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## MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL PLAYERS ALUMNI ASSOCIATION BRINGS LEGENDS FOR YOUTH BASEBALL CLINIC SERIES TO NEW ORLEANS, LA

### Free youth baseball clinic to feature Jack Cressend, Mike Mohler and other MLB Alumni

**Colorado Springs, Colo.** – Local youth will have an opportunity to play with their big league heroes at the Major League Baseball Players Alumni Association (MLBPAA) Legends for Youth baseball clinic series on **Saturday, August 8<sup>th</sup> and Sunday, August 9<sup>th</sup>, 2015**. The free clinics feature former Major League Baseball players who will teach baseball skills, drills and life lessons for approximately 200 local youth.

Players attending\* include **Gerald Alexander, Jack Cressend, Randy McGilberry, Mike Mohler, Red Swanson and Ed Yarnall**.

The clinic on **Saturday, August 8<sup>th</sup>** will take place at the **Zephyr Field**, running from **9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.**, located at **6000 Airline Drive, Metairie, LA 70003**. The clinic on **Sunday, August 9<sup>th</sup>** will take place at the **New Orleans Urban Youth Academy**, running from **1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.**, located at **6403 Press Dr., New Orleans, LA 70126**. Alumni players will train at stations including pitching, catching, base running and life skills. Registration will begin at 30 minutes before the clinics. The events will conclude with an autograph session for children in attendance.



*A common sight at Legends for Youth Clinics, children eager to learn from MLB alumni take in skills of pitching, catching, baserunning and life lessons.*

To register for these clinics, please visit [www.baseballalumni.com](http://www.baseballalumni.com). Registration is required.

For more information regarding the clinics, please contact Nikki Warner, Director of Communications, at (719) 477-1870, ext. 105 or visit [www.baseballalumni.com](http://www.baseballalumni.com).

\*Clinicians subject to change.

#### About The Major League Baseball Players Alumni Association (MLBPAA)

MLBPAA was founded in 1982 with the mission of promoting baseball, raising money for charity and protecting the dignity of the game through its Alumni players. The MLBPAA is headquartered in Colorado Springs, CO with a membership of more than 7,400, of which approximately 5,600 are Alumni and active players. Alumni players find the MLBPAA to be a vital tool to become involved in charity and community philanthropy. Follow @MLBPAA for Twitter updates.

#### About Legends for Youth Clinics

MLBPAA's Legends for Youth clinics impact more than 15,000 children each year, allowing them the unique opportunity to interact with and learn from players who have left a lasting impact on the game of baseball. The MLBPAA has reached children across America and internationally in Australia, Canada, the Dominican Republic, Nicaragua, the United Kingdom and Venezuela, through the Legends for Youth clinic series. To donate to this program, visit [baseballalumni.com/donate](http://baseballalumni.com/donate). The official hashtag of the Legends for Youth clinic series is #LFYClinic.

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