



**Yes, I want to Support
Defiance Baseball!**

Name: _____

Address, City, State, Zip: _____

Enclosed is my contribution in the amount of \$_____.
(Please make checks payable to Defiance Area Foundation
Note: Defiance Baseball Fund)

Please provide me information on planned or deferred giving
options. (*Legacy Society*)

This gift is made:

In honor of _____

In memory of _____

Notification of this gift (no amount mentioned) should be sent to:

Name _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Please Mail to: Defiance Area Foundation, 507 Fifth Street,
Defiance, OH 43512

Partnering with The Defiance Area Foundation

Defiance Baseball is a powerful sport that has cultivated many outstanding baseball players, both locally and professionally. To keep our programs alive and well, a Defiance Baseball Endowment Fund has been created through The Defiance Area Foundation to solely benefit baseball programs in Defiance. The Defiance Area Foundation manages the investment of the funds, and utilizes local money managers. The current investment policy consists of 60% stocks and 40% bonds. Investment information is available upon request. Your investment today will support our future baseball stars tomorrow!

Defiance Area Foundation ~ Mission Statement ~

The Defiance Area Foundation, Serving Defiance County, is a not-for-profit organization that provides a vehicle to promote the philanthropic goals and heritage of the donors of the greater Defiance area. By preserving and nurturing the growth of its assets, the Foundation strives to enhance and enrich the quality of life in the greater Defiance Area.



**Defiance
Baseball
Endowment
Fund**
**Supporting our
Community from
Youth to the
Pros**

Rounding the Bases for Success

Have you ever enjoyed time at the Little League ball diamond watching kids or grandkids?

The Defiance Baseball Fund was created through the Defiance Area Foundation to ensure additional financial support for all of our baseball programs, from Little League through high school and beyond.

Defiance has a rich history of producing amazing baseball players who have helped to place our city on the map.

Defiance Baseball Endowment Fund

Your investment today will ensure that our programs continue their greatness. Interest from this fund will be available annually to support baseball programs in Defiance.



From the youngest players to our newest rising stars, you can support Defiance baseball players today and tomorrow.



Donating to the Fund

The Defiance Area Foundation is incorporated as a not-for-profit corporation in the State of Ohio and maintains tax-exempt status under Section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.



Contribution acknowledgements are provided and the Foundation recognizes the generosity of those who have made a commitment to the future of our children and grandchildren.

Gifts to the Foundation can be made in a number of ways. Outright gifts are the most common, but planned gifts are encouraged (named in Wills, Trusts, or as beneficiary of IRA or Life Insurance). The Endowment can accept cash, securities and real estate. No amount is too large or too small!



Distribution from the Endowment

As a community foundation, we have great flexibility in how proceeds from our investment funds are distributed. The Defiance Baseball Fund is a restricted fund, with all distributions directly benefiting Defiance baseball programs. The mission is to support youth through high school in these areas:

- Facilities additions or upgrades
- Equipment
- Sponsorships & Scholarships
- Other areas deemed appropriate by the Advisory Board.

An Advisory Board, made up of the Defiance Baseball Association President, Defiance High School Head Baseball Coach, Defiance Parks and Recreation Director, and two Defiance baseball alumni, oversee the fund and recommend grant awards to the Defiance Area Foundation Board of Trustees for distribution.



Defiance Area
FOUNDATION Serving Defiance County

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