

# UMPIRES NEEDED

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## Santa Ynez Valley Pony Baseball is recruiting UMPIRES for the 2008 Baseball Season

A perennial need within SYVPBL is for umpires. Many people are intimidated by the position, but in truth it's not nearly that difficult and can be a whole lot of fun. What's required? Just an understanding of the game and a willingness to learn. We'll take it from there, providing training, practice opportunities and support. The commitment is up to you, whether it's a game a week or a game a month. As with all jobs in SYVPBL, it's a volunteer position - but you are rewarded with the satisfaction of contributing. Without you baseball just becomes practice.

### WHAT DOES IT TAKE?

- Love of the game
- Confidence and Pride
- Hustle, physical and mental alertness
- A sense of fair play and impartiality
- Willingness to learn and gain experience

All returning umpires and knew umpires must attend a clinic to become registered with SYPBB, so that games can be assigned to you. **NO CLINIC, NO GAMES.**



# UPCOMING CLINICS

We have two clinics scheduled February 10<sup>th</sup> and 24<sup>th</sup>. Check our website <http://baseball.syv-online.com/> in the late winter / early spring for more details.

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