coaches.

A detailed development plan has been prepared which outlines a framework from which to craft our own coaching education system, a matter of significant importance to the sport's future growth in Scotland. This will sit as a key component of Baseball Scotland's development plan.

ACE offers both on-line and face-to-face coaching development outlets and plans are underway for the rollout of a coaching programme and clinics in the coming months, full details of which will be posted here soon. Click on the ACE logo to visit their website.

Baseball Scotland would like to extend its sincere thanks to ACE for their support and looks forward to building an even stronger relationship with them in future....

In addition, Program Director, Neal Packanik has been chosen as an International Advisor.

"I am very excited about this opportunity! It follows suit with our plans as an organization. We set out to make a foot print in the world of youth baseball, and this certainly helps. After many discussions with Mr. Clark, CEO of Baseball Scotland, it has become very clear to me how quickly baseball is growing in Scotland. We look forward to working with their coaches through our on-line curriculum and plans are being made for myself and possibly my staff to visit Scotland for coaching clinics and player development!"

Neal Packanik

Program Director

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