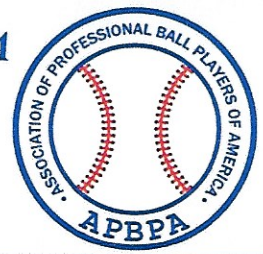


ASSOCIATION OF PROFESSIONAL BALLPLAYERS OF AMERICA

Ballplayers Helping Ballplayers Since 1924
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Dear All,

The Association of Professional Ballplayers of America, or APBPA, is a historical baseball organization that provides a plethora of lifesaving benefits to our members. For the past 96 years since 1924, we have assisted non-pensioned professional baseball players, umpires, scouts, trainers, clubhouse personnel, and others employed in professional baseball, from Independent Ball to MLB. We are now four years away from our hundred-year anniversary. If you answered our calls, you would understand how much we mean to all our members.

That is why we are calling on you now to please make Baseball History with us and step up to the plate with your pledge of support. Our Association offers solutions for unprecedented challenges faced by its members, and our ability to provide critical assistance to the Baseball Brotherhood and Family depends entirely on your support now more than ever during these unprecedented times. We offer financial help to recipients who rely on us as their only safety net to keep a roof over their heads, put food on the table, and cover medical costs for themselves and their families. Every day we are receiving urgent new assistance requests and we remain determined that we will all emerge united by the vicissitudes of this pandemic, able to conquer the challenges it poses, stronger than ever. *That* is the spirit of the APBPA and its members.

You can step up and help the APBPA and its members *right now* by sending in your urgently needed contribution. Here's what your tax-deductible donation provides:

- ⇒ **\$500** provides emergency assistance to 1 non-pensioned ballplayer and their family.
- ⇒ **\$1,000** provides emergency assistance to 2 non-pensioned ballplayers and their families.
- ⇒ **\$25,000** provides a month's worth of funding for our comprehensive programs and outreach.
- ⇒ **\$300,000** provides complete APBPA program funding for the 2020 season and will pay for **50** APBPA members who need assistance with rent, food, and basic needs for their families.
- ⇒ **\$180,000,000** provides \$1,000 a month to 30,000 of our members and their families with the most dire financial needs for 6 months.

Through the APBPA, last year **25** of our members received free, potentially lifesaving stem cell treatments valued at **\$10,000** each, as well as, cutting-edge hyperbaric oxygen and microcurrent therapies. We advocated for **25** members' US residency and were victorious in every case. Our monthly assistance rolls paid rent for **31** families, keeping them out of homelessness. Dozens of other APBPA members received emergency financial assistance, free rehabs, access to lawyers, counselors, psychologists, mentors, and more.

The Baseball Brotherhood and Family need your help now more than ever and we ask that you continue in your commitment to the APBPA with a generous contribution. Please donate directly at apbpa.org/donate; by calling (480) 404-9339; or by mailing your donation to:

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Scottsdale, AZ 85255

Ballplayers Helping Ballplayers Since 1924 means the world to those we help and we are deeply grateful for your continued compassion and support. Our generous Baseball Family has always come through in the past and your gift today will go down as a part of baseball history. Thank you for being a part of the APBPA and for stepping up to the plate in heroic fashion!

Best regards,

Jen Madison, President

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